

DANCE

CHARLOTTETOWN TENNIS CLUB
at
HOLY NAME HALL
FRIDAY, FEB. 3rd.
Music by
The Downtowners Orchestra
Dancing—: 9:30 to 12:30 Admission—50c

DAILY CROSSWORD

ACROSS

- Heap
- Appendage
- Furnish food
- Loafs
- Metallic rocks
- Deep gorge
- Weapons
- Man's name
- Tellurium (sym.)
- Looked at hurriedly
- Representation in marble, etc.
- Transgress
- Thrice (mus.)
- Paradise
- Centr.
- Large fern
- At home
- Measure (Chin.)
- Blind
- Search for
- Privilege granted by ecclesiastical authority
- Poker stake
- Garment
- Of greater age
- Observes
- Simpleton

DOWN

- Brightly-colored bird
- Article
- Minus
- Norse god of war
- Coronet
- Proceeded
- Turkistan
- Meager
- Outer garments
- Plant
- Oculus
- Vex
- Firearm
- Dial of a compass
- On the ocean
- A medical solution, usually in alcohol
- Metal
- Prince of apostate angels (Arab. rel.)
- Imbibes
- Encounter (sym.)
- Horizontal top-piece of doorway
- Come in
- Scottish dress
- Circle light
- Untie
- Perish
- From

Yesterday's Answer

36. Circle light
37. Untie
39. Perish
42. From

DAILY CRYPTOQUOTE—Here's how to work it:

A X Y D L B A A K R
is
L O N G F E L L O W

One letter empty stands for another. In this example A is used for the three L's, X for the two O's, etc. Single letters, apostrophies, the length and formation of the words are all hints. Each day the code letters are different.

A Cryptogram Quotation

R B U Y C C P U Y U N - I K R H P H K X Z B R P C
*** I P K S Z P K C X Z B K H - V I B Q U H P Z P H**
S P R Y K U P R S U Y V I O K R - C P R R N V B R

Yesterday's Cryptogram: **EACH MAN SHALL BEAR HIS OWN SIN WITHOUT DOUBT—MORRIS.**

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QUICKIES

by Ken Reynolds



"Everybody gets mail but you — everybody uses Guardian Want Ads but you!"

LIL ABNER



RIF KIRBY



BURGESS BEDTIME STORIES

(By Thornton W. Burgess)

DANGEROUSLY SAFE

How safe is safe? That will depend on circumstances that attend. —Old Mother Nature.

No more disappointed hunter ever missed a dinner than Terror the Goshawk, often called Partridge Hawk because of his fondness for Grouse dinners. Ruffed Grouse are called Partridge by many mistaken folks. He is one of the big Hawks, one of the most feared of all the feathered hunters, for he is swift, strong and fierce. His home is in the northern forest and there he likes to live the year through. But when food is scarce he moves down until he finds a place where there is good hunting and there he spends the winter.



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This year food was scarce around his home and he had moved south by degrees until he had reached the Green Forest where Thunderer the Grouse and Mrs. Grouse lived. It was several years since he had been there and they had almost forgotten there was such a person. This day they had gone over to the Old Pasture for some berries still clinging to vines and bushes there, and did not know that Terror had arrived. Failing to find one to catch in the Green Forest he had gone over to the Old Pasture and surprised Mr. and Mrs. Grouse. They had taken to their stout wings and headed for the Green

Forest. Terror had seen them and shot after them. That was a chase to see. Reddy Fox saw it. He held his breath as he watched. Terror was so close behind that to Reddy it looked as if at least one of those Grouse had no chance at all.

And then, going at full speed, both plunged into the deep snow on the ground throwing some of it up right in Terror's face. He was so close to Mrs. Grouse that he could almost touch one of her tail feathers as she dove into the snow. She plunged none too soon. In a minute more his cruel, great claws, called talons, would have clutched her. It was that he called a close call, a very close call.

Contract Bridge

By Josephine Culbertson

GOOD AND BAD

North-South's hands well in the follow-up, but the declarer's play in the contract was extremely shortsighted.

South dealer—North-South vulnerable.

♠ K 8 5	♠ 7 4 3
♥ J 3	♥ A K 6
♦ A K 6	♦ 8 6 5 3 2
♣ K Q 10	♣ 7 4 3
9 4 2	♣ 8 6 5
J 7 2	♣ 9 7 4
K J 10	♣ A Q J 10 6 7
	♣ A 7
	♣ Q 8 4
	♣ A Q

The bidding:

1♠	2♥	2♠	Pass
3♥	Pass	4♠	Pass
6♣	Pass	Pass	Pass

After getting a free raise, South was of course justified in cue-bidding the opponents' suit, and North then acted shrewdly in showing his diamond control. This latter bid was of great value to South, who then could afford to leap straight to the slam.

The opening lead was the heart king. South won, quickly drew trumps, then entered dummy with a diamond and took the club finesse. West captured the queen — as he figured to do, considering his two-level overcall! — and cashed the heart queen, defeating the contract.

South apparently paid no attention to a card in dummy which virtually guaranteed the slam! The reference, of course, is to the heart jack. The club finesse was less than a 50 per cent chance, because of West's bid, and even if West had not bid but had merely opened the heart king, signifying possession of the queen as well, the logical line of play was to draw only two rounds of trumps, then to cash three rounds of diamonds, thereby eliminating that suit from the North and South hands. Then, what could be simpler than to throw West in with a heart, forcing him to return a club up to the major tenace — unless he preferred to give South a ruff and discard by returning a red suit.

After a while Terror gave up and flew over to the Green Forest to look for Jumper the Hare. Thunderer and Mrs. Grouse continued to squat there under the snow for a long time. They had gone into the snow so near together that each knew just where the other was. Long after the great Hawk had left they worked through the snow toward each other until they were together. This was an old trick learned long ago.

"Anyway we are safe," said Thunderer as they squatted side by side.

"Yes, but how safe?" replied Mrs. Grouse.

"What do you mean?" Thunderer wanted to know.

"We are safe as long as we sit here without moving. We can't be seen, but we can't see. When we decide to leave we won't know it if it is safe to. An enemy can be right at hand waiting for us and we not know it. We are safe now, but I call it being dangerously safe."

CORBY, Northamptonshire, England — (CP) — Frank Jefferson, who won the Victoria Cross at Cassino in 1944, missed the comradeship of his army days. He has just joined the Territorials.

— Al Capp

KING OF THE ROYAL MOUNTED

by Zane Grey



JOE PALOOKA

by Ham Fish



HENRY

by Carl Anderson



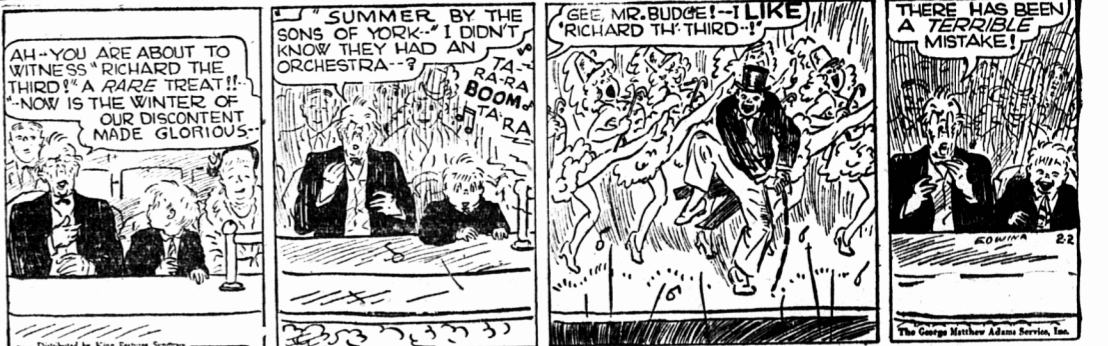
DOTTY DIPPLE

by Buford



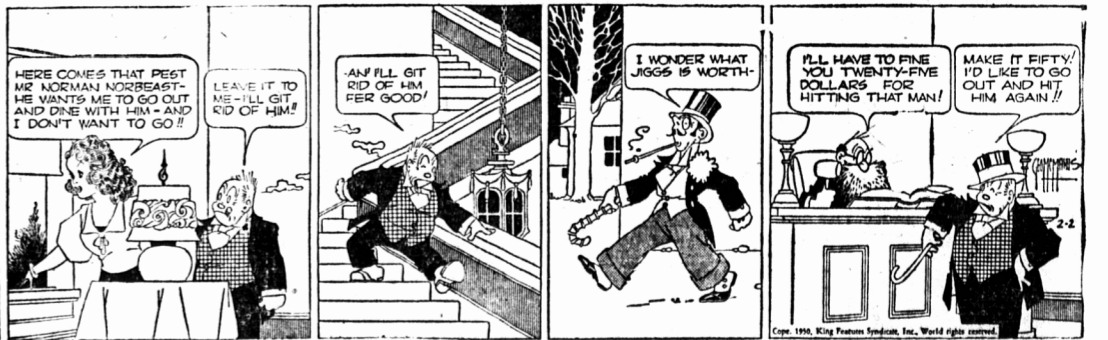
TIPPY AND "CAP" STUBS

by Edwina



BRINGING UP FATHER

by George McManus



TILLIE THE TOILER

by Westover



PENNY

By Harry Hoogen

