

News in a Flash

World Champions home

The World Soccer champions arrive home. The German team (their skipper proudly displaying the premier soccer trophy) receive a great welcome in Munich...on their return from Switzerland.

Almost the "cinderellas" of European football (Germany re-started International matches only a few years ago) - they countered all the magic of the Hungarian wizards to inflict on them - their first defeat for over four years...

Mannequins

In France - Mannequins went to work to show others how to look their best on holiday... These are the new season's fashions; though they still can't decide if bikinis should be worn. ^{BIKINIS} ~~IT SEEMS THAT LOW-CUT EVENING GOWNS~~ ^{OR NOT} ~~THEY~~ ^{CERTAINLY ARE ATTRACTIVE.} ~~REVEAL TOO MUCH THAT ISN'T TANNED.~~ ~~ON THE OTHER HAND - YOU'RE TANNED IF YOU DON'T WEAR A BIKINI...~~

Of course - mannequins do have days off. Then, for a change, they usually lounge around, still in swim-suits. Then it's a case of buoy or ^{OH} boy!!!

Trabert family

At Mannheim, in Germany, the Trabert family of tight ^{ROPE} ~~FAMILY~~ artistes are demonstrating their skill. Brother Alfonse seeks the aid of stilts - ~~HIGH~~ ~~ABOVE THE GROUND~~ to make things even more difficult.

~~ANOTHER MEMBER OF THE FAMILY~~ just flirts with death - doing a head-stand on a pole - 230 feet above the ground. And it seems that ~~XXXX~~ Father Trabert has too much sway with his head-strong family....

Tractor

There's something new buzzing around the old homestead. A generator that can be carried on any type of tractor - converting it into a mobile source of electric power... The farmer just fits on the tool - and saws up the winter firewood..

A veritable jack-of-all-trades, the gadget can spray the fence, dis-infect the crops - and even cut the garden ~~.....~~ HEDGE.

And to the delight of every farm labourer - it will make a summer holiday out of the back-breaking task of hay-making...