French Find Arms In Russian Camp

View of the entrance of the Camp de Beauregard, the Russian repatriation centre near Paris, where it was reported that French police found a hidden cache of arms and ammunition. Lieut. Kononenko, Soviet commander of the camp, is shown watching a woman pet one of the camp's dogs. Note the picture of Stalin above the entrance.

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Contract Bridge

By Josephine Culbertson

MORE ABOUT "RULES"

One of the best arguments against slavish devotion to rules of play is presented by this type of deal.

South, dealer.
Both sides vulnerable.

	♠K96 ♥K7 ♦83 ♣AJ10975	
♠Q85 ♥Q1042 ♦J1097 ♣63	N W E S	♠4 ♥AJ93 ♦K6542 ♣K82
	♠AJ10732 ♥865 ♦AQ ♣Q4	

The bidding:

South	West	North	East
1 ♠	Pass	2 ♣	Pass
2 ♠	Pass	3 ♠	Pass
4 ♠	Pass	Pass	Pass

West might have made matters very uncomfortable for the enemy if he had been lucky enough to open a heart, but, not unnaturally the diamond jack looked much safer to him. East put up the king and South won.

Now, doubtless proceeding on the "rule" that with nine trumps, "percentage" favors an attempt to drop the queen rather than to finesse for that card, declarer led low to the spade king and back to the ace, East of course showed out, and signalled with the nine of hearts. Declarer then took the club finesse. East won the trick and returned a diamond. Declarer was able to control this lead, all right but when he tried for discards on the long club suit, he did not get very far. He got rid of only one heart before West ruffed in with the high tump and quickly shifted to hearts—and there went the contract.

Rule or no rule, South should finesse against West in the trump suit as a safety measure, to guard against his winning the lead for a heart shift that may be fatal. It is not important if East has the spade queen and wins a trick with it; but every consideration of logic dictates that whatever measures can be taken to keep West off lead, should be taken.

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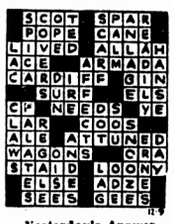


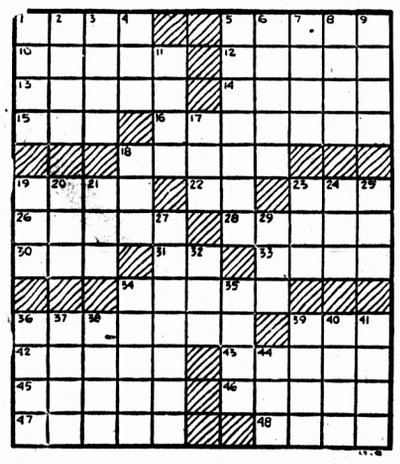
Yesterday's Answer

ACROSS

1. A pilaster (arch.)
5. People of Arabia
10. Touch
12. Environments
13. Division of a long poem
14. Wing-shaped
15. Mineral spring
16. Magicians
18. Lure
19. Material used in pottery
22. Half an em
23. The sun
26. Pointed
28. Beach
30. Affirmative vote
31. Coordinating conjunction
33. Peruvian Indian
34. Vinegar bottle
36. Affected by shame
39. Support
42. Beast of burden (So. Am.)
43. A grave robber
45. Corroded
46. Flood tide
47. Variety of wheat
48. Hammer head

DOWN

1. Portions of curved lines
2. A kind of tide
3. River (Afr.)
4. Division of a play
5. Big, strong women
6. Kind of race
7. Jewish month
8. Feathered creature
9. Speaks
11. American inventor
17. Frozen water
18. Color, as a fabric
19. Island in Gulf of Mex.
20. Falsehood
21. Wine receptacle
23. A male child
24. Grampus
25. Marshy meadow
27. Latent
29. Strike
32. Regret
34. Beast of burden (Afr.)
35. Border
36. Malt beverages
37. Strike with the hand
38. Detest
39. Theater seat
40. River in France
41. Narrow, secluded valley
44. Befall casually



CRYPTOQUOTE—A cryptogram quotation

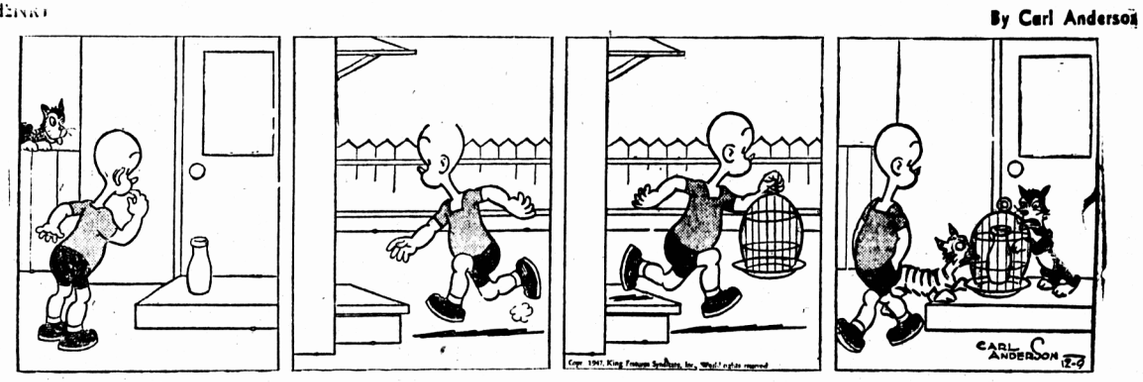
JE JCC NFDSWFQ L OVJCSQSOVFK BS NF DLQB YSIP JP WJPY—DJDFKS.

Yesterday's Cryptoquote: FOR THE LORD GIVES HIS BLESSING EVEN WHERE HE HAS FOUND EMPTY VESSELS —THOMAS KEMPIS.

KING OF THE ROYAL MOUNTED — By Zane Grey

JOE PALOOKA — By Ham Fisher

HENRY — By Carl Anderson



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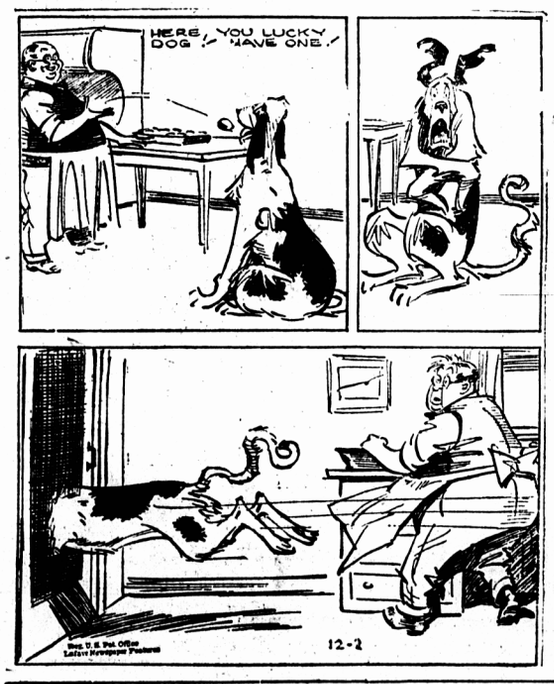

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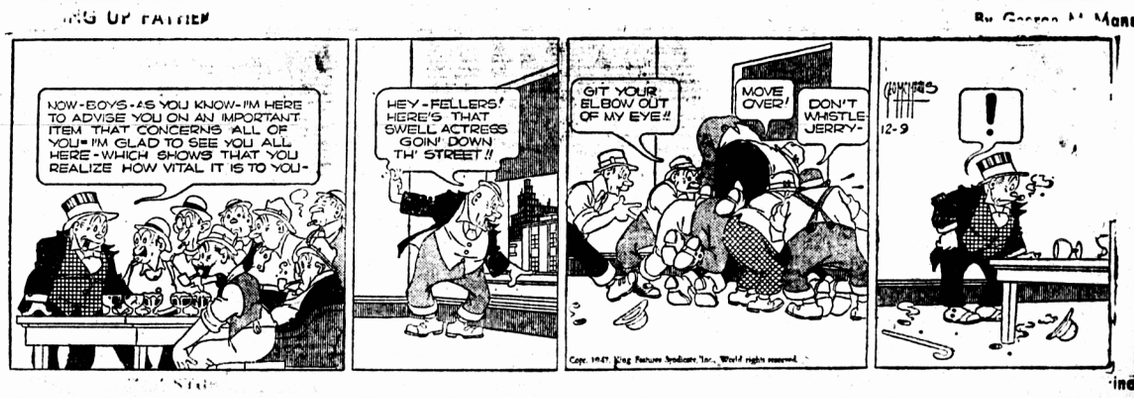

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