

BURGESS BEAVER STORIES

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YOWLER HAS A LOOK

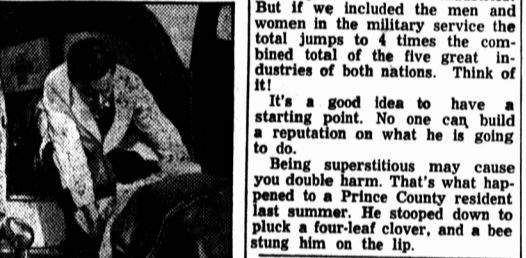
Another's trouble, it is plain, Will often prove a neighbor's gain. —Old Mother Nature.



Yowler had had a hard winter. All the hunting folk of the Green Forest had had a hard winter. Deep snow and much ice always mean hard times for those who must hunt in order to live. Winter

Strange But True

Believe it or not, when Peter the Great visited Copenhagen in the summer of 1716, he rode his horse to the top of the Round Tower, 117 feet above the ground, using the spiral caseway.



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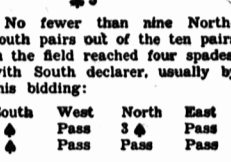
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Contract Bridge

By Josephine Culbertson
NEGLECTED SAFETY PLAY
Proof that safety plays are overlooked even by good players was supplied by the following hand in a match-point duplicate game.



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

Every West led the club queen, and the suit was continued whether or not the king was played from dummy. Each declarer ruffed, drew trumps—and then eight of the nine tried for the diamond finesse. The loss of that finesse meant the loss of the contract. True, there was still a chance for the hand—the diamond suit might have broken 3-3, so that South's fourth diamond would have provided a heart discard from dummy, but this unlikely break did not materialize, and these declarers received only

DESTROYERS ON TOUR

VALETTA, Malta (Reuters)—The Canadian destroyers Huron and Iroquois sailed Saturday on the next to last leg of a lengthy voyage from far eastern waters. They made courtesy calls at ports in Ceylon, India and Pakistan before their passage through the Suez canal into the Mediterranean.

MORE FISH

MAIDSTONE, England (CP)—Anglers have restocked the historic Medway river in this Kent district with £70 worth of tench, pike, bream, rudd and perch.

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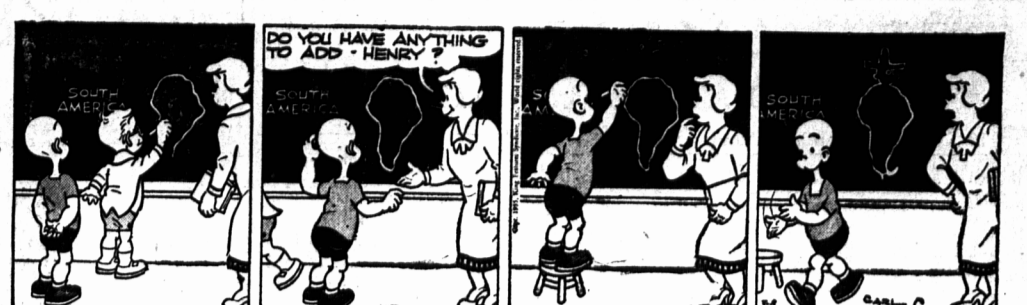
DAILY CROSSWORD

ACROSS
1. Vaulted roofs
4. Aim (Scot.)
11. Conscious
12. One of the Great Lakes
13. To take out (print.)
15. Shades of a primary color
16. Poem
17. Girl's nickname
19. One of the passages for blood
20. Feminine pronoun
22. Clowns
26. Twofold
27. Manacles
28. Flowerless plants
29. Man's nickname
30. Affirm
31. Capuchin monkey
32. Chills and fever
33. Company of 8 singers
35. Simpleton
38. Ready
40. Perish from hunger
42. Sultan's secret
44. Island in New York bay
45. Grew white
46. Bamboo-like grasses
DOWN
1. Lower part of interior wall
2. Was obligated
3. Masculine
4. Before
5. Couches
6. What? (Rev.)
7. Revolve
8. Cherish
9. Danish weight
10. Half ood
14. Goddess of discord (Gr.)
18. At home
19. Any climbing plant
21. Suspend
22. Other-wise
23. Moves with energy
24. Range
25. Fanatical
26. Omit (print.)
28. Wave
30. Growls
32. Close to
34. Give over
36. Voided (anat.)
37. Wide horizontal band across escutcheon
38. Slope
39. Openings (anat.)
41. Malt beverage
42. Man's nickname

DAILY CRYPTOQUOTE—Here's how to work it:
A X Y D L B A A X E
L O N G F E L L O W
One letter simply stands for another. In this example A is used for the three L's, X for the two O's, etc. Single letters, apostrophes, the length and formation of the words are all hints. Each day the code letters are different.
A Cryptogram Quotation
E N B U Q G P X M P D M W G B U D K P M E .
W S K . X U Q J Z P V G P X M P B U D M P X J
Q X U D F W N R P B U D Q S F F - A W U .
D M P L P .
Yesterday's Cryptogram: TO LOOK BACK TO ANTIQUITY IS ONE THING; TO GO BACK TO IT IS ANOTHER—COLTON.

3½ match-points each on the board.
Only one South felt that it was worthwhile to try to insure the contract, even at the possible cost of an overtrick (which was improbable in any case). This declarer, after drawing trumps, laid down the ace and king of diamonds, intending to cross to dummy (if the diamond queen hadn't dropped) and lead the third diamond toward the J-5. Then, if East had the queen, the diamond jack would provide for a heart discard from dummy. Obviously, this South was well rewarded by the fall of the queen—and by getting a top on the board. The fact that diamonds didn't break was relatively inconsequential—he could afford to give up two hearts since he had avoided the diamond loser.

Henry
Grandma
Mickey Mouse
Bringing Up Father
Mugs and Skelter
Etta Kett
Tilly The Toiler
Patooko
By Mel Gruff



By Carl Anderson
By Charles Kuhn
By Walt Disney
By George McManus
By Wally Bishop
By Paul Robinson
By Bob Gustafson
By Ham Fisher
By Fran Striker