

# BURGESS BEDTIME STORIES

By Thornton W. Burgess

ONE OF THE AND WAIT  
When the sun had set  
and the moon had  
risen, the little  
nature was  
asleep. The  
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much of his time up in a certain tree that overlooked Paddy's pond. He could wait there, and keep watch. He wanted to be on hand if what he hoped would happen, did happen.  
Buster Bear hadn't the patience to stay in one place and watch. He prowled about uneasily. He didn't care who saw him. It was much the same way with Old Man Coyote. They didn't try to keep out of sight of Paddy and Mrs. Paddy. They didn't need to. "My dear," said Paddy to Mrs. Paddy. "If anything happens and our house is washed away or our dam broken, remember to keep out in the water. Don't go ashore even for a minute. Even if the water isn't deep, none of those three will come out in it to get us."  
"I know," said Mrs. Paddy. "It seems as if we have enough to worry about without worrying about those fellows. Wouldn't you think they would be sorry for us?"  
"Well, they're not. And, my dear, I am sort of sorry for them," said Paddy.  
Mrs. Paddy looked at him as if she would like to see his eyes. "Why then?" she asked.  
Paddy grinned. At least he meant it for a grin. "I'm always sorry for someone who is disappointed when they are sure of something they are not going to get," replied Paddy.

## Strange But True

By F. H. MacArthur

When will we find a human invention of which old Mother Nature has not constructed the first model?  
The common word panic was known in Ancient Greece as early as 490 B. C. The Greeks held the thought that panic was spread by the God Pan and so they rewarded him with a grotto for his worship upon Aconopolis.  
There are seven candidates for the title of King among the three million gyppies of South Africa. The results of the election will not be released until next March.  
James Rinalde of New York, can say two words in 27 different languages. What are these two words and how long it takes to say them?  
"Shoeshine" are the words and that is his trade at the United Nations.  
Don't forget that the next tax law makes April 15 the deadline for filing income tax returns in 1955. The traditional filing date of March 15 was in effect 40 years—or since 1913.  
The fourth pearl was added to Princess Anne's birthday necklace by her mother, Queen Elizabeth. Incidentally, one pearl is added each year—a family custom. When the necklace is complete with 13 pearls the princess will be ready for her debut into palace society. Only then will she be permitted to wear it.

## BIG RAILWAYS

Railways in India had a total route mileage of 34,406 in 1954.

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## NEW DOMINION SCHOOL

February report of New Dominion School:  
GRADE IX — 1. Calleen MacPhail; 2. Bruce MacPhee.  
GRADE VIII — 1. Lester MacPhail; 2. Stanley MacPhail; 3. Harvey Livingstone.  
GRADE VII — 1. Fernie MacPhee; 2. Merrill MacPhail.  
GRADE III — 1. Linda MacDonal.  
Highest average attendance in senior grades — Ronald MacPhail 88.5%.  
Highest average attendance in junior grades — Linda MacDonal 95.2%.  
Perfect attendance — Lester MacPhail, Merrill MacPhail and Linda MacDonal.  
Teacher — Pearl Nicholson.

## HOPE RIVER SCHOOL

February report of Hope River School:  
GRADE IX — 1. Fernie Stewart.  
GRADE VIII — 1. Margaret Simpson; 2. Herbert Simpson.  
GRADE VI — 1. Gemma Reid; 2. Archie Stewart.  
GRADE IV (Sr.) — 1. Helen Gallant.  
GRADE IV (Jr.) — 1. Marie Cullen; 2. Leonard Gallant; 3. Marcellus Reid.  
GRADE III — 1. Heather Cole; 2. Brendan Doucette; 3. Giles Reid.  
GRADE II — 1. Gerard Malone.  
GRADE I (Sr.) — 1. Eileen Simpson; 2. Allan Cullen; 3. Lowell Reid.  
GRADE I (Jr.) — 1. Carla Reid; 2. Sharon Cole; 3. Allan Simpson.  
Highest average in Senior Grades — Margaret Simpson.  
Highest average in Junior Grades — Heather Cole.  
Teacher — Marie Nunn.

## ST. ANDREW'S C.W.L.

The February meeting of the St. Andrew's sub-division of the Catholic Women's League was held in the parish hall on Feb. 27th, with the president, Mrs. D. L. Mullen, presiding. There were forty-five members in attendance.  
The meeting opened with the recitation of the League Prayer by the Provincial Director, Rev. Fr. MacCormac.  
The minutes of the previous meeting were approved as read.  
The treasurer's report was given by Mrs. Ernest MacEachern and the bingo party report by the convener, Mrs. Bertram MacDonal.  
A receipt acknowledging money for the gift for Most Reverend Malcolm MacEachern was received.  
There were also several acknowledgments from those who had received gifts of chocolates at Christmas.  
It was moved by Mrs. James MacDonal and seconded by Mrs. Ernest MacEachern that \$50.00 be given to the pupil making the highest average in senior and junior Catechetical exams to be held in June.  
It was moved by Mrs. Ronald MacDonal and seconded by Mrs. Ernest MacEachern that \$20.00 be donated for the Catholic Girls' Scholarships at St. Dunstan's University.  
It was moved by Mrs. George MacCormac and seconded by Mrs. Charles Campbell that \$20.00 be sent to the Missionaries of Mary.  
It was moved by Mrs. Ernest MacEachern and seconded by Mrs.

## MOUNT TRYON SCHOOL

January and February report of Mount Tryon School:  
Grade X — 1. Vivian Martin; 2. Charlotte Noonan; 3. Amy Noonan.  
Grade IX — 1. Helen Warren.  
Grade VIII — 1. Everett Martin.  
Grade VII — 1. Martina Warren; 2. Walter Warren.  
Grade V — 1. Morley Wood; 2. Eldred Warren; 3. Donnie Noonan.  
Grade IV — 1. Wendell Noonan; 2. Audrey Walsh.  
Grade III (a) — 1. Lea Martin; 2. Edith Curtis.  
Grade III (b) — 1. Dennis Warren; 2. Velda Dawson.  
Grade II — 1. Lillian MacKenna.  
Grade I (a) — 1. Blain Dawson.  
Grade I (b) — 1. Verna Martin; 2. Earl Warren; 3. Eileen Walsh and Ronnie MacKenna equal.  
Grade I (c) — 1. Gloria MacQuigley; 2. Elizabeth MacKenna.  
Grade I (d) — 1. Derek MacKay.  
Highest average for the senior grades — Morley Wood, 94 per cent, and for the junior grades, Verna Martin, 94 per cent. Perfect attendance for February, Morley Wood, Wendell Noonan, and Verna Martin.  
Teacher: Wanda Willis.

## ANNANDALE SCHOOL

Month of February report:  
Grade VIII — 1. Eleanor Norton; 2. Belle Campbell.  
Grade VII — 1. Leonard Campbell.  
Grade VI — 1. Sandra Bouchard.  
Grade V — 1. Theresa Campbell; 2. Randy Jenkins; 3. Katherine Campbell.  
Grade IV Sr. — 1. Laura Jenkins; 2. Patty Jenkins; 3. Gordon Blackett; 4. David Blackett; 5. Roy Metcalfe.  
Grade IV Jr. — 1. George MacDonald; 2. Clara MacDonald.  
Grade III — 1. Helen Campbell; 2. Judy Metcalfe.  
Grade II — 1. Mary Jenkins and Sidney MacDonald (equal); 2. Allan Bouchard; 3. Lynda MacFarlane.  
Grade I Sr. — 1. Johnny Campbell; 2. Marshall MacDonald.  
Perfect attendance: Eleanor Norton, Leonard Campbell, Belle Campbell, Katherine Campbell, Patty Jenkins, Roy Metcalfe, David Blackett, Gordon Blackett, Clara Mae MacDonald, George MacDonald, Judy Metcalfe, Helen Campbell, Mary Lorne McEwen, MacFarlane, Johnny Campbell.  
Highest average: Sr. grades — Eleanor Norton 96 per cent. Jr. grades, Sidney MacDonald and Mary Jenkins (equal) 89 per cent.  
Teacher, Mrs. Helen Cobb.

## STERLING W. I.

The February meeting of Sterling W. I. was held at the home of Mrs. Gordon Fyfe.  
Meeting opened by singing of Ode and recitation of the United Roll call was answered by fifteen members and one visitor with an exchange of Valentines.  
More discussion on history of Stanley took place and was left over for another meeting.  
Sick committee reported calls made and treats given.  
New committees were appointed: Sick, Mrs. A. Bolger and Mrs. E. Fyfe; School, Mrs. C. McKay and Mrs. A. S. McEwen.  
Correspondence was read and decided to send \$5.00 to March of Dimes, also to canvas district for Red Cross if ask to do so.  
It was decided to buy new oil cloth for table in upper school room, also more hooks for coats.  
Next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Lorne McEwen; roll call an Irish joke; lunch committee, Mrs. F. S. Bell, Mrs. E. Fyfe, Mrs. C. McKay, Mrs. R. Douglas and Mrs. K. R. McKay; programme Mrs. R. Douglas and Mrs. Bolger.  
Collection amounted to \$1.65.  
Program committee then took charge and an interesting reading on N.S., and a contest were enjoyed by all.  
Hostess and lunch committee then took charge and a delicious lunch was enjoyed by all. Meeting closed with singing of the "Queen."

## DAILY CROSSWORD

- ACROSS**  
1. More secure  
6. Impress deeply  
11. By oneself  
12. Work stories  
13. Living slowly  
15. Birds as a class  
16. Underworld goer  
17. Scotch-type pronoun  
18. Dry, as wine  
19. Paddle-like process  
20. Scotch river  
21. Melodies  
23. Gull-like bird  
24. Agitated  
27. Poker stake  
28. Italian river  
29. Alternative reply  
30. Travel back and forth  
31. Ignited  
34. Samarium (sym.)  
35. The song of a rick (var.)  
36. Hindu garment  
37. Joyce Kilmer's famous poem  
39. Oil of rose petals  
40. Book of maps  
41. Type of leather
- DOWN**  
42. German river (So. Am.)  
43. Medieval stories  
4. Living  
3. Predicts  
4. Remnants  
5. Property (L.)  
4. Killed  
7. Scotch-type caps  
8. Warp-yarn writer  
10. Make believe  
14. The blues (colloq.)  
19. Back waste  
20. Laid  
22. Frost  
23. Unit of weight  
24. The morning star  
25. To bury (poet.)  
26. A lever  
29. Antiquated  
32. Sultan's decree  
33. Wearied officer  
35. University  
36. Stupefy  
38. High priest  
39. Man's name

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**DAILY CRYPTOQUOTE—Here's how to work it:**  
A X Y D L B A A X R  
is LONG FELLOW  
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  
LPY OLJBPJFU, WABF LPY WS.  
EJSPCFQQ, QBFLCQ NAB L UCLPDP  
SZ BJWF—DLWONFCG  
Yesterday's Cryptoquote: TIS WELL AVBERED, A SCIENTIFIC FAITH'S ABSURD — BROWNING.



Henry



Grandma



Mickey Mouse



Bringing Up Father



Muggs and Skooter



Etta Kett



Tilly The Toiler



Joe Palooka



The Lone Ranger



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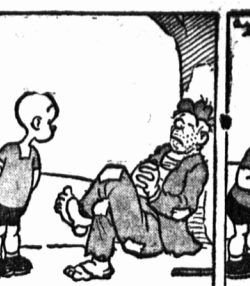
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Joe Palooka



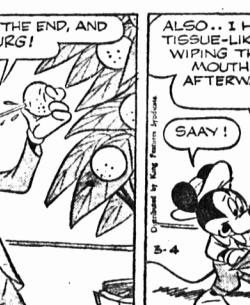
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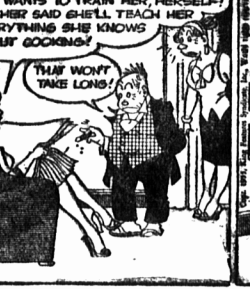
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Grandma



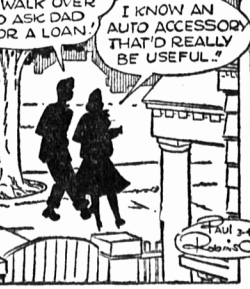
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Bringing Up Father



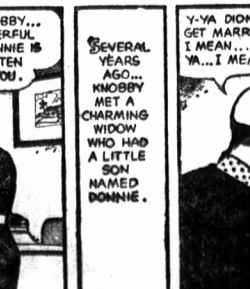
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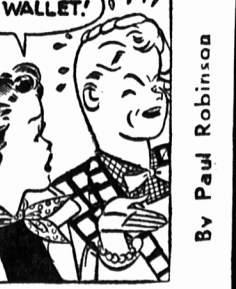
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The Lone Ranger

POOR QUALITY ORIGINAL

By Carl Anderson

By Charles Kuhn

By Walt Disney

By George McManus

By Wally Bishop

By Paul Robinson

By Bob Gustafson

By Ham Fisher

By Fran Striker