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Yesterday's Answer

35. River (Belgian Congo)
 37. Sign of the zodiac
 38. Bounder
 40. River (It.)

BURGESS BEDTIME STORIES



WHAT SHOULD PETER DO?

There'd be no quandaries if we knew. Just what at all times not to do. —Peter Rabbit.

When we don't know what to do and what not to do we are in a quandary. Being in a quandary is nothing new to Peter Rabbit. In fact, no one is more often in a quandary than Peter. He is forever getting into one or out of one. He was in one now. Yes, sir, Peter was in a quandary now. He didn't know what to do. He didn't know what not to do. Sometimes it is more important to know what not to do than know what to do. Peter has often found that out.

He was in a small bramble tangle in the Old Pasture. He had just been driven out of another bramble tangle by a small Dog with short legs that was a kind of small hound called a Beagle. Peter had never been hunted by a Beagle before. He never had seen one. That Dog had actually forced his way into the bramble tangle. He had yelped and whined when the thorns and briars scratched and pricked him, but he hadn't backed out as had other Dogs that had chased Peter. He was still coming right through. Perhaps he

would do the same thing in this bramble tangle.

Peter wished he knew. You see, he had had a glimpse of Reddy Fox. So he knew Reddy was in the neighborhood. With those short legs that Dog couldn't run as fast as Peter could, and Peter guessed this. He might be able to run longer, but not as fast.

"I am sure I can get to the dear Old Brier-patch before he can catch me. Even if he should follow me in there it is so big and I have so many little paths all through it to dodge about in that I guess he would soon give up. I don't like to cross the open Green Meadows between the Old Pasture and the Brier-patch in daylight, but if that Dog drives me out of this bramble tangle I fear I will have to. I hope he is so badly scratched by those other brambles that he has had enough and won't try to get in here."

Not far away was another bramble tangle there in the Old Pasture but it too was small, even smaller than the one he was now in. Peter thought of this and shook his head. "If he drives me out of this one he would drive me out of that one," thought he.

There were two other places Peter thought of. One was a pile of brush under which he had found safety more than once. It was over in a corner of the Old Pasture quite a distance from where he now was. Just then it seemed a much greater distance than it really was. In the other direction, and about as far, was a hole down under a big rock. It had once been dug long ago by Johnny Chuck's great-great-grandfather who had once lived in the Old Pasture. That was before Reddy Fox and Mrs. Reddy had come there to live. The trouble with that was it was too near the Fox hole. Getting there, or later getting away from there, he might meet or be seen by Reddy or Mrs. Reddy. The very thought made him shiver.

What was Peter to do? What would be the safest thing to do? Should he try that other small bramble tangle on the chance that that Dog would be so sore from the scratches he had received in the other bramble tangle that he would give up and not try to crawl into that one? Should he make a dash for the dear Old Brier-patch? Of course that Dog would follow him there. Mrs. Peter would not like that. No, sir, she wouldn't like that. He couldn't blame her. The home is the last place in the world for anyone to lead trouble to.

Should he make for that pile of brush? Or should he be really bold and try for that old hole of Grandfather Chuck's?

"Oh dear! If I knew where Reddy and Mrs. Reddy are I would know better what to do," thought Peter. "I have a feeling that Reddy isn't far away. I saw him back there where I first saw that pesky Dog, but I don't know where he went. If I could only know just where he is right now I would know what to do. But I don't know where he is and I might run right into his mouth. I wish I hadn't stayed over here in the Old Pasture. Here comes that Dog now and he is coming right in here in spite of these brambles! Oh dear, what shall I do? Which way shall I go?"

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla., Dec. 6 (AP) — Cincinnati Reds have signed Wayne Anderson, 33, as trainer to succeed Dr. Wilbur Bohr. Anderson was trainer at Sacramento of the Pacific Coast League for five years. He is a University of Washington graduate.

Contract Bridge

By Josephine Culbertson

FAULTY ANALYSIS

South's analysis of play in the following hand was fallacious.

North Dealer. East-West vulnerable.

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

South
 ♠ A Q J
 ♠ K Q 5
 ♠ 8 4 3
 ♠ A 10 7 2

The bidding:
 1 ♠ Pass South West
 1 ♠ Pass 3 NT Pass

South was a shade light in bidding three notrump directly over North's one diamond, but it was not this bid, it was South's play of the hand, which was open to severe criticism.

West opened his top heart. This knocked out dummy's ace, and South took time out to count tricks. Presumably he saw that if the spade king was right, he was assured of three spades, three hearts, two diamonds and one club; in any case his first lead from dummy was a spade. West, however, captured the queen and led another heart, and from that point on, South was in trouble. He soon discovered that the diamond suit was banked against him, and he had no time to establish club tricks other than the ace. The upshot was that South took exactly two spades, three hearts, two diamonds and one club—which left him a trick short.

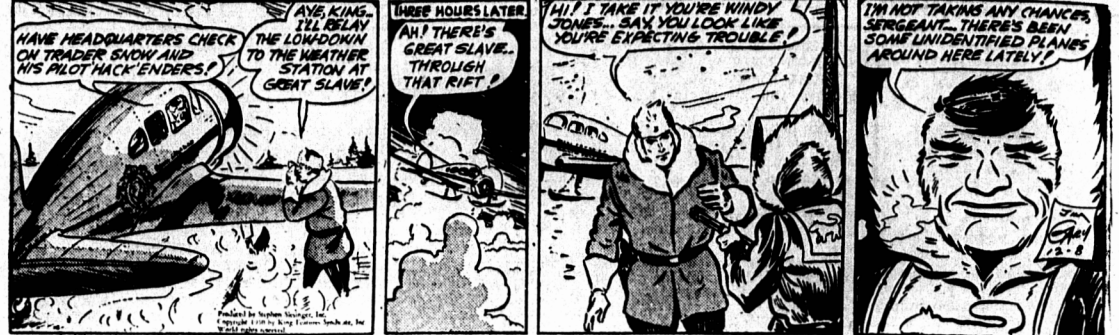
South was most ill-advised to trust his fortunes to the spade finesse. The far better line of play was to lead a low diamond from dummy at the second trick, starting the establishment of that suit. Even with the diamond break that existed, this plan would have produced the necessary tricks. East would win the first diamond lead and return a heart — no other return would be either defensively. South would win and lead another diamond. West's showing out would reveal the situation, and of course South should pass that trick to East. Now regardless of East's return, South would be in control on all fronts, and by virtue of winning three diamond tricks, would bring home the contract. In the end play, he might have to be careful against certain lines of defense, but the tricks would be there for the taking.

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KING OF THE ROYAL MOUNTED

By Zane Grey



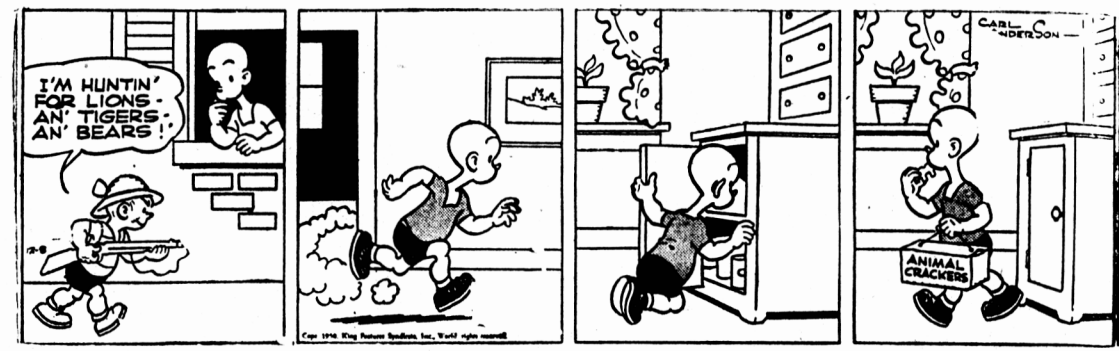
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HENRY

By Carl Anderson



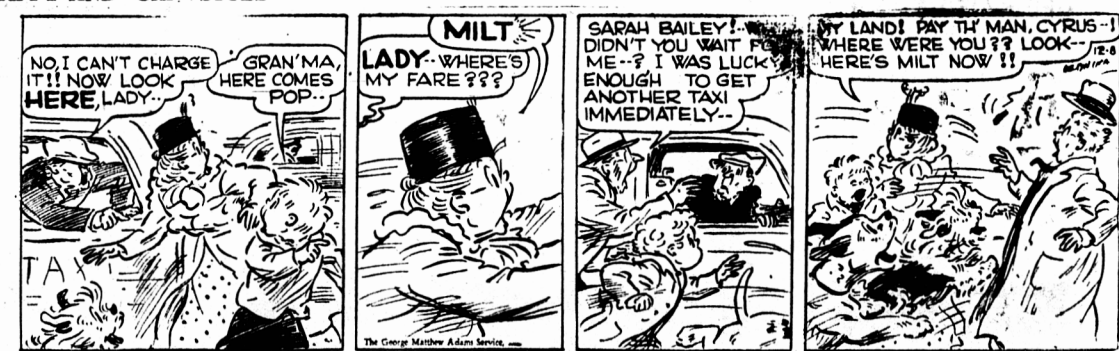
DOTTY DIPPLE

By Edwina



TIPPY AND "CAP" STUBS

By Edwina



BRINGING UP FATHER

By George McMahon



TILLY THE TOILER

By Westover



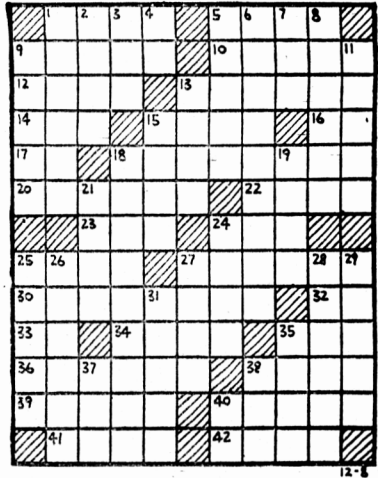
PENNY

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DAILY CRYPTOQUOTE—Here's how to work it:

AXYDLBAAXR
 IS LONGFELLOW

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
 CEYT IY XY MVAY CEJC QPGY RJT
 IQYMM YGYT KT CEKM RAPSUYU
 QPTYQKTYMM—NYIQY.

Yesterday's Cryptogram: I THINK THERE'S NEVER A MAN IN CHRISTENDOM CAN LESSER HIDE HIS HATE OR LOVE THAN HE—SHAKESPEARE.

L'L ABNER

By Al Capp



RIP KIRBY

By Alex Raymond

