

Scenes and Persons in the Current News



1—John L. Lewis, president of the United Mine Workers of America who has refused to appear for trial before the American Federation of Labor. 2—German troops boarding a train to cross the Polish corridor, now regarded as one of Europe's danger spots. 3—Scene at convention of Townsendites held recently at Cleveland. Dr. Townsend, founder of the old-age pension movement, is seen in the middle.

Shrine Holds Annual Convention in Seattle



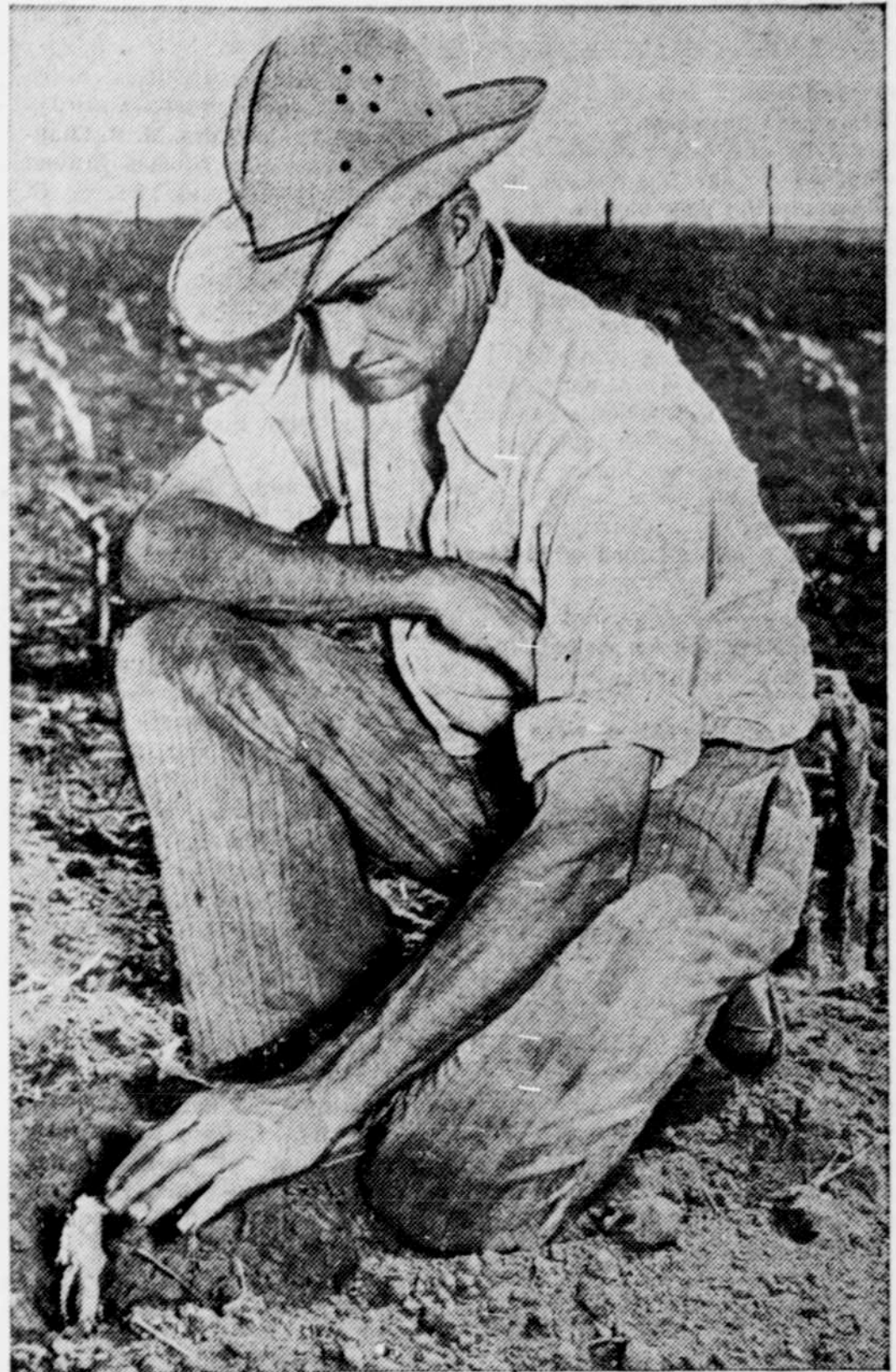
Thousands of members of the Shrine from every state in the Union gathered in Seattle for the order's recent convention. Photo shows Medina patrol of Chicago in a street parade. Before the close of the convention the delegates voted to continue the charitable work of the Shrine in maintaining hospitals in various cities for the care and treatment of crippled children.

One Locality Where the Wheat Crop Is Good



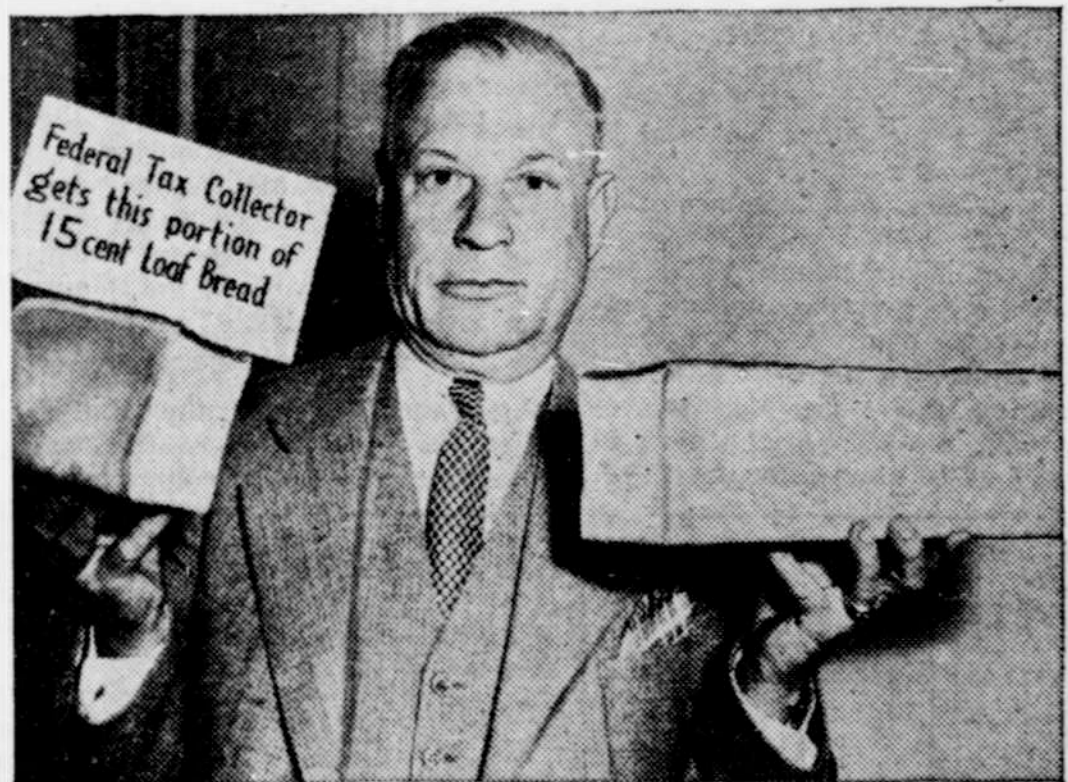
In contrast to the drouth-devastated regions in other parts of the state and country is this scene of plenty on the farm of Allen Engler in Shawnee county, near Topeka, Kan., showing wheat being threshed. The locality is enjoying a banner wheat crop with an average yield of 25 bushels an acre, selling at one dollar a bushel.

Grasshoppers Add to Woes of Drouth



A plague of grasshoppers which swept over the northwest added its toll to the heavy damage exacted by the drouth. Photo shows scene on a North Dakota farm which was stripped by the pests. Only a few stubs of corn stalks remained after the horde descended on the field.

Government's Slice From Loaf of Bread



Members of the Conference of National Bakery Executives meeting in Chicago were shown by W. E. Long how big a portion of a 15 cent loaf the federal tax collector gets. Taxes take that part which Mr. Long holds in his right hand. Members of the conference agreed to place on bread wrappers the exact amount of tax levied against each loaf, to acquaint the American public with the tax problem.

Three Sets of Twins in Succession



Three sets of twins in succession have been welcomed to the family of the Andrew Jackson Robertsons of Walla Walla, Wash. Born in 1933, 1934, and 1936, only the youngest pair were of the same sex.