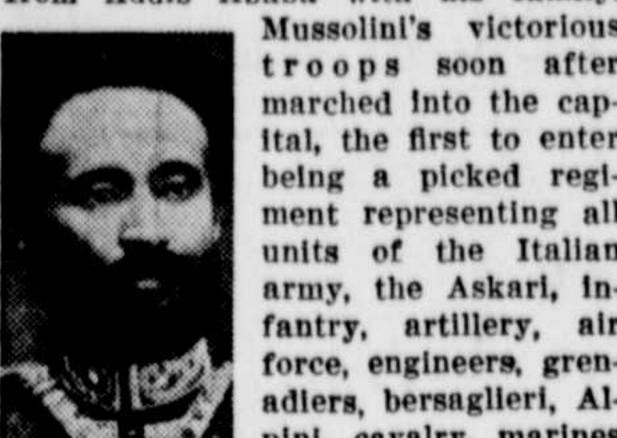
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Italy Takes Addis Ababa;

the Emperor Flees

EMPEROR HAILE SELASSIE of Ethiopia gave up the hopeless fight against the Italian invaders and fled from Addis Ababa with his family



Haile Selassie

ital, the first to enter being a picked regiarmy, the Askari, in- LINAL elections in France put com-

and ravaged, these including the treas- largest group in the chamber with 14 ury from which the state's store of seats. The Radical Socialists have 115 streets were strewn with corpses and parties 44. The National bloc, includ rushed about shooting at random and the leftists, have 236 seats. gathering up their loot to carry it to the hills.

Only one foreigner was reported killed. That was Mrs. N. A. Stadin American wife of an Adventist missionary, who was struck by a stray bullet. Nearly all other foreigners were gathered in the well fortified British legation, but American Minister Cornelius Van H. Eggert with his wife and the male members of the staff remained in the American compound. They were armed only with rifles and pistols and were under orders from Secretary of State Hull not to risk their Myes uselessly; but they were determined to hold the legation and radio station as long as possible. This plucky little group was attacked repeatedly by marauders but repulsed all onslaughts. Mr. Engert was in wire- | Sen. Hastings less communication with Washington. The British legation offered to send a detachment of Sikhs to escort the Americans to the British compound but Mr. Engert declined to leave his legation at that time. Next day he and his staff evacuated the compound

Haile Selassie went by train to Djibouti, French Somaliland, and was received with all honors at the governor's palace. He and his family boarded the British cruiser Enterprise | Navy Expansion Measure and sailed for Palestine.

At first it was rumored the French CINCE international naval disarmagovernments had decided that he re- joice in the passage by the house of full liberty of movement.

fluence in the ancient empire. The hu- with 21-inch guns. miliated league can do nothing except | Appropriations in the bill, along with | deferred until after the election. lift the existing sanctions, which other available funds, will give the proved futile in halting the war. Brit- navy a total of \$592,237,807 for the ish Foreign Minister Eden and his fel- next fiscal year, starting July 1. lows in the government must admit as gracefully as possible their failure Business Men Differ to check Mussolini and get what they can for Britain out of the African tragedy. France probably is not sorry over the outcome, for her opposition to the duce's ambitious scheme always was half-hearted.

Vandenberg's Name Is

to Be Presented

CENATOR ARTHUR H. VANDEN- policies, that unless BERG of Michigan has asked Gov. private enterprise Frank D. Fitzgerald of that state to takes up the slack in present his name to the Republican employment, business

convention in Cleveland for the Presidential nomination, but insists does not make him an active candi-

"The Michigan state convention generously instructed the Michigan delegation in Cleveland to present my name," the senator

Senator said. "But the delega-Vandenberg tion is unpledged-at my request. It is free to vote as it so. I have not sought the nomination emergency, and responsibility for its | tended to be open to all other nations

not changed in the slightest." Friends of Senator Borah in Utah tried unsuccessfully for a Borah plied spiritedly. Roy C. Osgood, vice voted to send an uninstructed group to | ministration embarked on a sound fis-

tien of the resolutions committee. good will" toward Gov. Alf Landon.

Col. Henry Breckenridge, who offered himself to the Democrats as a Presidential nominee aspirant merely so that disaffected members of the party might have some place to go, received about one-seventh of the votes in the Maryland preference primary. The rest, of course, went to Mr. Roosevelt. Colonel Breckenridge had made no

ment representing all Radicals Control French

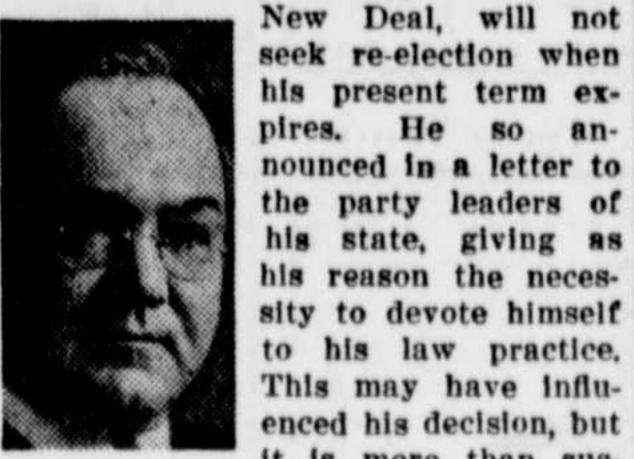
units of the Italian | Chamber of Deputies

fantry, artillery, air | Pplete control of the chamber of depforce, engineers, gren- uties in the hands of the revolutionary adiers, bersaglieri, Al- "Popular Front," a coalition of Compini, cavalry, marines | munists, Socialists, Radical Socialists and Fascist militia- and minor left wing groups. The new chamber does not meet until June, and Their coming was welcomed by the | the confusion is so great that there are foreigners who remained in the city, fears of chaos and financial panic in for as soon as the negus left, the na- the interim. Many believe the Popular tives began to pillage, plunder and Front will be unable to form a stable business center of the government to succeed that of Premier speedily wrecked and the Sarraut. The lead must be taken by government buildings were stormed the Socialists, for they now form the gold was stolen, and the armory. The the Communists 72 and minor left the Ethiopians, crazed by liquor, ing center and right parties opposed to

Senator Hastings Will Not Seek Re-election

ANIEL O. HASTINGS, senator

from Delaware, chairman of the mittee and outspoken opponent of the New Deal, will



sity to devote himself to his law practice. This may have influenced his decision, but it is more than sus-

pected that the real reason was the fact that the du Pont family, all-powerful in Delaware Republican politics, had decided that the senatorial seat should go to Gov. C. Douglas Buck, who is related to the quent in defense of the du Ponts against attacks by the New Dealers.

Passed by the House

would hold him for a time, but later | ment efforts have failed, those who advices said the French and British advocate adequate national defense remained a sovereign and must have the bill appropriating approximately \$531,000,000 to build our navy up to So ends the military part of Mus- treaty strength. Representative Marcsolini's African adventure, a success antonio of New York and a few others despite the opposition of the League put up loud opposition, but a record council of three to govern the country of Nations and the imposition of eco- vote was not necessary. The objectors | until Farouk comes of age. The young nomic and financial penalties. The dwelt especially on a clause authoriz- king, who is six feet tall and well eduduce announced the victory to his ing the laying of keels for two 35,000 cated, hopes to return to England to country from the chamber of deputies ton battleships after January 1, 1937, complete his studies at Woolwich. and there was wild rejoicing through- should any foreign signatory to the out Italy. It is taken for granted Mus- London naval treaty start a battleship and though returns are not in at this solini will set up an Amharic state in replacement program. Two days later part of Ethiopia under a puppet em- they might have read dispatches from Nationalist party won a clear majorperor; and presumably Italy, France | London saying rumors had reached | and Great Britain will get together and | there that Japan was considering laydetermine their respective zones of in- ing down a 55,000 ton battleship armed

With Mr. Roper

ANIEL C. ROPER, secretary of commerce, appeared before the Chamber of Commerce of the United States at its annual meeting in Wash-

ington and warned its members, most of whom are persistsent critics, of New Deal bill out of earnings.

must pay the relief "It is the responsibility of all business and industrial enter-

Sec. Roper prises, said Roper, "and not of one particular segment of the government to increase its efforts for greater employment. If a substantial measure of increased re-employ- THROUGH Secretary of State Hull ment does not take place the taxation for relief purposes will come largely the conclusion of a general convention from business earnings. There must to supplement and clarify existing be re-employment or a longer period rules governing the rights and duties

of increased taxation." pleases. I have not sought a delegation | tration had fostered bureaucracy, but | par in the American peace conference here or elsewhere and I shall not do insisted that it was occasioned by an in Buenos Aires this year, but is inand shall not do so. My situation is increase again lay at the door of pri- in the world.

vate business. Various members of the chamber repledged delegation from that state. The | president of the First National bank | Waterways Is Dead Republican state convention in Ogden of Chicago, predicted that if the ad- TAMES ELLWOOD SMITH of St. Cleveland, following the recommenda- cal program that would inspire confi- the age of eighty-five, had devoted dence, business would make rapid much of his life and fortune to the The Arkansas delegation also will strides toward recovery. He criticized cause of inland waterways transportsbe uninstructed, though the state con- the pending tax on corporate earnings tion. He was one of the founders and vention approved an "expression of as impracticable and a brake on busi- the president emeritus of the Missisness expansion and stability.

Huge New Tax Measure Rushed Through House

IXITH extraordinary speed which the opposition considered indecent, the administration's new \$803,-000,000, revenue bill was pushed

through the house. The vote, 267 to 93, was almost strictly along party lines. The Republicans and only 11 Democrats voted against the measure. while four Republicans deserted the minority to cast their lot with the administration.

The bill was handed to the senate whose Sen. Harrison finance committee, headed by Pat Harrison, had been studying it in secret

cessions in order to be prepared for the public hearings that opened two days after the house had acted. There had been predictions that this committee would modify the measure radically, but the opposition to it in Democratic ranks seemed to have faded away and its passage by the senate without material change was deemed

As passed by the house the bill pro-

1. A graduated tax on corporation income which, it is estimated, will force distribution of \$3,360,000,000 more in dividends and yield the government an additional \$620,000,000 an-

2. A "windfall" tax on unpaid or refunded processing taxes imposed under the invalidated AAA, which is expected to yield \$100,000,000.

3. Continuation of the capital stocks and excess profits taxes for six months to yield \$35,000,000.

4. A refund of \$35,000,000 to processors who suffered financial losses under the old AAA.

Hagood Holds New Command

One Day, Then Retires Republican senatorial campaign com- AJ. GEN. JOHNSON HAGOOD, assigned to the command of the Sixth corps area with headquarters at Chicago, held the command only one day, as a matter of form, and then at his own request was relieved of the assignment and retired from active service. He said he would remain in Chicago several months to do some his reason the neces- special work for a mail order house and then would select a permanent residence and write a book telling "how the United States can get a very much

better national defense at very much

Young Farouk Succeeds

less cost to the taxpayer."

to Egyptian Throne

TUAD I, king of Egypt, died of a gangrenous throat infection at his du Ponts by Extriage. Senator Hast- country place near Cairo at the age of ings has always been ready and elo- sixty-eight. The crown prince, Fa-



rouk, a sixteen-yearold pupil in the royal military academy at Woolwich, England, was immediately proclaimed king and started for Egypt, sailing from Marseilles on a British liner escorted by a British warship in order to avoid going by way of Italy. Before his death

King Farouk. Fuad named a regency

Egypt elected a new parliament, writing it is believed the Wafd or ity of the seats. The Wafdists demand a free Egypt, completely rid of British influence and control. The negotiations for the new Anglo-Egyptian treaty were

Bringing Back CCC to Its

Authorized Strength

IRECTOR ROBERT FECHNER of the Civilian Conservation corps moved to bring the corps up to its authorized strength of 350,000 by ordering state enrollment officers to disregard previous quotas and accept any qualified boy from a relief family.

At the same time, Fechner authorized enrollments in eight southern states omitted from the original schedule, while the War department ordered corps area commandants to report on the number of recruits needed in each

Estimating that between 30,000 and 35,000 new members would be required, Fechner attributed slowness of enrollments to improving business conditions. Vacancies also exist for 4,000 war veterans.

Urges New Compact on

Neutrality and Rights

the United States has suggested of neutrals in wartime. The proposal Roper admitted that the adminis- is made to the nations that will take

Pioneer Champion of Inland

Louis, who died the other day at sippi Valley association.



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to Be Observed This Year The birth of baseball at Cooperstown, N. Y., will be celebrated there this summer on its 100th anniversary. The Albany legislature is being asked to vote \$5,000 toward studying the development of the game from the beginning and to advertise the first game was played is called Doubleday field after the inventor of the game. The baseball museum of records of the sport and its greatest players also is located at Coopers-



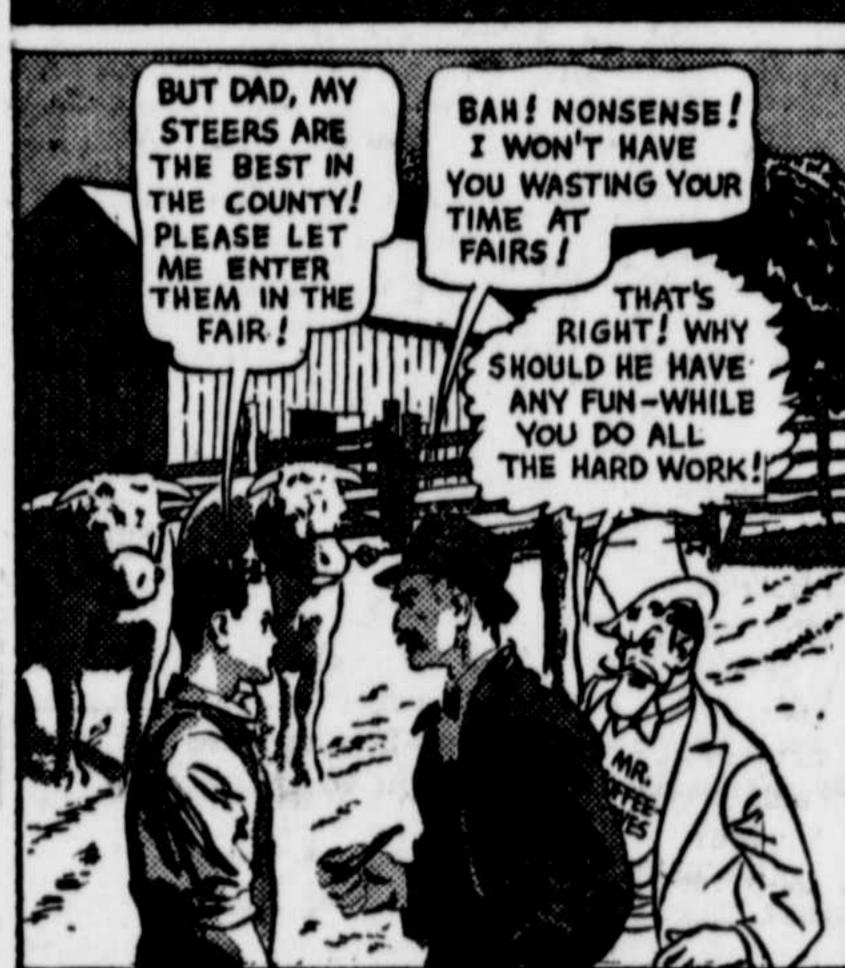
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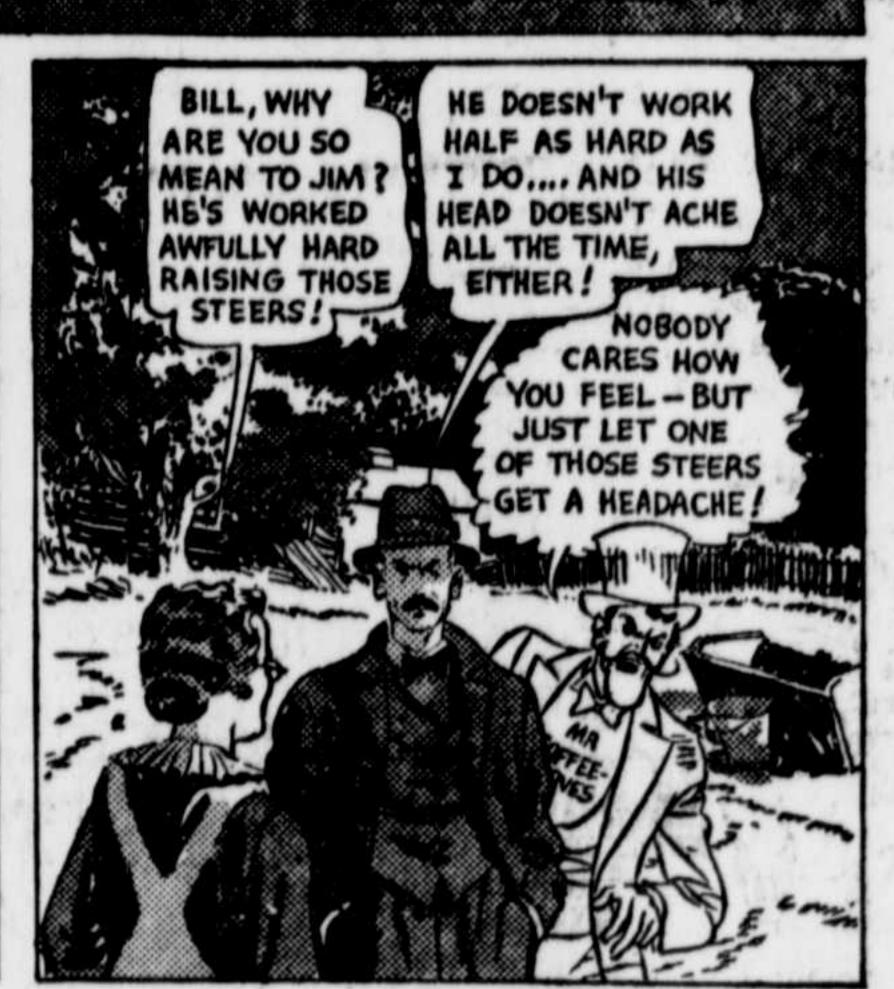
COLONEL ALBANUS PHILLIPS SAYS: "Give me vegetables that have had Nature's full time for ripening in the sun. I want them garden-fresh, too-when their fla-

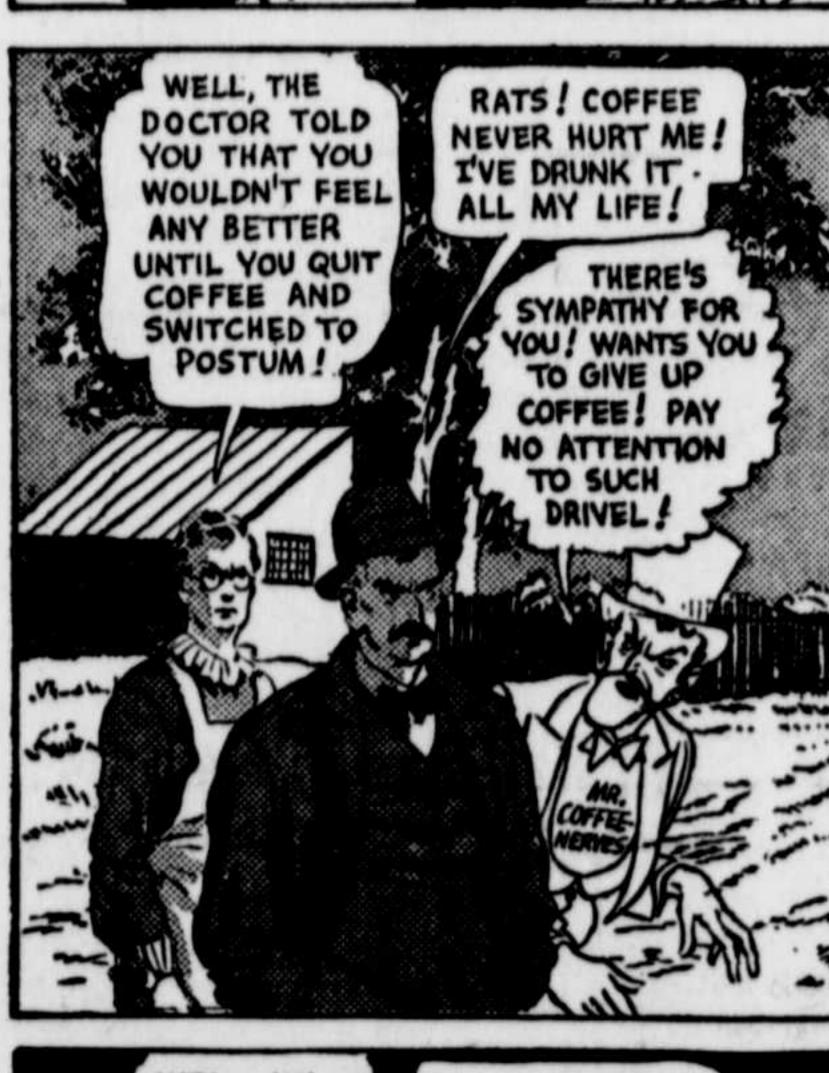
full quota of health-protecting minerals and vitamins. That's where my countrymade soups get their rich food value. And—these soups are double strength, each can makes four hearty servings."

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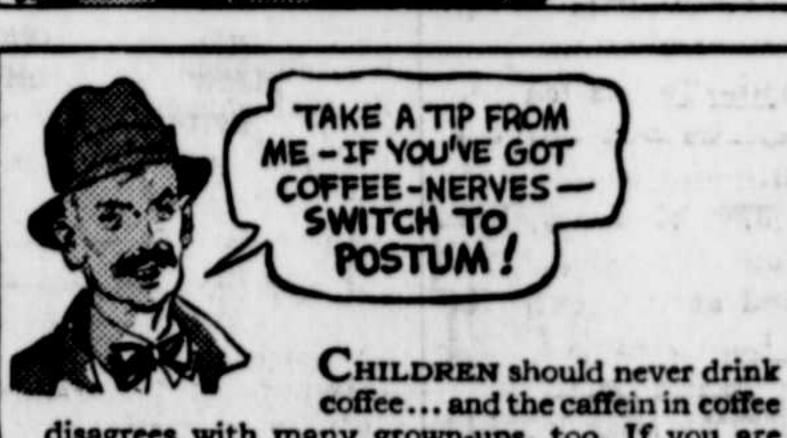












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