

BEDTIME STORIES

Happy Jack Escapes

By Thornton W. Burgess

The truth is always very plain; Where there is loss is also gain. (Old Mother Nature)

This is almost always true. It is only once in a very long time when everybody loses. So it is that in the Green Forest and on the Green Meadows, when those who are hunted by others lose their lives, the hunters save their own lives. It is the law of Old Mother Nature that there shall be both hunted and hunters. For in that way, and in that way only, can what is called the balance of nature be maintained. If there should be too many Mice and Rats they might in time destroy all the food of others. So it is that Hawks and Owls and Foxes and others have been provided to live on Rats and Mice and other smaller folk to keep them in check. Happy Jack Squirrel was hungry. He was searching among the leaves on the ground for some hickory nuts or acorns that he had buried all winter. Now in the spring when other food was scarce because it had not yet had time to grow, those hidden nuts and acorns were all that kept Happy Jack from starving.

Happy Jack was having to really hunt. You see he had already eaten most of the nuts and acorns he had hidden in that part of the Green Forest. Farmer Brown's boy... The Old Hermit was watching him. "He is getting careless," said the Old Hermit. "It is so easy to catch him around here that he is getting careless."



He came a few steps nearer and sat up. "He probably thinks that because he is living so near you, he doesn't need to watch out as he would otherwise," said Farmer Brown's boy.

"Then he is making a grave mistake," said the Old Hermit. "Yes, sir, he's making a grave mistake. No one should ever feel so safe that they are careless. The greatest danger often comes at the very time it is least expected." It was a bright day. The sun was shining and it was fairly warm. Happy Jack came running over almost to where Farmer Brown's boy and the Old Hermit were sitting. He came a few steps nearer and sat up. He was begging. He wasn't in the least afraid. The fact is he was almost a pet, for the Old Hermit had been feeding him all winter. Now the Old Hermit took a nut from his pocket and held it out to Happy Jack. The latter took it from his fingers and

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Club Addressed By Naval Officer

A capacity audience at the United Services Officers Club on Saturday evening heard an interesting talk by Rear-Admiral Roger E. S. Bidwell, C. B., C. E., C. D., on the Canadian Naval Contingent to the coronation of Queen Elizabeth II of which he was Flag Officer. A film "Sailors of the Queen" was also shown by the Admiral.

The evening opened with Major Earl Kennedy in the chair, a duty he later turned over to Commander J. N. Kenny. The guest speaker was thanked by Brigadier G. G. K. Peake, DSO, ED, Officer commanding 2 Militia Group. The evening closed with an enjoyable refreshment period. After morning services at St. James Church to which the Admiral accompanied Lieutenant Governor Prosser, he was the guest of Mr. Kenny at H. M. C. S. Queen Charlotte. Admiral Bidwell returned to Halifax by R. C. A. F. transport yesterday afternoon.

EASILY SHIFTED

A conveyor belt system moves cars to an underground garage being built at Stockholm, Sweden. "Their mistake," replied the Old Hermit.

CONTRACT BRIDGE By Josephine Culbertson

RUFFING CAN WAIT As a general rule, the ruffing of losers can wait, but the establishment of a side suit can't. South learned the truth of this statement in the following deal.

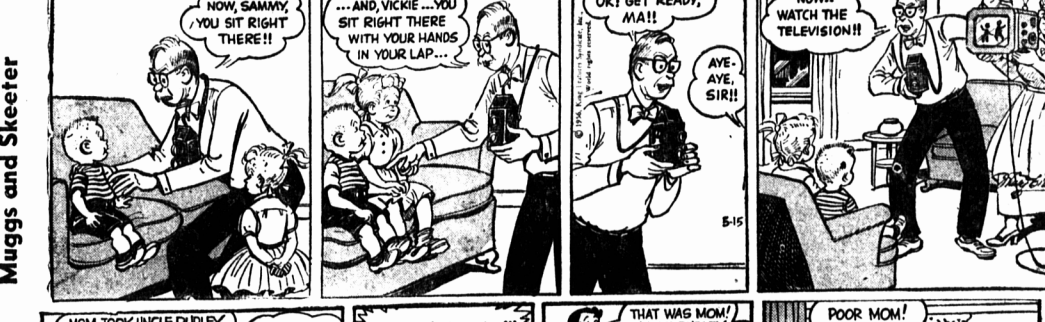
South dealer. Neither side vulnerable. East-West 30 on score. Hand: ♠ 7 6 2, ♥ K Q 10 9 8 5 4 3, ♦ K Q J 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2, ♣ A K 9 5 4. Bidding: South 1♣, West 1♠, North 2♣, East 2♥, South 2♠, West 3♠, North 3♣, East 3♥, South 4♠, West 4♥, North 4♣, East 4♥, South 5♠, West 5♥, North 5♣, East 5♥, South 6♠, West 6♥, North 6♣, East 6♥, South 7♠, West 7♥, North 7♣, East 7♥.

The bidding: South 1♣, West 1♠, North 2♣, East 2♥, South 2♠, West 3♠, North 3♣, East 3♥, South 4♠, West 4♥, North 4♣, East 4♥, South 5♠, West 5♥, North 5♣, East 5♥, South 6♠, West 6♥, North 6♣, East 6♥, South 7♠, West 7♥, North 7♣, East 7♥.

North did considerable bidding on his far from robust hand, but he was stimulated to some degree by the opposing partnership. In any case, with West opening a heart instead of a club, South should have been reasonably happy in his four-spade contract, even though West's double indicated possible trouble. South took the first trick with

CHILDREN DO IT HEXHAM, England (Reuters)— Newly-elected beauty queen Evelyn Best, 25, Friday revealed the secret of her success—six children. The shapely brunette who beat out 18 single girls for the crown said "my babies have done it for me. Children keep you young and slim. I never diet and spend only two shillings a week on makeup."

Believe It or Not! WILLIAM REYNOLDS of Glendale, Calif. WAS BORN ON MARCH 5, 1930 (WEDNESDAY) HIS WIFE WAS BORN ON APRIL 16, 1925 (TUESDAY) HIS ONLY DAUGHTER WAS BORN ON JULY 23, 1951 (MONDAY) HIS ONLY SON WAS BORN ON NOV. 5, 1954 (FRIDAY) HIS OLDEST SISTER WAS BORN ON SEPT. 3, 1925 (THURSDAY) HIS YOUNGEST SISTER WAS BORN ON APRIL 23, 1932 (SATURDAY) AND HE WAS MARRIED ON MAY 4, 1950 (SUNDAY) -YET THIS YEAR THE ANNIVERSARIES OF ALL THOSE EVENTS FALL ON THE SAME DAY - MONDAY



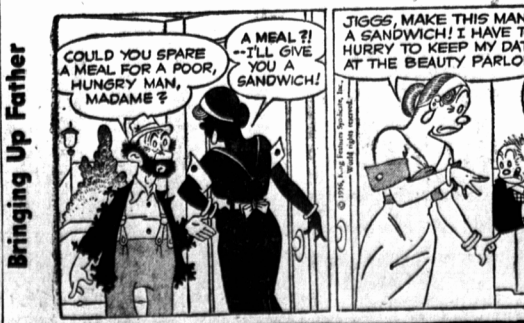
DAILY CROSSWORD

- 1. Across (So Am.) 2. Insect 3. Public vehicle 4. Shelf in a trunk 5. Species of pier (arch.) 6. One of the filament from the head 7. Monkey (So Am.) 8. One of the bears (Astron.) 9. Inciters 10. Gold (Her.) 11. Plural pronoun 12. Carousal 13. Insect 14. A wing 15. Room in a harem 16. Pig pen 17. Inside 18. Jowls (abbr.) 19. Conjunction 20. Flowers 21. Infant 22. Takes supper 23. Intellect 24. Location 25. Rodent (So Am.) 26. Back of the foot 27. Timid 28. Blunder DOWN 1. Harangue 2. State-house

DAILY CRYPTOQUOTE

Here's how to work it: 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, apostrophies, the length and formation of the words are all hints. Each day the code letters are different. A Cryptogram Quotation: W I P U I A J A K F U N W Q Z A B I X Q Y I R ' Y I V I A A I Y X R P I Y A Q W K Q D I - F K V W K B I. Yesterday's Cryptquote: ABSTRUSEST MATTER. REASONINGS OF THE MIND TURNED INWARD - WORDS-WORTH.

Our Boarding House Major Hoople Out Our Way By J. R. Williams



Grandma Mickey Mouse Henry Muggs and Skeeter Tilly The Toiler Etra Ket Joe Falooka The Lone Ranger Secret Agent X9 POGO

