

BEDTIME STORIES

Tempted But Uneasy

By Thornton W. Burgess

All the trees had big shiny things hanging on them. Tempted but uneasy, just bit by bit temptation wins. Unless denied when it begins. Over in the Green Forest the Merry Little Breezes of Old Mother West Wind were teasing a young bear. It was Young Buster, son of great big Buster Bear. They were teasing him by tickling his nose. They were tickling it with a smell. Really it was two smells in one. One part he didn't like at all, because it made his nose smart a little. It was smoke. The other was a sweet smell that made his mouth water. All bears love sweets. Young Buster didn't know what this sweet smell was coming from, but right away he knew he wanted some. The Merry Little Breezes were getting that double smell at the little sugar house among the maple trees. Farmer Brown and Farmer Brown's boy were making maple syrup there. It is made by boiling the sap from the maple trees until it grows thicker and thicker and finally becomes syrup. To boil it of course there must be a fire. It was the smoke from this fire mingled with the sweet smell of the syrup with which the Merry Little Breezes were tickling the young Bear's nose. Now of course the young Bear knew nothing about smoke, nor did he know anything about maple syrup or maple sugar. After all, he was only a little over a year old. But he did know that he didn't like the smell of smoke. It gave him an uneasy feeling. He didn't know why. All he knew was that it gave him a queer feeling that wasn't pleasant. That sweet smell on the other hand, gave him a most pleasant feeling. The more he smelled it the more he felt that he simply must find out what it was coming from. He licked his lips. He kept licking them. Then he started to follow his nose. He

ing the puff off of the tree when he had finished, he started on. There was something queer here. In a little clearing ahead of him he saw the little sugar house. Never had he seen a house of any kind. He didn't know what to make of it. He was curious. At the same time, he was suspicious. Bears are always suspicious of new things. Most of the Green Forest folk are. The young Bear stood up, as only Bears can, among the Green Forest folk. The Merry Little Breezes tickled his nose. There was less of the smoke smell now and more of the sweet smell. The young Bear was tempted, very very much tempted to go straight over to the place where that smell was coming from. At the same he was uneasy. He was uneasy without knowing why.

DOG CATCHER HARD HIT COBALT, Ont. (CP)—Town council was told Monday night its dog catcher lost three teeth and a finger after being struck by a man whose dog he had impounded. Roger Phillipon said he was assaulted by a local garage operator and his assistant after telling the garage man he would have to pay the pound fee before he could have his dog.

CONTRACT BRIDGE

By B. Jay Becker (Top Record-Holder in Masters' Individual Championship Play)

Bridge hand analysis showing East dealer, North-South vulnerable, and a bidding sequence: East 1S, South 1N, East 2S, South 2N, East 3S, South 3N. Includes a card layout for a deal.

The bidding: East South West North Pass Pass Pass 1N Pass 2NT Pass 3NT. The requirements for a response of two notrump opposite partner's opening bid of one in a suit are a point count ranging from 13 to 15, distribution of 4-3-3-3 or 4-4-3-2, and stoppers in the other three suits. If, however, the responder has passed originally, he is permitted to shove the point count requirement for a two notrump response two points, so that the new range becomes 11 to 13. It would not be sensible to maintain the same range because we could not rely on the original pass. The only criticism that can be made of South's two notrump bid is the absence of a complete club stopper, but on the other hand the alternate bid of two diamonds is subject to the danger that

MANSLAUGHTER CHARGE WASHINGTON AP)—The Marine Corps accused Sgt. Matthew C. McKean of manslaughter Tuesday, charging that under the influence of vodka he led six recruits to death by drowning with the threat that every man in the platoon would drown or be eaten by sharks.

Advertisement for 'Believe It or Not!' featuring Archie Vanderpool, a man with 'Mr. Muscles' and a 'Winking Potato' on his chest. Text includes 'ST. MARY'S CHAPEL located on the Bridge of Warkfield, England. WAS LEASED FOR PRIVATE INDUSTRY FROM 1696 UNTIL 1843 AT THE RENTAL OF 12 CENTS A YEAR'.

Out Our Way

Comic strip 'Out Our Way' by J.R. Williams. Panel 1: 'DO YOU REALIZE THAT YOU CAN HAVE BEINGS BROKEN BY BEING THROWN AWAY ONTO A SOFT RUG? A SKULL FRACTURE, BROKEN BACK, OR ANYTHING MEN HAVE BEEN KILLED FALLING OUT OF A WHEELBARROW'. Panel 2: 'WHY ARE YOU POINTING THIS AT ME? I'M NOT A WORD AT HIM ABOUT GETTING HURT? WHY CONCENTRATE ON ME ALONE, I ASK YOU?'. Panel 3: 'OH, I'M JUST GOING TO SHOW HIM A HOLD HE CAN'T GET OUT OF THATS ALL—I'LL BE CAREFUL'. Panel 4: 'IDEAL COUPLE FOR NEXT DOOR'.

Major Hoopie

Comic strip 'Major Hoopie'. Panel 1: 'I'LL CALL THEM, HARVEY!—THEY WANTED TO MOVE SINCE THE CITY BUILT THAT INCINERATOR NEARBY. ONLY TEN BLOCKS AWAY!—ANY CLAIMS THEY OFTEN GET A SPECK OF SOOT ON THEIR SHIRTS?'. Panel 2: 'HOW ABOUT YOUR COUSIN CLARENCE AS A BUYER FOR HOOPIE'S HOUSE? HE AND AMY ARE AS NEAT AS THE COUPLE ON A WEDDING CAKE!—THEY COULD LOOK OVER THE PLACE FROM HERE HOOPIE MIGHT INSULT 'EM IF THEY ACTED DISGUSTED AT HIS RUBBISH-PILE YARD!'. Panel 3: 'MAYBE HE WUZ FORCED TO CHANGE HIS PLANS. IT'S GETTING LATE! I WONDER WHY SHIFTY ISN'T HERE'.

Bringing Up Father

Comic strip 'Bringing Up Father'. Panel 1: 'MY BROTHER SHIFTY IS COMING TODAY FOR A VISIT—BUT HE DOESN'T WANT ANYONE TO KNOW HE'S IN TOWN!'. Panel 2: 'MAGGIE NEEDN'T WORRY THAT I'LL TELL ANYBODY!—A VISIT FROM THAT GUY IS NOTHING TO BRAG ABOUT!'. Panel 3: 'DAILY BLADE: JAILBREAK FOILED AT LAST MINUTE'. Panel 4: 'BRAVO!! A JUST VERDICT!! I CONGRATULATE YOU!!'. Panel 5: 'GULP!!'. Panel 6: 'GENTLEMEN OF THE JURY HAVE YOU REACHED A VERDICT? WE HAVE YOUR HONOR'. Panel 7: '—AND RECOMMEND THE DEATH PENALTY!'. Panel 8: 'THREE CHEERS! THE PERFECT CANDIDATE! FIRST IN WAR, FIRST IN PEACE, AND SECOND ON THE TICKET!'. Panel 9: 'IS EITHER ONE OF YOU POLITICAL EXPERTS KNOW HOW TO CLEAN A FISH?'.

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Comic strip 'Grandma'. Panel 1: 'HELLO, BOYS!'. Panel 2: 'HI, GRANDMA!'. Panel 3: 'WE JUST WALKED DOWN THE STREET WITH THE WIDOW WILLIAMS!!'. Panel 4: 'SHE TOLD US, THREE DIFFERENT TIMES WITHIN TWO BLOCKS, HOW SHE SPRAINED HER ANKLE. ANY HAS TO WALK ON CRUTCHES!!'. Panel 5: 'SHE SURELY DOES ENJOY HER SUFFERIN', GRANDMA!'. Panel 6: '5-3 CHAR KUH!'.

Comic strip 'Mickey Mouse'. Panel 1: 'PLENTY OF HOBBIES HERE... IF THAT'S WHAT YOU'RE LOOKING FOR!'. Panel 2: 'BOYS CLUB HOBBY SHOW'. Panel 3: 'NEXT DAY...'. Panel 4: 'A BUTTERFLY COLLECTOR... THAT'S WHAT I'M GONNA BE!'. Panel 5: 'LATER...'. Panel 6: 'YEAH... I COLLECTED 'EM... BUT I CAN'T GET 'EM TO SIT STILL ON THEM WHITE BOARDS!'.

Comic strip 'Henry'. Panel 1: 'CANINE TRAINING SCHOOL'. Panel 2: 'CANINE TRAINING SCHOOL'. Panel 3: 'CANINE TRAINING SCHOOL'. Panel 4: 'CANINE TRAINING SCHOOL'.

Comic strip 'Muggs and Skeeter'. Panel 1: 'SKEETER! NEVER LET ME SEE YOU EATING PIE WITH A SPOON AGAIN!'. Panel 2: 'NO, MAM...'. Panel 3: 'YOU EAT PIE WITH A FORK!! I'LL GET YOU ONE!!'. Panel 4: 'YES, MAM...'. Panel 5: 'SAY, GRANDMA... WHILE YOU'RE GETTING THE FORK...'. Panel 6: '...MIND BRINGING ME ANOTHER PIECE OF PIE TO PRACTICE ON?'.

Comic strip 'Tilly the Toiler'. Panel 1: 'MRS. MUGGS, MAY I HAVE THIS OLD PIECE OF GAMES?'. Panel 2: 'CERTAINLY... BUT WHAT IN THE WORLD ARE YOU GOING TO USE IT FOR?'. Panel 3: 'TO KEEP THE RAIN OUT OF MY HOT ROOM!'. Panel 4: 'IT'S GOT A HOLE IN IT BIG ENOUGH TO PUT YOUR HEAD THROUGH!'. Panel 5: '...MIND BRINGING ME ANOTHER PIECE OF PIE TO PRACTICE ON?'.

Comic strip 'Etta Kent'. Panel 1: 'SEEN THE NEW GUY? SHE'S SURE CUTE.'. Panel 2: 'SOUNDS LIKE WE'VE GOT COMPETITION!'. Panel 3: 'BUT GOOD!'. Panel 4: 'AND IS SHE POPULAR?'. Panel 5: 'HOW DO YOU KNOW?'. Panel 6: 'TWO OF THE BOYS DROVE OVER TO SEE HER AND GOT TICKETS FOR DOUBLE PARKING!'.

Comic strip 'Joe Palooka'. Panel 1: 'FOR WHY YOU NOT EAT, ANSA WALSHA? EVERYTINGA SHESA HOKAY WITH YOU ANA STEVE... NO?'. Panel 2: 'YEAH... BUT WE GOT TROUBLE! STEVE STILL HANST CORRECTED HIS BOXING FLAW?'. Panel 3: 'STEVE SAYS HE WILL WIN... BUT WE CAN'T COUNT ON A MIRACLE AGAIN... BREN'S TOO GOOD, ANY TIMES RUNNING OUT FOR US?'. Panel 4: 'AAMA NIA... NOWA LUNGI NO CAN EAT?'. Panel 5: 'II, JIMMY... I ENJOYED YOUR COLUMN ON THE COMING FIGHT... FROM YOU ABOUT THIS FIGHT?'. Panel 6: 'THANKS, CHAMP—TO LIKE TO GET A FEW COMING FROM YOU ABOUT THIS FIGHT?'.

Comic strip 'The Lone Ranger'. Panel 1: 'TUNNEL?'. Panel 2: 'THERE'S THE PLACE WHERE THE TUNNEL USED TO BE'. Panel 3: 'A BIG ONE, WE STARTED A LANDSLIDE THAT SEALED THE OPENING'. Panel 4: 'SO THAT WHERE YOU HIDE STOLEN GOLD?'. Panel 5: 'CROOKS ROB BANK, HIDE GOLD BEFORE THEM CAPTURED'. Panel 6: 'NOW THAT WE'RE OUT OF JAIL, WE WANT THAT GOLD'.

Comic strip 'Secret Agent X9'. Panel 1: 'Three small red stains appear on the back of Phil's topcoat...'. Panel 2: 'I'VE KILLED HIM! I'M A MURDERER!'. Panel 3: 'AND WE HAVE MOVING PICTURES AND A TAPE RECORDING TO PROVE IT, DOCTOR DOON!'. Panel 4: 'SHE HATE TO TURN THIS FILM OVER TO THE FBI LAB! I COULD SELL IT TO THIS WAS ALMOST YOUR LIFE! OR 'I LIVE LOOSELY!'.

Comic strip 'POGO'. Panel 1: 'IT'S ABOUT TIME YOU GOT HOME... I'M ALL TIRED OUT WAITIN''. Panel 2: 'WELL, I HEARD YOU IS RIPPIN' PER PRESIDENT... I GAVE IF I WAS IN HIS PLACE TO BE IN MY BEST FRIEND TO BE IN VICE-PRESIDENT... SO I RUSHED OVER TO TELL YOU...'. Panel 3: 'I ACCEPTS!'. Panel 4: 'THREE CHEERS! THE PERFECT CANDIDATE! FIRST IN WAR, FIRST IN PEACE, AND SECOND ON THE TICKET!'. Panel 5: 'IS EITHER ONE OF YOU POLITICAL EXPERTS KNOW HOW TO CLEAN A FISH?'.

Advertisement for 'All-Out' and 'All-In' featuring a woman's face and the text 'You cant go ALL-OUT If you feel ALL-IN'.

Advertisement for 'Drive out ACHE' and 'MINARD'S LINIMENT' featuring a hand holding a bottle and the text 'JUST RUB IN MINARD'S LINIMENT'.

Advertisement for 'WOOD ISLANDS-CARIBOU FERRY SERVICE' with details on routes and schedules.

Advertisement for 'TELEVISION CKCW - Moncton' listing various programs and their times.