## BEDTIME STORIES

# Peter Is Mistaken

**There is nothing one can make Easier than a mistake.**
**—Old Mother Nature.**

On one side of the Old Pasture is an old stone wall. Much of it is hidden by a grapevine that is almost as old as the wall itself. It wasn't planted there by Man. Perhaps a bird flying over dropped a seed and from it sprang the vine and through the years grew and grew and grew until in summer its big green leaves hide the old wall. It seems as if there were no wall there at all. Every fall the big almost black grapes hang in bunches from that vine.

It was a long time since Peter Rabbit had been up in that part of the Old Pasture. Then the grapes were small and green and hard. No one wanted them then, least of all Peter. And Peter did not want them now as they hung big and black and juicey. It was not to get grapes that he had come over there early this morning. It was partly curiosity that had brought him there. He had remembered that Mrs. Grouse was fond of grapes. Being in the neighborhood he decided to run over there to see if she was there. Peter and Mrs. Grouse are old friends. It was quite a while since he had seen her.

**Peter crept in under the vines.**

She wasn't there. Peter crept in under the vines. It was a wonderful place in which to hide. He decided to stay there and perhaps take a nap. There could be no better place for a nap excepting in the dear Old Briar-patch where he knew he should be now instead of over here. Perhaps Mrs. Grouse would come later. Peter settled himself in comfort. He yawned. He yawned again. His eyes closed, opened, closed again. This time they didn't open. Peter was asleep.

What awakened Peter he did not know. Probably his ears had been open while his eyes were closed and had heard a twig snap or some other faint but suspicious sound. Anyway, his eyes flew open and instantly he was wide awake. The little folk of the Green Forest and the Green Meadow always wake up like that. They instantly are wide awake. They are not at all like boys and girls who so often rub their eyes to get them open. They must be ready to run or fly for their lives the very instant their eyes are open.

Peeping out, Peter saw someone coming along an old cowpath straight toward that grapevine. It was Reddy Fox. Could it be that Reddy had found Peter's scent and followed him here? Peter wondered. Then he saw that Reddy was coming from a different direction than the one he had come, so he couldn't know that he, Peter, was anywhere about.

Fortunately, right back of Peter was an opening between two stones of the old wall. It was big enough for Peter to get through, but not for Reddy Fox. There was just room enough down between the stones for Peter to be safe, out of Reddy's reach.

Peter could hear Reddy sniffing the grapevine along the wall. "He may be hoping to find Mrs. Grouse here," thought Peter. He wouldn't be sniffing about here unless he thinks someone is hiding in here. That must be it." Peter was mistaken.

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Television Programme
Schedule

## CFCY TV
**CHANNEL 13**
**THURSDAY**

1:30 p.m.—Afternoon Musicale
4:00 p.m.—Open House
4:30 p.m.—Howdy Doody
5:00 p.m.—Maggie Muggins
5:15 p.m.—Children's Newsreel
5:30 p.m.—The Lone Ranger
6:00 p.m.—Western Theatre
7:00 p.m.—CFCY TV News
7:07 p.m.—The Weather
7:10 p.m.—Serial
7:30 p.m.—Sports Weekly with Loman McAulay
8:00 p.m.—I Search for Adventure
8:30 p.m.—Don Messer
9:00 p.m.—Meet McGraw
9:30 p.m.—Climax
10:30 p.m.—Music Maker '58
11:00 p.m.—Folio
12:30 a.m.—CBC TV News

## CKCW — Moncton
Channel 2
**THURSDAY**

1:00 p.m.—Thursday Playbill News, Weather, Sports Tomorrow is Forever
3:00 p.m.—Over The Back Fence
4:00 p.m.—Open House
4:30 p.m.—Howdy Doody
5:00 p.m.—Maggie Muggins
5:15 p.m.—Children's International News
5:30 p.m.—The Lone Ranger
6:00 p.m.—Annie Oakley
6:30 p.m.—Early Evening TV News
6:45 p.m.—Weather
6:50 p.m.—Sports
7:00 p.m.—I Search for Adventure
7:30 p.m.—The Hayriders
8:00 p.m.—Passport to Danger
8:30 p.m.—Don Messer
9:00 p.m.—Meet McGraw
9:30 p.m.—Climax
10:30 p.m.—Music Makers
11:00 p.m.—Folio "Honey in Hoppers"
12:00 p.m.—CBC TV News
12:10 a.m.—CKCW TV News & Weather
12:15 a.m.—Toronto Wrestling
1:15 a.m.—Sign Off


**BACKACHE May be Warning**

Backache is often caused by lazy kidney action. When kidneys get out of order, excess acids and wastes remain in the system. Then backache, disturbed rest or that tired-out and heavy-headed feeling may soon follow. That's the time to take Dodd's Kidney Pills. Dodd's stimulate the kidneys to normal action. Then you feel better—sleep better—work better. Get Dodd's Kidney Pills now. 61

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# CONTRACT BRIDGE
**By B. JAY BECKER**

South dealer.
Neither side vulnerable.

**NORTH**
♠ Q J 10 7 4
♥ 5 2
♦ A Q J 10
♣ 6 4

**WEST**
♠ K 9 6 5
♥ 4
♦ K 7 2
♣ 10 9 8 3 2

**EAST**
♠ 8 3 2
♥ Q J 7 6
♦ 6 4 3
♣ A K 5

**SOUTH**
♠ A
♥ A K 10 9 8 3
♦ 9 8 5
♣ Q J 7

The bidding:

| South | West | North | East |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 ♥ | Pass | 1 ♠ | Pass |
| 2 ♥ | Pass | 3 ♦ | Pass |
| 4 ♥ | | | |

Opening lead—ten of clubs.

Deception plays an important part in the play of the cards. The declarer should aim to get not only as many tricks as he is entitled to on the merits of the cards, but also as many more as he can get through the use of any deceptive tactics he can dream up.

In the same way, the defenders many times try to sell declarer a bill of goods that some condition exists which actually does not.

This psychological battle, which is all in the spirit of the game, naturally has its repercussions. Sometimes one side is triumphant, sometimes the other. Today's deal shows a case where the defense vanquished declarer by the use of good strategy.

East won the club lead with the king and continued with the ace. What should East now return?

He played back the six of diamonds, hoping to persuade South it was a singleton. The diamond was taken with the ten, and a heart led to the ace.

Declarer did not dare lead another diamond to dummy for fear it would be ruffed. So he cashed the king of hearts, hoping the suit would break, but when West showed out, South went down one.

Suppose East had returned a spade instead of the diamond. Declarer's plays would have become practically automatic. The ace of spades would be followed by the ace of hearts and a diamond finesse.

When this succeeded, a heart would be led from dummy, and if East played low, declarer would make the safety play of putting on the eight to be sure to limit himself to one trump loser. This line of play, together with a later diamond finesse, would have made the contract.

Of course, South might have guessed the true situation and made the hand despite East's imaginative defense. But the fact is that East planted the fear in South's mind that the diamond was a singleton, and that nothing could be lost by attempting to play upon declarer's fears. And in this case, action brought results.

# Reunite Families Severed By War, Pleads Red Cross

A resolution submitted by the Canadian Red Cross delegation has been unanimously accepted by the International Red Cross Conference, the highest governing body of the Red Cross, which is currently meeting in New Delhi, India.

The resolution was presented to the Conference by Dr. W.S. Stanbury, national commissioner of the Canadian Red Cross Society. It urged National Red Cross Societies to increase their efforts to reunite families broken by war, internal conflicts and by political barriers. It was the culmination of over five years of work on the part of the Society. During that time, intercession was made by the Canadian Red Cross Society to the governments of the countries concerned, through their national Red Cross Society, to grant exit permits to allow the reunion of families. Over four hundred individuals have brought to Canada to join their next-of-kin since the first case was undertaken by the Canadian Red Cross early in 1952 and completed in the summer of 1954. Of these individuals 49 were Hungarian national and 71 were Greek nationals residing in Hungary. Approximately 110 cases of Hungarian nationals are now on Canadian Red Cross files awaiting permission to join their families in Canada.

**RESOLUTION**

It was in an attempt to further this humanitarian task that the Canadian Red Cross Society proposed its resolution to the Conference. The text of the resolution is as follows:

Whereas, as a result of war, internal conflicts and political barriers, a large number of persons, both adults and children, are still prevented from returning to their homes or rejoining their families who have been dispersed, and

Whereas, much human suffering has been caused as a result of such separation, and

Whereas, the XVIIIth International Red Cross Confernce meeting in Toronto in 1952 has already recognized the National Societies of the Red Cross, Red Crescent and Red Lion and sun "as the natural intermediaries with their respective Governments to facilitate to the greatest extent the liberation of these person, to seek information concerning the fate of such persons and to facilitate the despatch to them of material relief'";

The XIXTH International Red Cross Conference reaffirms the principles contained in Resolution No. 20 of the XVIIIth International Red Cross Conference urges all National Societies and Governments to intensify their efforts in these matters and, in particular, to facilitate by every means the reunion of persons, both adults and children, with their families in accordance with the wishes of such persons, and in the case of minor children in accordance with the wishes of the recognized head of the family no matter where domiciled.

**CARRIED**

It was carried by 73 votes to none.

The International Red Cross Conference is the highest governing authority of the Red Cross world. It is being attended by delegates of the 78 national Red Cross, Red Crescent and Red Lion and Sun Societies allied as the League of Red Cross Societies; the International Committee of the Red Cross, the neutral Swiss intermediary in time of conflict; delegates from nations signatory to the Geneva Conventions; and obserbers from other nations and international welfare organizations. It is held every four years; the last Conference took place in Toronto in the summer of 1952.

# Values Deed To Acre On Moon

MONTREAL (CP)—Space lawyers may scoff, but Wendell Young treasures his $1 deed to an acre of moon.

A bank clerk from Pointe aux Trembles, Que., Mr. Young, 52, said in an interview he might just consider visiting his property—on one condition.

"I'd like to be assured of my passage home," he said.

Two years ago, Mr. Young wrote to a Robert Coles, United States president of the "Interplanetary Development Corporation," who sent him for $1 the deed to an acre of land "in the crater of Copernicus situated in the northeast quadrant of the surface of the moon facing the planet Earth."

Along with the plot went mineral and oil rights, beach rights and "the right to fish, dredge or clam in, upon or under the Sea of Nectar."

Seriously, Mr. Young says history shows that property has been sold before exploration, and the sale has remained valid.

"Even if the sale isn't legal, my deed may be valuable," he says. "This title deed may be a collector's item some day."

**HISTORIC SPOT**

When Britain adopted the Gregorian Calendar in 1752, a total of 11 days were dropped after Sept. 2.

# Want Sound Pension Plan

OTTAWA (CP) — Two Liberal senators Tuesday proposed that the federal government adopt a contributory old age pension plan.

Opposition Leader W. Ross Macdonald and Senator Thomas Reid, British Columbia, made the suggestion during Senate debate of government bills increasing to $55 monthly from $46 maximum allowances paid to needy Canadians between 65 and 69, and to the blind and disabled.

The bills received second reading—approval in principle — and were referred to committee for detailed study.

Senator Macdonald said there should be a contributory system in Canada for federal old age security pensions now paid to all persons in Canada when they reach 70.

The federal government's present pension plan was not established on a sound actuarial basis. However, sound plans had been established in other countries.

"Why should we not in Canada sit down around a table and work out a system of pensions on a sound actuarial basis?" Senator Macdonald asked.

Present federal old age security pensions are financed from a special fund into which is paid revenues from two-per-cent levies on personal and corporation income and merchandise sales. The fund, barely breaking even with the $40 pension level early this year, is expected to run at a deficit as a result of two pension increases this year to $55.

Senator Reid said he favored adoption of a contributory system under which payments of $200 a month could be made to married couples.

**THE BODY SICK**

NEW YORK (AP)—Marie (The Body) McDonald, film actress, was treated Tuesday at Idlewild airport for recurrence of a sudden ailment that a few hours earlier had caused a transcontinental airliner to make an unscheduled landing at Denver. A spokesman said doctors there had diagnosed the illness as a kidney attack.

**PREVENTS TRAINWRECK**

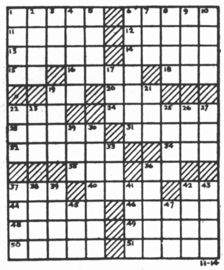
DUNKERQUE, France (Reuters)—An engineer running along the track with a red lamp saved the Paris-London night ferry express train from disaster early Tuesday after another train from Switzerland was derailed at Esquelbeck station near here. The ferry train carried 61 passengers for London.

# DAILY CROSSWORD

**ACROSS**
1. Soft, woolen fabric
6. Long, straight swords
11. Constellation
12. Silly
13. Top part
14. Ungulate
15. Gold (her.)
16. Rational
18. Malt beverage
19. Exist
20. Debt acknowledgement
22. Past
24. To-do
28. Clamor
31. Pinnacle of ice
32. Claws
34. Ostrichlike bird
35. Shoshonean Indian
36. Affirmative vote (var.)
37. Persian coin
40. Pause
42. Part of "to be"
44. Stand up
46. Make amends for
48. Pacific island group
49. Wheel hubs
50. Slope
51. Hauls

**DOWN**
1. Coconut palm
2. Sandarac tree
3. Slight taste
4. Dwelling
5. Species of pier
6. Exciting compassion
7. Mother of Irish god
8. Mulberry cloth
9. Indigo source
10. Withered (var.)
17. Pen point
19. Seethe
21. Employ
22. Pismire
23. Gazelle
25. Three, at cards
26. Escape (slang)
27. Shield
29. Coin (Fr.)
30. Plead
33. Diocesan center
36. Oil of rose petals
37. Mountain defile
38. River (Russ.)
39. Capital (Peru)
41. Grit
42. Afresh
43. Botch
45. An offspring
47. Eggs

Yesterday's Answer



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

A X Y D L B A A X R
is L O N G F E L L O W

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**

J GYXCT PWQ QWHARQ SR JL· DYQWDH HAWD GJBR JD HAR PYQ· RSYTJDL YP RUJC—WRBOAVCXB.

Yesterday's Cryptoquote: BEWARE LEST YOU LOSE THE SUBSTANCE BY GRASPING AT THE SHADOW — AESOP.

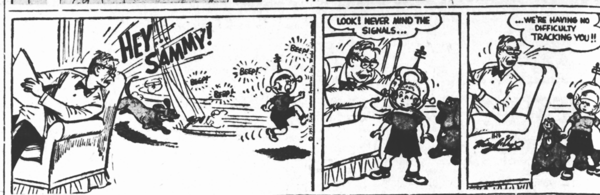
## OUR BOARDING HOUSE MAJOR HOOPLE

## RIPLEY'S BELIEVE IT OR NOT

**GRANDMA**

**TILLY THE TOILER**

**MUGGS & SKEETER**

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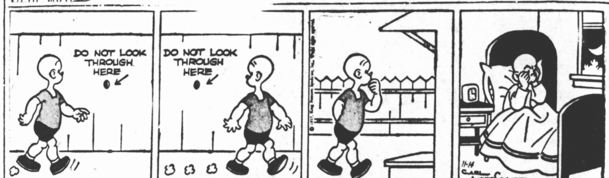


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