

# BUNGESS BEDTIME STORIES

(By Thornton W. Burgess)

## UNC' BILLY THINKS TWICE

Think twice and even two times more before you act and set the score. — Old Mother Nature.



The top part of that tree was hollow.

ter place," said Unc' Billy to himself. "Brer Bear won't be able to climb in here."

Buster Bear stood up at the foot of the tree. He was undecided. He was tempted to climb up and see where Billy had gone. Had he been really hungry he wouldn't have hesitated. Climbing was warm work on a warm day. He reached out and struck that dead tree with a big paw. He knew then that that tree was hollow. "Woof! Woof!" said he.

## Contract Bridge

By Josephine Culbertson

### A BOLD MANEUVER

There are countless hands that can be defeated, not by cashing high cards but by jettisoning those same cards! For example:

South dealer. Both sides vulnerable.

♠	Q 10 9 4 3				
♥	K 8 5	W	E		
♦	Q 10 4	N	S		
♣	7 3				

The bidding:

South	West	North	East
1♠	1♣	2♠	Pass
2NT	Pass	3♠	Pass
3NT	Pass	Pass	Pass

West made his obviously correct opening of the spade Jack, and South won with the king. Declarer realized that he would have virtually no chance unless he could set up and run the heart suit, so, with the fervent hope that West, not East, would get in, South cashed the heart ace, preparatory to leading toward dummy's Q-10.

The usual (and often intelligent) measure employed by a defender in West's position, is to play low on the heart ace and again low on the second lead, thus giving declarer the chance to go astray by putting in the ten. When there has been no bidding, this defense very often succeeds, because declarer may have cause to play dummy's nine or ten in the hope of forcing out the king. In this case, however, West felt that his vulnerable bid had marked him with the heart king, so, when the heart ace was cashed, West had no chance to establish hearts without giving East the lead, and no chance for his contract.

West's play was not as "desperate" as it may appear. Obviously, if declarer had held the A-J of hearts, he would have gone to dummy in diamonds and finessed to his own jack; and if he had held A-x-x of hearts, he probably would have supported North's suit, over North's three-club bid, instead of persisting with notrump.

## Progressive Conservative Convention

The annual convention of the West Prince Progressive-Conservative Association will be held in Verdun Theatre, O'Leary, on Thursday, August 31st, commencing at 2.00 P.M. Each poll is entitled to send five delegates. Everybody welcome. Meeting will be addressed by several prominent speakers.

J. W. DON CAMPBELL, President, LLOYD G. MATTHEWS, Secretary.

## OUTDOOR SHOW AT NEW HAVEN

TONIGHT, AUG. 28 AT 8.45 P.M.

EVERYONE HAS BEEN WAITING FOR IT! NOW EVERYONE CAN SEE IT!

That's the Dog Jap Killer

# DANNY BOY

Starring Robert Henry, Ralph Lewis, Sybil Merritt.

A very touching story of a dog at war. PLUS: Bit and Bridle (sports reel) — Little Lost Sheep (cartoon)

Admission: 30 and 20 cts. Hot-dogs, ice-cream, Soft Drinks sold.

## Railway Crossings Still Dangerous

MONTREAL, Aug. 26 — (CP) — Despite the rail strike a Montreal motorist claims he was almost killed last night when a freight train beat him to a crossing.

The motorist, who told his story to the Royal Automobile Club of Canada, said he was driving near Chateauguay about 35 miles west of here, and, instead of stopping, proceeded to cross the tracks. Just in front of him the freight whizzed past.

What he didn't know was that he was crossing a New York Central Railway line. The company runs its own line through Chateauguay and is not affected by the Canadian strike.

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## MEYERS STUDIOS

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## DAILY CROSSWORD

- ACROSS
- Quarrel
  - Former title (Turk.)
  - Hawaiian greeting
  - Bring upon oneself
  - Sum up
  - Scope
  - Hole in a needle
  - Extinct bird
  - Public notices
  - Horse's gait
  - Reveal
  - Disposes
  - Century plant
  - Raid
  - Fruit-coring instruments
  - Little island
  - Accuse
  - Coin (Persu)
  - Petition
  - Wine receptacle
  - Leave out
  - Spherical
  - Kind of cotton cloth
  - Rub out
  - Aspect
  - Faunas
- DOWN
- Satiate
  - Surfeit
  - Method of learning
  - Exclamation
  - Capital of Majorca Island
  - Greek letter
  - Scraps of literature
  - Road
  - levelers
  - Having color
  - Macaw (Brazil)
  - Vended
  - Arabic letter
  - Mason's (N. Z.) mallet
  - Egg-shaped
  - American Indian
  - Past
  - Mutilating, as a document
  - Salt (chem.)
  - To weigh, as (Mining)
  - Epochs
  - Complacent
  - Gatherer of eels
  - A drink
  - Foreboding
  - Sleeveless garments (Arab.)
  - Spar
  - Malt beverages
  - Sesame
  - Metallic rock
  - Personal pronoun

PAINTED ASIA  
HUI ROY  
HAI  
SHALL  
SHILLY  
DIE YAD  
DEAR MAN  
ALM  
MARKLE  
MARKLE  
MARKLE

Saturday's Answer

- Malt beverages
- Sesame
- Metallic rock
- Personal pronoun

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30
31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40
41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50

## DAILY CRYPTOQUOTE—Here's how to work it:

AXYDLBAAXE  
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  
FEFU UJN, NPEHF E NLEIF, IECF WIFTHW JU JKL XJKIP—PFLEFX.

Saturday's Cryptogram: MAN IS ONE WORLD, AND HATH ANOTHER TO ATTEND HIM—HERBERT.

## KING OF THE ROYAL MOUNTED

JUST AS HE IS ABOUT TO OVERTAKE THE ESCAPING KILLER, A FRANTIC CALL FROM POPPY BRINGS HIM BACK TO THE GARAGE!

I'M SURE THE BOYS ARE LOCKED IN THIS GARAGE!

THEY MUST BE HELPLESS OR THEY WOULD HAVE SHUT OFF THE CAR MOTOR!

CAN YOU KILL IN A FEW MINUTES, I HOPE WE'RE NOT TOO LATE!

OH, GODNESS! DON'T BREATHE THE STUFF POPPY! I'LL GET THEM OUT!

by Zano Greg

OH, GODNESS! DON'T BREATHE THE STUFF POPPY! I'LL GET THEM OUT!

FORGET IT, KID... I ALREADY DONE IT. SOME PUNK OVER AT THE GYM SAYS THIS CHISLER... I MEAN JERRY... I MEAN CALLS JERRY A PONEY CHISLER... I SAYS JERRY AINT PONEY... YA OUGHTA SEE THE OTHER GUY!

## JOE PALOOKA

by Flar Fished

I CAME OVER TO TELL YOU WHAT A WONDERFUL THING YOU'VE DONE. THE IDEA OF A HUMPHREY PENNYWORTH PARK WAS AN INSPIRATION. YOU'RE A GREAT LAD, JERRY.

AW, IT WAS NUTTIN'... UM... JUST MY WAY.

HA YA KNOBS.

KNOBBY, WHAT HAPPENED?

JUST A ACCIDENT. NOTHING AT ALL!

C'MON... WHO DONE IT... I'LL MANGLE 'EM!

## HENRY

by Carl Anderson

KEEP OFF THE GRASS

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## TILLIE THE TOILER

HERE'S TILLIE'S IDEA FOR DISPLAYING COLLEGE TOGS—A REAL CLASS-ROOM WITH A REAL PROFESSOR

ALSO A REAL GRANDSTAND WITH A REAL CHEER-LEADER

MAC, WILFRED AND I THINK WE'LL SELL A LOT OF BRIDAL COSTUMES IF WE STAGE A REAL WEDDING—AND I MEAN A REAL ONE

## DOTTY DIPPLE

by Ruford

IT'D TAKE HER A PEACE OFFERING—BUT SHE'S PROBABLY FORGOTTEN ABOUT BEING ANGRY AT ME...

CANDY

DOTTY—I'M HOME!

WHO CARES?!

CANDY

## BRINGING UP FATHER

by George McManus

WELL—MY DEAR—I MUST BE GOING—IT'S MY LITTLE DOGSIE—POO—BAA'S BEDTIME—SHE IS SUCH A DEAR!

OH! I'M SO GLAD YOU CALLED!

GO! THAT'S THE RICH WIDOW MAGGIE KEEPS RAVIN' ABOUT—IF SHE'S WORTH HER WEIGHT IN FEATHERS—SHE'S RICH!

ISN'T SHE A DEAR? THE MAN WHO MARRIES HER IS GOING TO GET A PRIZE!

WHAT'S THE PRIZE?

## KIP KIRBY

by Alex Raymond

KIRBY STROLLS TOWARD THE LOOSE GATES... IS HE THINKING OF A BUS TO NAPLES? HE MUST NOT CABLE MARGIE'S GUARDIANS!

I'M SORRY FOR THE COUNT... BUT THAT PROBLEM CAN WAIT TILL TOMORROW... MY JOB TONIGHT IS TO FIND THOSE MISSING GARDEN TOOLS... THE ONE THEY'VE LEAD TO ME TO THE MANGER!

## PENNY

by Harry Hoenigsen

HMM... DUST PAN --- BROOM --- NOW THAT'S A SENSIBLE SHOPPING LIST, PRINCESS

ISN'T IT, BUT DEFINITELY, FATHER?

IT'S AWFULLY NICE OF YOU TO DRIVE ME DOWN TO GET THEM. (DON'T MENTION IT.)

THERE THEY ARE. WON'T THEY LOOK DIVINE IN MY BEDROOM?

ANTIQUES

## The Neighbors

By George Clark

Wonderful neighborhood for kids. A television set in every house on the block.