

BURGESS BEDTIME STORIES

By Thornton W. Burgess

The Pridelike Watchers
Love and pride are so entwined, separation's hard to find.
—Old Mother Nature.

Gray Fox and Mrs. Gray, like their cousins Reddy Fox and Mrs. Reddy, are the best of parents. No babies are better cared for than are the Fox babies. Father is always doing his share. This isn't true among many of the Fathers of the Green Forest and the Green Meadows. Many of these leave all the care of the children to mother.



He squatted down at the foot of the tree looking up.

The den of Gray Fox this year was in a great hollow log well hidden in a quiet place in the Green Forest. In it three babies had been born, and there for several weeks they had lived before first venturing outside. When they were old enough to come out they were three as cute, roly-poly Foxes as ever played together in the Green Forest.

Now as long as they were not yet old enough and big enough to come outside, caring for them had been quite simple. Gray Fox had done his share in bringing

They wanted to see what the little Fox would do next. Would he climb higher? How would he get down? For a few minutes the little Fox simply sat where he was clinging to the tree and looking down at the other two, daring them to come up and join him.

"The scamp acts as if he had done that before," thought Gray Fox. And in his eyes, was the glow of mingled love and pride. It was in mother's eyes also. The next story: "Was Father Showing off?"

Clinton School Closing

On June 23, at Darnley Shore the Clinton school children, parents, neighbours and teachers met for the closing. The children enjoyed the water and there were races and prizes for everyone which were given by the Women's Institute. Lunch was served by the mothers. The teacher, Miss Joyce Easter received the school and preschool children a treat.

The teacher also presented prizes to the pupil standing highest in each grade for the year's work. Harold Heaney, Marjorie Perry, Valerie Woodside, Linda Woodside, David MacKay, Jean Heaney, Faye Henderson, Donald Clark, Junior Gallant and Edith Frizzell received the prizes.

The children attaining an average of 75 per cent or over were presented with certificates. The following received their certificates: Grade I: Kenneth Heaney, Gail Pickering; Grade II: Garth Pickering; Eric Smith; Donald Clark; Wendy Woodside; Doreen Connick; Barbara Ann Connick; Edith Frizzell; Junior Gallant; Grade III: Donald Pickering; Faye Henderson; Grade V: Charles Smith; Linda Woodside.

Valerie Woodside read an address and Norma Whitehead presented a gift to their teacher on behalf of the pupils.

JUNE REPORT

Grade IX: 1. Harold Heaney. Grade VIII: 1. Marjorie Perry 2. Norma Whitehead. Grade VII: 1. Valerie Woodside 2. Arnel Taylor. Grade VI: 1. Jean Heaney 2. Donald MacKay. Grade V: 1. Linda Woodside 2. Charles Smith 3. Joyce Clark 4. Ralph Woodside 5. Carol Ann MacKay.

Grade IV: 1. David MacKay. Grade III: 1. Faye Henderson 2. Donald Pickering. 3. David Whitehead. Grade II: 1. Donald Clark. 2. Eric Smith. 3. Barbara Ann Connick. 4. Doreen Connick. 5. Garth Pickering. 6. Wendy Woodside. Grade I (a): 1. Gail Pickering. 2. Kenneth Heaney. Grade 1 (b): 1. Junior Gallant 2. Highest average in senior grades: Marjorie Perry. Highest average in junior grades: Junior Gallant. Perfect Attendance for the year: Ralph Woodside, Charles Smith, Gail Pickering. Teacher: Joyce Easter

CONTRACT BRIDGE

By Josephine Culbertson

A QUESTION OF RISK

GENERALLY speaking, the four-notrump overall of a preemptive bid (say, four spades by East, four notrump by South) must be reserved for hands that measure up to original two-bid proportions. This, of course, is nothing but common sense, because in order to force a bid from partner at the five-level, the four-notrump bidder must be prepared to win a tremendous number of tricks with his own hand, the about-to-be dummy.

At rubber bridge, where a huge set is a tragedy, it does not pay to trifle with this particular call (which is the equivalent of a super-strong takeout double), but at duplicate bridge it may be a different matter. Consider this case:

East dealer. North-South vulnerable

♠ 4	♠ KQJ9
♥ A J 10 7	♥ 8 6 5 2
♦ K 8 2	♦ 9 4 3
♣ Q 9 6 4	♣ Q

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

12-YEAR-OLDS HELD
PHILADELPHIA (AP)—Two 12-year-old boys who wanted another boy's bicycle were held on a homicide charge Saturday in connection with the drowning of two other boys. Theodore Armprister and Joseph Ryan were accused of pushing Ellis Palmer, 10, and Adolph Sincaevage, 13, into the Schuylkill river and then taking a bicycle belonging to young Palmer.

TRADE WITH CHINA
China purchased 80,000 bags of jute from Pakistan in the first half of 1955.

ATTENTION SWINE BREEDERS

All swine breeders and others interested in swine improvement and Advanced Registry testing are urged to attend the swine type and finish demonstration at the Charlottetown Test Station, Experimental Farm, on Thursday, July 7th, at 10:00 A.M.

P. E. I. SWINE BREEDERS' ASSOCIATION

DAILY CROSSWORD

1. Fellow	10. Tanker carrying oil	19. Some
2. Raised, as pets	11. Tube for liquids	20. South American republic
3. Kind of rock	12. Irony	21. Heads of monasteries
4. Malt beverage	13. Lofly mountain	22. Flat pieces about ceremony
5. Hebrew letter	14. Ripped	23. Large worm
6. Flat pieces about ceremony	15. Part of "to be"	24. A kind of fungus
7. High priest	16. He was a fox	25. Dry
8. Make insane	17. Keel-billed cuckoo	26. Cover
9. Mast	18. Organ of smell	27. Company of eight singers
10. Careless		
11. Classify		
12. Greek letter		
13. Organ of smell		

Yesterday's Answer
33. Christmas songs
34. Habitual drunkards
35. Bleish
36. Blue grass
37. Coin (cap.)
38. Exclamation

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, apostrophes, the length and formation of the words are all hints. Each day the code letters are different.

A Cryptogram Quotation
F B T G O B T O B L B F K G I M D F H K O B
D F K M A M D K D I M M K X M K G E F B
N O A A - Y V I M.

Yesterday's Cryptogram: BEGGAR THAT I AM, I AM POOR EVEN IN THANKS - SHAKESPEARE.

NOTICE

The annual meeting of the Masonic Temple Company will be held in the office of E. R. Brow & Son, 144 Richmond Street, on Wednesday, the 13th day of July proximo, at 9 o'clock a.m. A.D.T. Charlottetown, P. E. Island, June 29, 1955.

J. E. BROW, Secretary.



Level Crossing Accident Takes Father of Two

Widow and Children Receive \$10,000 on \$5,000 Policy

In Western Canada, a young executive died recently in a level crossing accident. He was insured with a \$5,000 Confederation Life Policy carrying an Accidental Death & Dismemberment Benefit. As a result, his widow and children received \$10,000 for their care and protection.

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- Liberal cash payments for dismemberment accidents.

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Soothe them with **MINARD'S LINIMENT**

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Enjoy chewing Wrigley's Spearmint every day!

Our Boarding House Major Hoople

YOU GOT A FRESH HAIR CUT TODAY?
HOW ABOUT STYLING AT SEA LEVEL WITH THE BEST OF US? HONEY, BACKWOODS FOLK?
WE'RE SUPPOSED TO BE LIVING IN A POLISHED CIVILIZATION!

HE'S FEELING VERY REFINED TODAY!

JOE PALOKA

CAN'T TAKE OFF THERE'S A SEVERE STORM COMING UP.
OH, MY MACHINE... ALL THE YEARS I WORKED ON IT... OH, MY MACHINE...
GITTIN' SLEEPY... SHORE GIT SLEEPY WHEN I'M WORKIN'... ZZZZZ...
WITH SUDDEN THE STORM HITS AND ENVELOPS HUMPHREY.

The Lone Ranger

WHY WATER POISONED? I DON'T KNOW, TONTO WILL FIND OUT MEAN AND WHO IS RESPONSIBLE.
MYSTERIOUS FIRES, BROKEN FENCES, POISONED CATTLE! I CAN'T FIGURE IT OUT!
HELLO, TONTO!

By Ham Fisher

GUFFE-TT HALF-WHAMMY NOT ONLY KNOCKED MAMMY COLD, BUT IT-SY-ROONED ALL O' DOG-PATCH!!
NOW, MAYBE DIS STUBBORN OLD DOLL WILL TOIN GREEN.
Formerly known as Sleepy Mountain

By Fran Striker

LOOK, PROFESSOR—WHEN YOU KNOCK OFF, TODAY, LEAVE SOME MEANINGLESS NOTES ON YOUR DESK!
OF COURSE, CORIGAN—BUT WHY?
I MIGHT BE ABLE TO CATCH YOUR HOUSEKEEPER, MRS. CURTIN, RED-HANDED!
PERHAPS! BUT I STILL FEEL THAT YOU ARE A VICTIM OF CLOAK-AND-DAGGER TRICKERY!
MidsRamoon
MRS. CURTIN, I AM GOING OUT FOR A BIT OF FISHING! SUPPER AT SIX?
YES, PROFESSOR!

By Fran Striker

Secret Agent X9

Tilly The Toilet

OH! I NEVER SHOULD HAVE PLAYED 36 HOLES OF GOLF YESTERDAY! MY POOR FEET ARE BURNING UP!
OOOH! MY FEET ARE LIKE HOT COALS!
I HAVEN'T THE SLIGHTEST IDEA WHAT TO DO FOR HIS BURNING FEET!
I JUST THOUGHT OF SOMETHING!

Etha Kent

THERE'S MARTY! ISN'T HE A LIVING DOLL?
PULL IN YOUR EYE-BALLS, DARLING!
I KNOW! HE'S STRICTLY AN OPERATOR!—BUT THEY ALL FALL SOONER OR LATER!
IT'LL BE A LUCKY BREAK FOR SOME GIRL!
THE ONLY BREAK SHE'LL GET IS A BROKEN HEART!

Muggs and Skooter

NO! GUESS AGAIN!
HEAT! LESSEE!
I GOT IT! THE RED LINES ARE RAILROADS, THE BLUE LINES ARE SUBWAYS... AND THE CIRCLES ARE WHITE CORPUSCLES!
I GIVE UP!
AW COME ON, DON'T SPEAK THE FUN! GUESS ONCE MORE...
THEN I'LL READ YOU WHAT THE BOOKLET SAYS IT IS! COME ON... THIS WILL SLAY YA!!

Henry

MUSEUM
BUTTERFLY COLLECTION

Bringing Up Father

OH-OH! I KNEW SHE'D FIND OUT!
I'M GLAD YOU CALLED ME! I CERTAINLY WILL TALK TO HIM!
THAT WAS THE BUILDING AGENT! HE TOLD ME ABOUT THAT NOISY CARD PARTY YOU HAD LAST NIGHT WHILE I WAS OUT—YOU WORM!
HE SAID ALL THE NEIGHBORS WERE COMPLAINING! DO YOU WANT TO HAVE US PUT OUT OF THIS HOUSE, YOU NINCOMPPOOP?
THE BUILDING AGENT IS CALLING AGAIN, MUM! THE NEIGHBORS ARE COMPLAINING ABOUT THE NOISE YOU'RE MAKING!

Grandma

TH' KIDS O' TH' NEIGHBORHOOD WILL LOVE THIS!
NOW I'LL FILL IT WITH NICE, COOL WATER...
I'LL BET TH' SMALL FRY WON'T BE LONG IN FINDING THAT WADIN' POOL!!

Mickey Mouse

GRINNING DOWN 'S BARS! WHAT'S YOUR NAME?
YOU SURE ARE GOOD AT YOUR NAME?
Davy!
I KNOW IT'S 'DAVY'... BUT WHAT'S YOUR REAL NAME?
JUST PLAIN 'DAVY'... THAT'S ALL! TARNATION! ANOTHER BAR! BANG!

By Al Capp

By Mel Graff

By Bob Gustafson
By Paul Robinson
By Wally Bishop
By Carl Anderson
By George McManus
By Charles Kuhn
By Walt Disney
By Al Capp
By Mel Graff