

BEDTIME STORIES

A Tale Of Tails

By Thornton W. Burgess

"It isn't fair that I should have been given such a silly tail," grumbled Mr. Rabbit.

"What isn't fair?" asked his neighbor, Mr. Squirrel.

"It isn't fair that I should have been given such a silly tail," grumbled Mr. Rabbit.

"Excuse me," said he, "but do you call that a tail?"

"I don't call that thing you have there a tail," continued Mr. Squirrel.

"I know all that, and as I said before, it isn't fair," grumbled Mr. Rabbit.

It was nearly dark and a thunder storm was threatening.

lost sight of Mr. Squirrel because his grown-up legs took him over the ground faster than their little legs could take them.

Mean while, Mr. Rabbit was running for home, lipperty lip, lipperty lip.

"We are glad you have a white tail," said one of them happily.

"I don't call that thing you have there a tail," continued Mr. Squirrel.

"I know all that, and as I said before, it isn't fair," grumbled Mr. Rabbit.

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NOTES

THE ORDER OF THE SONS OF TEMPERANCE

The order of the Sons of Temperance, whose National Division will hold its 108th, annual session in Summerside, July 11th-13th, is the pioneer total abstinence organization of the continent, with state and National headquarters.

It came into existence for a purpose. A pledge-signing campaign, known as the Washingtonian movement, had enrolled many signers, and showed that many users of alcoholic beverages, would be willing to give them up, but these pledge signing and experience meetings soon lost their interest, and many relapsed into their old ways.

Thinking men interested in the new movement, saw that something more was needed, and as the result of a letter sent out by Oliver Bros., a printing firm, sixteen men met at 71 Division St., New York City on September 29th, 1842, and organized New York Division No. 1, Sons of Temperance.

It announced three principles: 1. To shield ourselves and others from the evils of intemperance.

The Order spread very rapidly, new Divisions were formed; the Grand Division of New York was instituted in December, and in eight years the Order numbered 300,000 men.

Four years after its organization, in connection with the second session of the National Division, 10,000 members in the white regalia marched in the streets of New York, whose papers said that this was "the greatest temperance sermon ever preached in America."

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CONTRACT BRIDGE

By B. JAY BECKER

(Top record holder in Masters' Individual Championship Play)

South dealer. East-West vulnerable.

Bridge hand diagram showing cards for South and North.

The bidding: South West North East Pass Pass 1♦ 1♦ 2NT Pass 3NT

Opening lead-eight of spades.

In Valhalla, we hear, dummy play is going to be much simpler. The defenders' 26 cards will all things be so laid out that finesses will automatically work, and suits will break exactly as desired.

On the opening spade lead South won East's nine with the queen, and having counted six immediate winners, decided that the diamond finesse offered the best chance of gaining the three more tricks he needed.

Business Tempo Is Picking Up

OTTAWA (CP)—Canadian business, as measured by freight loadings and department store sales, is continuing to forge ahead.

Jan. 1-May 7 period to 1,394,917 cars, a gain of 12.5 per cent from last year's 1,239,698.

Freight received by Canadian railways from other connections increased nine per cent in May week to 34,383 cars from 31,538 and 12.2 per cent in the 1956.

In the first week of May, rail freight loadings increased to 87, from 565,184.

The bureau also reported that in 241 cars, up 10.6 per cent from last year's 78,853, the bureau of March department store sales increased 14.4 per cent to \$93,503,000, up from \$81,772,000 a year ago.

DIRTY, GREY, PRETTY

TORONTO (CP)—It's dirty. It's grey. But it's pretty. That's the comment of Eduardo Propper de Callejon, Spanish ambassador to Canada, on Toronto's union station.

Senor Callejon is in Toronto as part of a tour of Canada and is regaling a group of tourist information bureau. Commenting on Quebec and Ottawa, he compared the former to a French provincial town and called the latter a "little Washington."

Cypriots Mourn Gunmen's Death

NICOSIA, Cyprus (Reuters) — Only the sound of church bells cut the silence in Nicosia Thursday as embittered Greek Cypriots stayed indoors, mourning the death of two young gunmen executed at dawn for terrorism.

By lunch time, every store, factory and business owned by Greek Cypriots was closed. The streets were empty except for scattered gangs of grim-faced young Greek Cypriots, who dodged British patrols to make sure their countrymen went home to observe a day of mourning.

The menacing youths compelled even the newspapers to cease operation, and angrily ripped down American and British posters. Elsewhere in the British island colony, the silence was occasionally broken by the sound of exploding bombs—in Kyrenia, Famagusta and Limassol—as rebels retaliated against British troops who were out in full force to keep order.

The gunmen, Michael Karalios, 23, who killed a policeman, and Andreas Demetriou, 22, who wounded a British business man, were the first to be executed since the emergency began over demands for union of Cyprus with Greece. They were hanged before sunrise Thursday morning.

The priest who performed their funeral rites, Papanotis Erotikritou, said he slept at the prison and was awakened early in the morning and taken to the coffins of the two men. He said he recited a short prayer and kissed their foreheads which were still warm, but lifeless.

As news of the executions reached other cities, Cypriots decided to observe mourning in total silence. One after another church bells began to ring and whispered word went among the white regalia marched in the streets of New York, whose papers said that this was "the greatest temperance sermon ever preached in America."

Believe It or Not!

Believe It or Not! advertisement featuring a woman's face and various facts like 'SHEEP IN NEPAL ARE NUZZLED' and 'LADY CHARLOTTE SEYMOUR BECAUSE SHE DROVE OFF INSTEAD OF GUARDING THE DUKE OF SOMERSET WAS FINED \$100,000 BY THE DUKE WHO WAS HER OWN FATHER'.

Out Our Way

By J. R. Williams

Out Our Way comic strip panels showing a fence and a man talking.

Our Boarding House

Major Hoople

Our Boarding House comic strip panels showing a man in a suit talking.

Bringing Up Father

Bringing Up Father comic strip panels showing a man and a woman talking.

They Want to Remain Distant Cousins

They Want to Remain Distant Cousins comic strip panels showing a man and a woman talking.

You're Going to Die in 30 Days

You're Going to Die in 30 Days comic strip panels showing a man and a woman talking.

They Object, That's Leaning Again

They Object, That's Leaning Again comic strip panels showing a man and a woman talking.

Grandma comic strip panels showing an elderly woman.

Mickey Mouse

Mickey Mouse comic strip panels showing Mickey Mouse.

Henry

Henry comic strip panels showing a boy named Henry.

Muggs and Skeeter

Muggs and Skeeter comic strip panels showing two boys in a boat.

Tilly The Toilet

Tilly The Toilet comic strip panels showing a woman in a bathroom.

Etta Kent

Etta Kent comic strip panels showing a woman talking.

Joe Palooka

Joe Palooka comic strip panels showing a man in a suit.

The Lone Ranger

The Lone Ranger comic strip panels showing a man on a horse.

Secret Agent X9

Secret Agent X9 comic strip panels showing a man in a suit.

POGO

POGO comic strip panels showing a man and a woman talking.

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