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 - 11:10 p.m.—CKCW TV News
 - 11:30 p.m.—The Steel Trap

BEDTIME STORIES

Just A Little Grain Of Corn

On little things that you may spurn, Events of great import may turn.—Old Mother Nature.

Sitting in a tree Blacky the Crow stared down at an old stump in the Green Forest. Everything about was white with snow excepting that old stump. The snow had melted from the top of it or perhaps it had been blown away. Lying on the top of that old stump was something long and white. It was a bare corn cob. How did a corn cob happen to be over there in the Green Forest? It couldn't have gotten there in any other way. The more Blacky thought about it the more he wondered, and the harder he tried to think who might have brought that corn cob over there from the Old Orchard.



"Go away," he scolded. "Go away, you black nuisance."

When that morning Blacky had found no breakfast waiting for him under a certain apple tree in the Old Orchard where for a number of mornings he had always found and ear of corn, he thought Farmer Brown's boy had forgotten him or else had purposely failed to put out the corn. Now he wasn't so sure of this. Farmer Brown's boy wouldn't have brought that corn cob over here. Someone else must have done it, but who?

All sharp eyes nose sharper than those of Blacky the Crow. He has those of sharp eyes especially in winter. It takes the sharpest of sharp eyes to find food when and where there is so little. The eyes of Blacky do not miss

much. Now as he looked around he saw a tiny spot of yellow on the white snow at the foot of a tree. For the moment he forgot the puzzle of that bare corn cob. He spread his wings and glided down beside that tiny spot of yellow. It was a grain of corn. Yes sir, that is what it was, a grain of corn.

It was a very small thing, that grain of corn. But as Blacky stared down at it he knew what had become of his breakfast that morning. He knew why he had had that bare corn cob happened to be on that stump over here in the Green Forest. All that had puzzled him so was made perfectly clear by that little grain of corn.

"So it was that red-coated little thief who stole my breakfast!" cried Blacky. "I might have known it. He has plenty to eat and doesn't even have to hunt for it, yet he steals my breakfast. If I could just catch him I would teach him a lesson he would never forget."

All the time he was muttering these things he was looking up at a small hole half-way up the trunk of that tree. He knew who lived in there. It was Chatterer the Red Squirrel. He guessed just what had happened. He guessed that either by chance or by spying Chatterer had found out about that corn in the apple tree. With his sharp teeth he had been able to get the ear free and had carried it over into the Green Forest. There he had eaten all the corn left on it, or else had stored it away, all but that one little grain.

"Caw! Caw! Caw!" shrieked Blacky. What he really was saying was, "Thief! Thief! Thief!"

Chatterer poked his head out of his den and looked down at Blacky. Then he began to scold Blacky. "Go away," he scolded. "Go away, you black nuisance."

"Thief! Thief! Thief!" cawed Blacky.

"Thief yourself!" retorted Chatterer.

It was a most unpleasant quarrel over there in the Green Forest.

FAO CHIEF VISITS
OTTAWA (CP)—B. Sen, the new chief of the UN Food and Agriculture Organization, will confer with Canadian authorities in a five-day visit here starting Thursday night.

CONTRACT BRIDGE

By B. JAV BECKER

South dealer.
North-South vulnerable.

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

The bidding:
South West North East
1♥ Pass 2♥ Pass
2NT Pass 4♥

Opening lead—jack of spades.
South took the spade lead with the ace, trumped a spade in dummy, led a heart to his ace, and trumped another spade. A heart to the king revealed that East had started with four trumps. Declarer cashed the queen of hearts and then began to run dum-

my's high diamonds. East trumped the third diamond lead and declared lost three club tricks to go down one.

South's line of play, it must be granted, would succeed in most deals because it is more useful for the outstanding trumps to break 3-2 than 4-1. However, his method of play is incorrect because it does not make proper allowance for the possibility of a bad trump break.

The correct approach to the play, since the contract will easily make whenever the trumps divide 3-2, is to proceed on the basis that the outstanding hearts are about to break badly, and to take the necessary precautions to cover such a contingency.

This can be done after ruffing a spade in dummy by leading a heart and when East plays low finessing the eight of hearts. There is of course no serious expectation that the finesse will succeed but the effect of the contract whether trumps break 3-2 or 4-1. In the actual hand West wins the eight with the ten but can make no return which will jeopardize the four heart contract. If West were the defender who had the four trumps. At this point declarer is assured of making ten tricks and will in fact, make eleven if West returns anything but a diamond.

The only objection that might be lodged against the line of play suggested is that thirty points (a trick) will be lost if it turns out the trumps were dealt 3-2 and that the safety measures were unnecessary. This is true enough, as far as it goes, but the thirty point premium that is being paid to protect a vulnerable game is a mighty what can be gained.

Freshens Your Mouth
Sweetens Your Breath
Get some today.

WRIGLEYS SPEARMINT CHEWING GUM

Boost Housing Loans Interest Rates To Attract More Funds

OTTAWA (CP)—The interest rate ceiling on National Housing Act mortgages is being boosted in a government move to attract more funds for house buildings in a competitive money market.

Works Minister Winters informed the Commons Monday that, effective today, the maximum rate will rise to six per cent from 5½ per cent on NHA mortgages insured by the crown-owned Central Mortgage and Housing Corporation.

The same increase of one-half of one per cent would apply to all other types of NHA loans.

The increase, he said, "is designed to place would-be borrowers under the act in a better position to compete for a fair share of available mortgage funds in the year ahead."

The minister's announcement follows complaints by many house builders that they have been unable to get adequate mortgage funds in the face of federal credit restrictions and rising interest rates. Charges for non-insured conventional housing loans have risen to 6½ and seven per cent.

The NHA rate increase would mean possibly another \$4 a month in interest charges on a \$10,000 mortgage. It will not apply on existing NHA loans but only on mortgage applications insured by the CMHC in the future.

Mr. Winters said an "exceedingly great demand" for loan money, especially in the latter part of 1956, forced up interest rates. Despite a fall-off in the flow of mortgage money in the last three months there were a record 135,000 housing completions last year, 125,000 houses were started and 70,000 were un-

der construction at the year's end.

"I anticipate that banks and other lending institutions now will be encouraged to make more loans under the act... this step is designed to ensure that there will be a high level of house-building activity through 1957."

Late last month Trade Minister Howe predicted a sharp drop in house building this year, due in part to credit restrictions and a smaller demand for new homes.

In November, the number of mortgages insured by CMHC dropped to 1,015 from 4,769 in November, 1955.

Most NHA mortgages come from banks, insurance and trust companies. Banks can make housing loans only under the NHA and many banks have announced they have used up most of their available funds in other fields.

The increase is the second within a year. The maximum rate under the federal act was raised to 5½ per cent from 5¼ last March.

Church Installs Robot Guide

SOUTHAMPTON, Eng. (CP)—People who visit St. Mary's Church in this south coast port may pick up a telephone, dial a number, and listen to the talk of their choice.

If they dial "0" they will hear a three-minute sermon given by the rector, Rev. Harold Williams. By dialling "1" they will hear the voice of a laborer telling what membership in the Anglican Church means to him.

The telephone, situated on a table near the main entrance, is connected to a tape recorder. The talks are changed week by week and new subjects are to be added to the list, set out on a card near the phone. By dialling other numbers, visitors may hear about the history of the church, its ornaments, or the church organ.

The rector, who worked out the idea for the "tele-preacher" himself, says:

"We resolved to use every possible means to make contact with people from all walks of life in the town. The idea is to give the many people who visit our church a quick talk."

St. Mary's, Southampton's mother church, was bombed during the Second World War and rebuilt last summer.

Will Enlarge Browning Chapel

LONDON (CP)—The Browning Chapel, which commemorates the runaway marriage of the 19th-century poets Robert Browning and Elizabeth Barrett, in St. Marylebone parish church in London, is to be doubled in size and redecorated.

Renovations to the chapel, established in the church eight years ago, will provide seating accommodation for about 50 persons. The scheme will cost about £1,500.

The church marriage register shows that Browning and Elizabeth Barrett were married there Sept. 12, 1846.

DAILY CROSSWORD

- ACROSS**
- Children
 - Have this
 - At a distance
 - Large artery of heart
 - Wide-mouthed jar
 - Nimrod
 - Perform
 - Chances
 - English author
 - Malt beverage
 - Set free from guilt
 - Straightens
 - Man's nickname
 - Upward curving of a ship's plank
 - Stitchbird
 - Land measure
 - Fashioned
 - Native of outer space
 - Cyclades Island
 - Greek mountain
 - Microphone (shortened)
 - Animal (comb. form)
 - Landed properties
 - Age
 - Tanker
 - "Snick and

- DOWN**
- Behold!
 - Warm wine and egg
 - Drink
 - Forms of verse (Pl.)
 - Food leavings
 - Shoshonean
 - Indian
 - Equal
 - Fish
 - Plant
 - Toward
 - Radium (sym.)
 - March
 - Court term
 - White frost
 - Digits

Yesterday's Answer

- River (Fr.)
- Toward
- Man
- Weep
- Sesame
- Compass point (abbr.)

DAILY CRYPTOQUOTE — Here's how to work it

AXYDLBAAXE is LONGFELLOW

One letter simply stands for another. In this sample 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

S WOXVVR MNNV EU S FOXSV
FEMV NM GSVIOX-FNXVEX.

Yesterday's Cryptogram: HE THOUGHT AS A SAGE, THOUGH HE FELT AS A MAN — JAMES BEATTIE.

OUR BOARDING HOUSE MAJOR HOOPLE OUT OUR WAY BY J. R. WILLIAMS

HELP TWIGGS! IT'S PULLING OUT OF THE CEILING! MY OTHER KNEES ARE TRYING TO BREAK STRAIN! DO SOMETHING, MAN! DON'T STAND THERE LIKE A MAN POSING FOR A PORTRAIT! QUICK! IT'S!

I DIDN'T BRING THE LIFE NET TO THE FIRE, MAJOR! TRY TO BREAK YOUR FALL WITH YOUR HANDS! IF YOU DON'T, ALL I CAN DO IS CALL THE CARPENTERS AND PLASTERERS!

RIGHT THAR IS WHY WE FIT THE BATTLE OF TURTLE CRICK WITH GREEN APPLES JUST SIX YEAR AGO!

YESSIR, AN I WAS WOUNDED IN MY RETREAT FROM T' ORCHARD! THIS HIG BILLY BOYS WAS CRACK SHOTS!

AH, MEMORIES! WE'RE OLD MEN AT FORTY-SEVEN IN THESE DAYS OF SPEED AND PROGRESS!

THE SILENT VOICES AGE

GRANDMA

YEAH, GRANDMA, US KIDS MIGHT MOVE OUR SHACK JUST ACROSS TH' FENCE FROM YOUR KITCHEN!

OH, I THOUGHT YOU BOYS LIKED BEING UP IN TH' NEXT BLOCK WHERE YOU ARE!

WE DO, GRANDMA, BUT WE THOUGHT WE SHOULD BE IN SNIFFIN' RANGE...

...SO WE'LL KNOW WHEN YOU'RE BAKIN' COOKIES AN' GINGERBREAD!

MICKY MOUSE

THERE'S SOME NICE WASH FOR YOU, PLUTO! I'M GOING TO HAVE A STEAK!

GOSH—I FORGOT! I ATE THE STEAK! AND THE STORES ARE CLOSED!

HOLD IT!

WHERE'S YOUR SENSE OF LOYALTY?

GRRR!

HENRY

BANK

TOYS

MUGGS & SKETER

I'LL SEE YOU LATER, BILLY. I CAN'T MAKE IT RIGHT NOW!

WHY NOT?

I'VE GOT A LITTLE HOBBY TO DO FIRST!

HOBBY? THE TEACHER DIDN'T GIVE US ANY!

I KNOW, BUT I'VE GOT JUST THE SAME...

GRANDMA PICKED ME TO HELP HER WITH THE DISHES TONIGHT!

TILLY THE TOILER

YOU'RE GOING TO GIVE MR. SHIMPINS WHAT WHEN HE STEPS OUT OF HIS OFFICE?

A BISH KISS FOR LEAVING THIS BONUS CHECK ON MY DESK!

WELL, WELL, WELL!

UNLUCKER, ROMEO-TILLIE TOOK A COFFEE BREAK!

ETTA KETT

HI, ETTA! HOW'S YOUR NEW STEADY?

HE'S OKAY! I MEAN—I GUESS!

IT'S MY FOLKS! THEY'VE GOT ME WORRIED!

NO KIDDING! DON'T THEY GO FOR HIM?

THAT'S THE GIMMICK! WE'VE BEEN DATING ALMOST A MONTH!

—AND THEY HAVEN'T FOUND ANY FAULT WITH HIM YET!

JOE PALOOKA

HONKY WALSH AIN'T IN SHAPE! MANAGE TH' MIDDLEWEIGHT CHAMP AN' THERE AIN'T TH' SLIGHTEST DOUBT THAT STEVE WILL GET T'BE TH' NEXT LIGHTHEAVY CHAMP!

RIGHT? STEVE'S STILL GROWING... HE'S AN AGGRESSIVE, AMBITIOUS GUY... HE'LL BE A HEAVYWEIGHT CHAMPION, TOO!

EXACTLY! WHEN STEVE MEETS HIS BROTHER JOE FOR TH' HEAVYWEIGHT TITLE WE'LL GET OUR INVESTMENT BACK—PLUS PLENTY!

COUNT ME IN! I'LL PICK UP A FORTUNE ON ENDORSEMENTS AND OTHER STUFF WHEN STEVE TAKES TH' CROWN FROM JOE!

WE'VE POOLED A QUANTER OF A MILLION DOLLARS! IT'S ALL UP TO YOU NOW, DAN! WE CAN GET THE COMMISSION'S CHAN!

LEAVE IT TO ME—STEVE'S AS GOOD AS GONE!

SECRET AGENT X-9

PUT WHEELS ON DE PLANE AN' DESTROY D'KIK! DEN COVER AN' TRUCKS IN D'SNOW!

GOTCHA, ISGY! WE'LL DISMANTLE THE ENGINE AND MAKE IT LOOK LIKE THE PLANE WASN' BLOWN FOR WEEKS!

Then, indifferent to the 'accidents' he thinks he has arranged, Igoums motors to the city—

ANY? D'COUNTRYSIDE IS BEAUTIFUL! UNDMN IT'S A MANTLE OF SNOW!

JACK POWST, D'WORLD'S GREATEST TATER + DIMP HIS BUNSEN IN SNOWFLAKES AN' PAINTS A LOVELY WINTER! —OH, DAT'S CLEVIN!

THE CAR IS HEATED, GORRIBAN! WE'LL HAVE HER TO THE HOSPITAL IN FIFTEEN MINUTES!

I'LL RIDE WITH HER, SHIRBIP!

THE LONE RANGER

TAKE HIM TO JAIL! HE WAS GOING TO BLOW MY SAFE!

THAT'S NOT TRUE, BAINES!

YOU HIRED BLASTER TO BLOW YOUR SAFE SO EVERYONE WOULD THINK THE BRIDGE FUND HAD BEEN STOLEN.

THIS LETTER PROVES YOU WANTED TO HIRE A SAFE-CRACKER!

L'L ABNER

THE NATIONAL GUARD HAS THROWN A 5-MILE CORDON AROUND DOGPATCH TO PREVENT A SUICIDE CHARGE OF TEEN-AGERS.

MY FATHER WAS TRAMPLED TO DEATH BY A HERD OF FLAPPERS DURING THE RUDY VALLEE TROUBLES.

MY OLDER BROTHER GAVE HIS LIFE SAVING FRANK SINATRA IN '38!

SEE THIS PURPLE HEART? I GOT IT FOR DISTINGUISHED SERVICE IN THE JOHNNY RAY RIOTS!

LISTEN TO YEN BINK (A VETERAN OF THE NELSON EDDY PANIC!)

TH' MOST EXPENSIVE WEDDIN' Y' KIN THINK OF, SAM!

WHO WANTS TH' BAR DO ONE?

Millions of entraged beet-keepers storm Dogpatch!