

BONDING HOUSE IS HELD LIABLE

South Carolina Supreme Court Reverses Lower Court in Mordecai Case.

Columbia, S. C., Sept. 28.—In an opinion handed down by the South Carolina Supreme Court Tuesday in which \$100,000 is involved in the case of Clarissa Broom, (formerly Murray) against T. Moultrie Mordecai and others, the court holds that the amount in question is a liability of the American Bonding Company of Baltimore and reverses the lower court's judgment that Cyril V. Hawksford, a native of Great Britain, is liable. The court's opinion declares that the bonding company made it possible for Mordecai, who was a prominent Charleston lawyer, to abscond.

The opinion sets forth that W. J. Murray, a British subject living abroad, was entitled to a fund of \$125,000 that was under the control of the courts of South Carolina. He made a conveyance of the fund to the two trustees, one T. Moultrie Mordecai, a resident of Charleston, and the other, C. V. Hawksford, a resident of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, living on Jersey Island.

Mr. Mordecai and Mr. Hawksford were appointed to administer the trust for a while. The funds of the trust estate were invested in South Carolina securities and lands located in Charleston.

It is set forth that Mr. Mordecai had actual possession of the property. He collected the income and forwarded it to the English trustee for payment. The trustees gave bond in the sum of \$100,000 with the American Bonding Company of Baltimore.

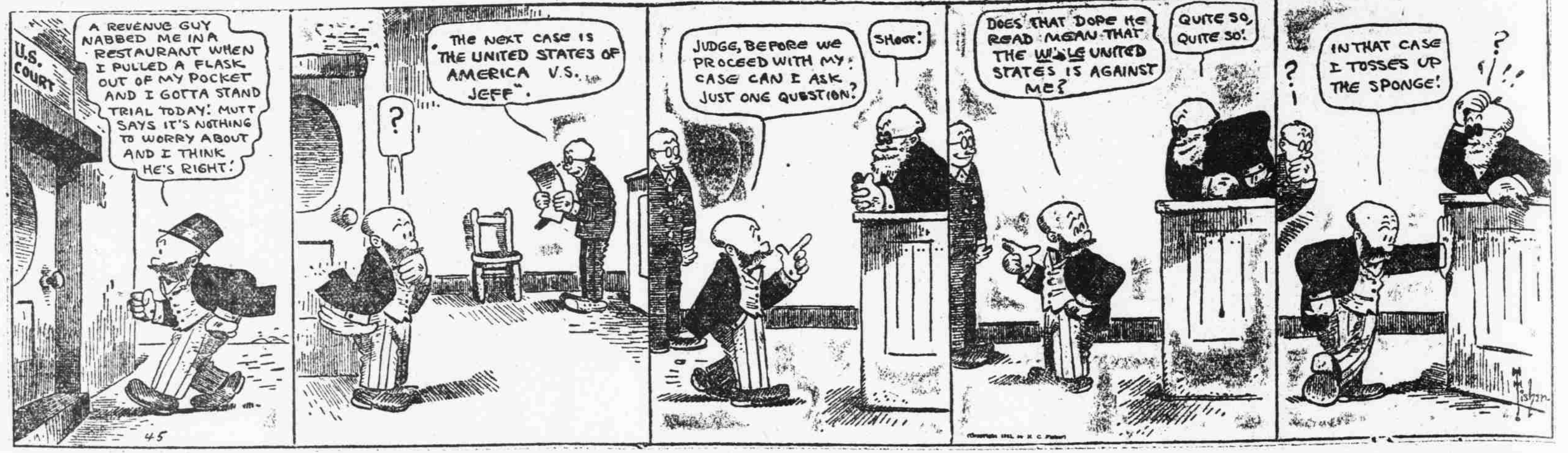
"In this matter," reads the decision, "Mr. Mordecai occupied a three-fold position. He was the resident trustee; the attorney in fact and also the attorney at law for the bonding company. The bonding company put the whole thing in Mr. Mordecai's hands to do with as he pleased."

"The thing that he did was to appropriate all the securities to his own use and abscond."

OPEN SHOP CONDITIONS. San Diego, Calif., Sept. 27.—Extended controversies between operators and miners in the Alaska coal fields, particularly in the Matanuska regions, have resulted in the United States Government settling the dispute by creating open shop conditions, according to a radio dispatch received at eleventh naval district headquarters here.

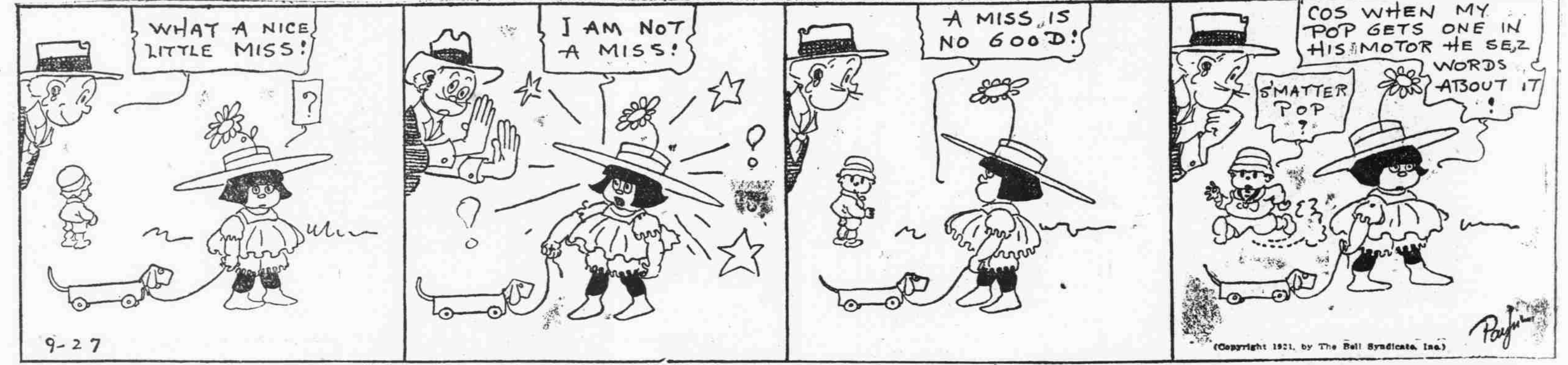
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By C. M. PAYNE



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KNOWLEDGE NEEDED BY GOOD LAWYERS

Dayton, O., Sept. 28.—All candidates for admission to the Bar should be compelled to pass examinations on the Bible and the works of Shakespeare, in the opinion of Daniel W. Iddings, former president of the Ohio Bar Association. Mr. Iddings has urged that all bar organizations insist upon passage of such examinations as prerequisite to the taking of the bar examination proper and recommends also that candidates be quizzed on Blackstone's Commentaries. "The source of all law really is the Bible while Shakespeare pointedly brings out the follies of the law," declares Mr. Iddings. Blackstone's Commentaries, he says, should be read by every lawyer at some time during his career, for "it must ever remain the greatest exposition of what the Anglo-Saxon Law really is."

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TRY THIS ON YOUR ROOF, SAYS ALFONS



Alfons Kurtzo hanging by one arm to edge of roof of Hotel McAlpin, New York, twenty-eight stories above the street.

Alfons Kurtzo, a Swiss-American athlete, is the latest addition to the select group of gents who spend their time creating thrills for the public. Kurtzo, who has been a contortionist, aerialist and steeplejack, sees nothing dangerous in hanging by one arm over the side wall of the tallest skyscrapers. All that keeps him from dropping to the street far below is the grip in his hand.

MISS WASHBURN HEADS CHARLOTTE TEACHERS

Miss Marjorie Washburn, principal of the Fourth Ward graded school, was elected president of the Charlotte Teachers' association at the first meeting of members since the opening of the Fall term. Other officers were named as follows: Miss Louise Young, mathematics teacher at the Alexander Graham High School, vice-president; Miss Ellen Bryce, grammar grade teacher in the Dilworth school, secretary; Miss Mattie Sue Wilson, of the South school, treasurer.

UNION ARMY SWINGS INTO ANNUAL PARADE

Indianapolis, Ind., Sept. 28.—Stepping a trifle slower but just as proudly as they did when they won the war in '61, veterans of the union army swung into formation today for their annual parade. This march is the crowning event of the fifty-fifth encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic. Although the parade was not to start until late afternoon, the veterans were up early this morning preparing as for an army inspection. Shoes were shined, short whiskers were removed, and long flowing ones were carefully combed. Those who had rifles and equipment were rubbing off the dust and uniforms were brushed and made neat.

AMERICANS GREATEST TALKERS ON EARTH

Washington, Sept. 28.—The American people are far and away the gabbiest in the world, according to relative use of telephones and increasing their facilities in this regard. Statistics just submitted to the Interstate Commerce Commission, to which the telephone companies must report, show that from July 1, 1920, to July 1, 1921, there was an increase of 562,000 telephones in the United States. The total number is now nearing the ten million point, or one for every eleven persons—men, women and children. Telephone revenues and telephone earnings are increasing.

MANY YOUNG WOMEN DISAPPEAR IN PARIS

Versailles, Sept. 27.—Since January first, 211 young women have completely disappeared from Paris and vicinity. When this fact was published, Henri Desire Laurin, who is awaiting trial here on charges of murder, growing out of the disappearance of 11 women to whom he had procured marriage, delirious himself of the following to one of the murderers. "It's lucky for me that I have been locked up, for nearly three years, otherwise they would accuse me of having done away with the 211 also."

ROLLING STOCKINGS BECOMES EPIDEMIC

New York, Sept. 28.—Evidence that bobbed hair and rolled stockings were reaching the epidemic stage was seen Tuesday with the opening of several more exclusive New York schools for girls. Statisticians estimated that, in one fashionable Brooklyn school, the girls were tied with the shorts and the rolled-downs with the rolled ups. While not daring actually to deck their legs in a Greenwich village, several young teachers were found simulating the fashion of New York's Latin quarter by puffing their hair over the ears and rolling it under all around the head.

CULBREATH GUILTY.

Greenwood, S. C., Sept. 27.—"El" Culbreath, negro, was found guilty of the murder of Deputy Sheriff Edwards in Saluda county last November, by a jury in sessions court at Saluda this morning and was sentenced by Judge Sene to die in the electric chair on November 4th.

If a cloth is placed over a basin of freshly-made starch there will be skin on the top, as is the case when it is left to cool uncovered.

HUSBAND APPEALS TO COURT TO SAVE HIM

Honolulu, Sept. 27.—Honolulu has a husband beater. Husbands elsewhere will be relieved to know that the victim in this case, being too small to defend himself with fists or club, has appealed to the court for redress.

The husband, a Chinese, caused his wife Mrs. Chung Sau, a Hawaiian, to be summoned to court where she exhibited a scar on his forehead and wounds on his back, inflicted, he said, by his wife. He said she had several times threatened to kill him. The wife, who was considerably larger than he, was fined \$5. The court ordered that their five children be taken from the mother's home to a safe place.

THREE KILLED IN BATTLE.

Manila, P. I., Sept. 27.—(By the Associated Press)—A fight between a detachment of the Philippine constabulary and a band of Moros at Parang, Island of Jolo, resulted in the death of a Filipino lieutenant of the constabulary forces and two members of the Moro band, according to advices received here. One Filipino lieutenant of constabulary forces, several enlisted men and one Moro were wounded, said the dispatch.

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PORTO RICANS GO TO HAWAII SUGAR FARMS

Honolulu, Sept. 28.—The advance guard of a new labor supply to offset the present shortage in the Hawaiian Islands has arrived here in the form of 430 men and women from Porto Rico, accompanied by many children.

The laborers were recruited by agents of the Hawaiian Sugar Planters' Association. Their voyage from Porto Rico was reported to have been uneventful except for a slight epidemic of influenza which led to the placing of the laborers in quarantine at Colon, Canal Zone, for several days. They will be distributed among the plantations whose need of labor is most pressing, it was announced. Efforts will be made to induce more of their country men to come here, the Planters' Association said.

150,000 REFUGEES IN PETROGRAD. Riga, Sept. 28.—Approximately 150,000 refugees from the famine districts of Russia now are in Petrograd, says a wireless message received here Tuesday. Work has been found for only 5,000 of these refugees, the wireless adds.

EPIDEMIC ON THE DECLINE. Riga, Sept. 28.—(By the Associated Press)—The latest information concerning the cholera situation in Riga indicates that the epidemic is on the decline.

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