

ROD RIAN

OF THE SKY POLICE

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"WHEW! THAT WAS CLOSE!"

ROD WAITS TILL LORO GAINS SAFETY THEN DASHES FOR THE EMBANKMENT. HE VAULTS IT JUST AS THE BUFFALO THRUSTS WITH HIS WICKED HORNS



"LET'S HURRY BACK TO CAMP BEFORE THOSE CONVERSATIONAL GORILLAS GET AFTER US."



ON THE OTHER SIDE OF THE CLEARING THE TALKING GORILLAS WATCH THEIR PREY ESCAPE.



"COME LET US GET AFTER THEM." FORCED TO TAKE A ROUNDABOUT ROUTE, THE GORILLAS LOSE VALUABLE TIME.



A PIERCING SCREAM BREAKS THE STILLNESS OF THE NIGHT.

"WHAT WAS THAT? IT SOUNDED LIKE A WOMAN IN TERROR!"



"YOU FOUR MEN GO ON TO CAMP. THE BEASTS WILL FOLLOW YOUR TRAIL. I'LL GO OVER AND INVESTIGATE. NOW HURRY!"



ROD SPURTS MADLY THRU THE JUNGLE.



SUDDENLY, ABOVE HIM, IN A TREE, HE SEES THE GORILLA WITH KARIN!



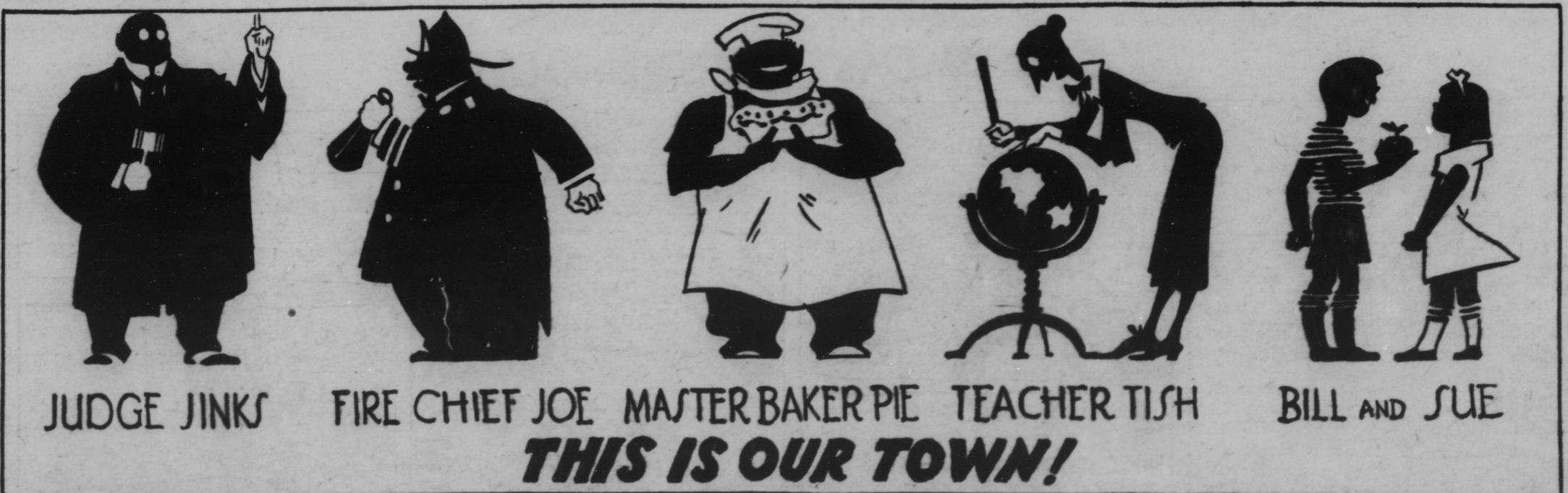
HE HURRIEDLY CLIMBS THE TREE AND FACES



THE GORILLA, WHO RAISES KARIN AS IF TO HURL HER INTO SPACE.

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JUDGE JINKS

FIRE CHIEF JOE

MASTER BAKER PIE

TEACHER TISH

BILL AND SUE

THIS IS OUR TOWN!