

CZECH MATE



In Old Vienna

Millionaire Gives Whopping Party

Venice, Italy, Sept. 4.—(AP)—This historic city of love and assassins saw its biggest blow-out of half a century last night. A Mexican mystery millionaire set the mark with a \$200,000 party at which guests wore everything from lion-skins to shrouds.

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Fewer \$ For Shelter

THE CIVIL Defense Administrator, Mildred F. Caldwell, takes his job seriously. A few days ago he called upon Congress for \$535 million to implement his bomb-shelter program.

by making large appropriations of Federal funds. Obviously, the Congressmen "have something there." Up to now the people have shown themselves about as apathetic toward civil defense as most of them are toward the ballot.

When a young man and young woman sit close together and talk in whispers they are not discussing the Russian crisis.

Envoy At Bay

DR. VLADIMIR PROCHAZKA, new ambassador of the Czechoslovak Communist puppet government, has been in Washington only a few days, but already he "has seen enough" of American newspaper reporters, according to one spokesman at the embassy.

The upshot of this brush with Mr. Oatis' colleagues apparently was a fervid assertion by the ambassador that "we will not yield to pressure." He had been officially informed of the congressional resolution calling for cancellation of trade relations with Czechoslovakia and advised that "tension will continue to mount" if remedial steps are not taken.

known in his native Mexico. His father, Miguel de Bestegui, was ambassador to Spain before the Mexican Revolution began in 1910. The family has vast land holdings in Mexico.

Don Carlos was born in Mexico City, but has spent most of his life in Europe. He had planned to spend \$50,000 for last night's extravaganza, but wound up laying out closer to \$200,000.

Who's Who The invitation list looked like a replica of the Almanach de Gotha—Who's Who in European royalty.

They dropped around—one of the biggest crowds seen for years in this center of heavy unemployment and strong Communism. When de Bestegui gave them a gay wave from his balcony, some cheered but more hissed.

Anti-Polio Drug Now In Sight

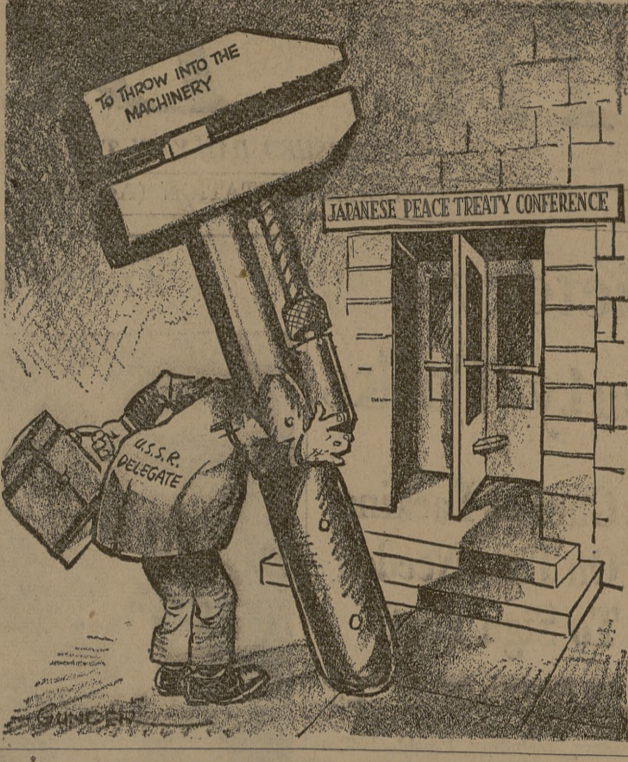
Copenhagen, Denmark, Sept. 4.—(AP)—Promise of a drug to conquer infantile paralysis by preventing the growth of polio virus in nerve cells was announced here yesterday.

The report showed that it is possible to get drugs to penetrate the nerve cells to attack the polio virus. All medicines thus far have failed because the polio virus that causes the disease inside the nerve cells, multiplies and destroys the nerves.

Ag Station Gets Grants-In-Aid

A total of \$11,400 in grants-in-aid has been received recently by the Texas Poultry Improvement Station from four organizations and firms to further its research. A check for \$5,700 came from the Texas Poultry Improvement Association, Stephenville to help finance the station's poultry improvement work for the next year.

HELL HAVE TROUBLE WITH THIS DOOR...WE HOPE



Treaty Signing Is Aim of United States

By J. M. ROBERTS, JR. Associated Press News Analyst American strategy at San Francisco is to keep the meeting what it was originally intended to be, a treaty signing, not a peace conference.

Copper Board Due To Submit Report

Washington, Sept. 4.—(AP)—President Truman's three-man board of inquiry into the copper strike was due to submit its report today.

First American Life Insurance Co. in Texas - - - At Houston Bryan-College Agency JOE DILLARD, Mgr. REPRESENTATIVES L. E. (Skeeter) Winder, '50 John T. Knight Charles H. Sledge, '50 A. H. (Heeter) Winder, '52 306 VARISCO BLDG. PHONE 3-3700

Fully Clothed

Reporter Swims To Escape Attack

Orange, Sept. 4.—(AP)—A reporter for the Orange Leader said he had to swim the Sabine River fully clothed early yesterday to escape after being attacked by a bouncer for a night club which he had criticized for allowing gambling.

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THIS GLASSY GAL WOULD BE WELL DRESSED IF WHAT SHE WEARS WERE CLEANED AND PRESSED AGGIE CLEANERS North Gate College Station

The gambling known as business looks with austere disfavor upon the business known as gambling. —Ambrose Bierce.

Inconsistency

NOTHING more aptly illustrates the inconsistency of the Federal Government relating to inflation than its new policy aimed at encouraging the building of homes, especially small homes. Total home mortgages in 1939 were \$17,600,000,000, according to statistics of the Institute of Life Insurance.

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Pressed regarding the refusal of Czech authorities to let the American Ambassador in Prague even see Oatis, Dr. Prochazka finally took refuge in the criminal defendant's cliché, "I don't know what you are talking about."

A check for \$700 to aid studies in weed control and cotton defoliation was contributed by the Pacific Coast Borax Company, Los Angeles. Of the total, \$300 will go to the Agronomy Department to aid its investigations of weed control under direction of H. E. Rea; \$200 will be used in cotton defoliation studies under direction of W. R. Cowley and C. A. Burlinson at the Weslaco substation.

The U. S. census shows 12 per cent of American males over 18 have completed at least one year of college.

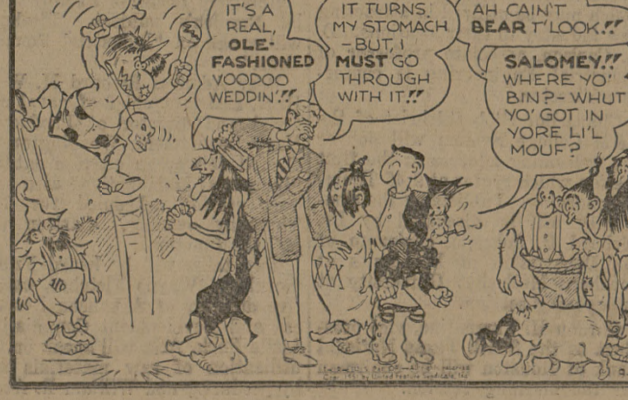
LPL ABNER Love Match



LPL ABNER And the Pig Got Up



LPL ABNER Member of the Wedding



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