

BURGESS BEDTIME STORIES



By Thornton W. Burgess

When two or more cooperate, to some extent they govern fate. —Old Mother Nature.

Hunger leads to bold deeds. People who are very, very hungry will do almost anything to get food. They will take chances that they otherwise would not think of taking.

Reddy Fox and Mrs. Reddy were hungry. They had had so little to eat for so long because of the bad winter weather that they were really starving. So they were willing to take almost any chance to get something to eat. They had joined one to a distant farm where Reddy had hoped they might get into the hen house. They could not get in, however, and no Fox could get in. Now they were planning to catch a hen in broad daylight, a thing they would not have thought of trying had they not been so hun-

gry. From a hiding place not too far from the doorway where the hen had been let out for exercise, Reddy and Mrs. Reddy looked things over carefully while they planned. There were three Dogs over in that yard. Reddy was to show himself and get the Dogs to chase him. Mrs. Reddy was to catch one of those Hens. The plan called for boldness on the part of both, and it often takes real courage to be bold.



When he boldly trotted out into the open.

Keeping out of sight from the house Mrs. Reddy circled around the hen house, then crept close to it and she could peek around a corner to see where those Hens were talking about. Reddy remained in his hiding place until he saw the hen go to Mrs. Reddy around the corner of the house. Then he boldly trotted out into the open. He didn't go any nearer to the doorway than he felt he had to. He wanted the Dogs, or one of them, to see him. Then he would have a good start when the Dogs started to chase him. But those Dogs were busy about affairs of their own. No one didn't look in Reddy's direc-

Too Big A Night? For Upset Stomach Take

DR. FOWLER'S
extract of
WILD STRAWBERRY

THROAT SORE?
or common ordinary sore throat
JUST RUB ON
MINARD'S LINIMENT
"KING OF PAIN"

Sorry of FALSE TEETH slipping or irritating?
Don't be embarrassed by loose false teeth slipping, dropping or wobbling in your mouth. Talk or laugh. Just make a little PASTETH on your teeth. This special powder gives a remarkable sense of added comfort and security by holding plates more firmly. No gummy, sticky false teeth. It's alkaline (non-acid). PASTETH at any drug counter.

TELEVISION CKW — Moncton
Television Programme
Channel 2
TUESDAY
p.m.—FM Concert Hall
p.m.—Florian Zabach
p.m.—At Home with Helen Crocker
p.m.—Today with Ariene Holder
p.m.—Uncle Jack at the Piano
p.m.—World Passport
p.m.—Howdy Doody
p.m.—Barbie's Scrapbook
p.m.—CKW-TV News
p.m.—Weather
p.m.—Sports
p.m.—CBC News
p.m.—Florian Zabach
p.m.—Adventures of Robin Hood
p.m.—GM Theatre.
p.m.—Fragnet
p.m.—Pick The Stars
p.m.—Citizens Forum
p.m.—What's My Line
p.m.—CKW-TV News
p.m.—Weather
p.m.—Feature Film
p.m.—Sign Off

Strange But True

By F. H. MacArthur

The house with a face in the chimney has been an attraction at White Plains North, N. Y., for 32 years. It was built in 1922-23 by John Bolved.

Using only field stones in their natural shapes, Bolved build a high wall about his property, the foundation for his house, and the odd chimney.

I intended to form a stone likeness of George Washington in the chimney. But he found that unexpectedly difficult. Instead, after many attempts, he was surprised and pleased to notice his creation looked like Uncle Sam, even to the beard. That's the face seen in the chimney at the present time. Neighboring children call it "The man in the Moon."

"I'm swastika outlined below the face might lead the uniforms" to I'ink Bolved, a Latvian, once had Nazi sympathies. But that would be distorting the truth. The symbol is known as a Latvian fire cross. Latvians use it as a signal and fire alarm. If help of any kind is needed, they attach rags or anything else that will burn easily to each of the four hooks and set fire to it.

In some places where bamboo grows freely, people make houses of it, eat the green shoots, use large bamboo joints for cooking and storage pots, use bamboo blowguns for weapons, and make chairs, mats, fences, smoking pipes, and raft' out of it.

If a second state of Texas were added, continental United States then would be as large as Brazil, South America.

It's a safe bet that you've never seen a shade tree like this! In Calcutta, India, there's a banyan tree in the city's Botanic Gardens which is so large that several hundred people can sit beneath its branches.

Among the Tuaregs, a nomadic people of the Sahara Desert, the men wear veils, the women do not. "Strange as it may seem to those who haven't seen it, horses in the mining district of British Columbia, Canada, plod over blizzard-swept trails on snowshoes. No one seems to know who first put the horses on these shoes, but the practise has been going on for 50 years or more.

The foot gear is made of iron and steel — three quarter inch pipe fashioned by local smithies for the frame and light steel chains

CONTRACT BRIDGE

By Josephine Culbertson

THE TIME ELEMENT

The crucial question in a great many hands is not whether to ruff a loser in the dummy, but when. The deal below illustrates this point perfectly.

South dealer.
North-South vulnerable.

♠ 5 2
♥ A 6 4
♦ A K 9 6 2
♣ 7 6 4

♠ J 8 7 6 3
♥ Q 7
♦ Q 10 8 5
♣ 9 2

♠ A K 4
♥ 8 3 2
♦ 7 3
♣ K Q J 10 8

The bidding:
South (West) North East
1 ♣ 1 ♥ 2 ♣ Pass
3 ♣ Pass 4 ♣ Pass
5 ♣ Pass Pass Pass

North's bidding was rather ambitious, particularly when he went last the three-no-trump level with his raise of South's minor suit, but the fact is that three no-trump would have had no chance whatsoever on a heart opening lead, whereas South did have an excellent play for five clubs. True,

for the open webbing. Metal clips from hoof to toe and side keep the shoes in place. It takes a little tactful persuasion to break in a horse to its shoes. But soon the animal is ready to haul, in tandem or caravan, loads up to 400 pounds.

The horse-powered transports, laden with drills, anvils, dynamite, lumber, stoves, and food, forge up the mountain trails to the isolated mining camps 30 miles from the sea. Only the cleverly fashioned steel snowshoes make many of the trips possible.

If you think too many marriages today are based on dollars and cents, let's take a look at our ancestors.

In the olden days in ancient Babylonia and Assyria, brides were auctioned once a year in front of the temple. The price paid for beautiful girls was turned over to the more homely girls as dowries

so that every girl eventually found a husband.

Nazareth, where Jesus Christ, a Jew, lived much of his life, now has an all-Arab population.

Because it's easier than walking or carrying, Jerry Courneyea has put his gas station attendants on roller skates at Burnaby, B. C. Sales are up, too, because people like to see the novel service.

"We run in and out to the pumps hundreds of times a day," Jerry says. "By the end of a shift, our feet get mighty tired. This way, we just give a little push from the office door and coast right down to the car. Our feet feel new."

When a Libetan greets a superior, he sticks out his tongue.

Eighty per cent of the world's banana supply comes from tropical America, with Ecuador the largest producer.

Our Boarding House Major Hoople

LEAD, AS YOU CHAPS SIT ENJOYING THE WORLD'S NEWS DO YOU THINK OF THE SWORD OF EXORBITANT NEWSPRINT PRICES HANGING OVER THE PRESS? I'M DEDICATING MY SCIENTIFIC FACILITIES TO A SOLUTION! ONE THING WE NEED — UM-AH — IS MORE TREES. BUT DYNAMITE ACTION IS DEMANDED NOW!

YEAM AND A NEWS PAPER MAN TOO! YOU WROTE THE EDITOR ONCE BEEFING ABOUT THE GUEST ON PARK BENCHES GETTING IN YOUR HAIR!

YOU'RE A DYNAMO OF ACTION ALL RIGHT! YOU NEVER WALK AROUND WITH A BROWN GHOSTING LONGER THAN A WEEK!

THE MAN TO HANDLE IT!

Out Our Way By J. R. Williams

WHEN YOU'D LOVE TO LIVE FOREVER

Grandma
THERE! WHEN I SIT DOWN I ENJOY A GOOD BOOK...
... LIKE I HAVE ALL TH' TRIMMIN'S KINDA HANDY!!

Mickey Mouse
WANT TO LOSE SOME WEIGHT, YEAH, BUT...
LET ME OUT OF HERE! I'M MELTING AWAY...!
I KNEW IT! THAT BUY SHRANK ME...!
GIVE ME MY SUIT, SHORTY! YOU GOT IN THE WRONG LOCKER!
THANK GOODNESS!

Henry
THINK — YOUNG MAN — THINK

Muggs and Skeeter
YOU SAY YOU DIDN'T DO YOUR HOMEWORK LAST NIGHT ON ACCOUNT OF ILLNESS?
I SEE YOU BROUGHT A NOTE...
YES, MAAM... HERE IT IS...
IT'S FROM GRANDPA...
BUT HE WRITES THAT HE'S ONE WHO WAS ILL...
THAT'S RIGHT, TEACHER... I HAD BEEN COUNTING ON HIM TO HELP ME!!

Bringing Up Father
I THINK IT'S DISGRACEFUL THE WAY YOU DRESS! WHAT IF ANY OF MY SOCIETY FRIENDS SHOULD CALL WHILE I'M OUT?!!
LET 'EM CALL!
AH, THIS IS GOLD COMFORT! I WOULDN'T PUT ME SHIRT ON FOR ANYBODY!
— ER — EXCUSE ME A MINUTE PLEASE!
COULD I INTEREST YOU IN A SET OF BOOKS, SIR?
SORRY TO KISS YOU, WATSON, MISS!

Tilly the Toiler
GET UP TILLY! I HEAR DUDLEY PUFFERING AROUND IN THE KITCHEN!
LAND GAMES! I THOUGHT YOU WERE MAKING BREAKFAST FOR US!
I AM!

Ertha Kent
HI UNCLE ED! HEARD THE EXPLOSION LAST NIGHT?
EXPLOSION? IS THAT WHAT THAT WAS?
BUT OF COURSE!
IT RATTLED WINDOWS FOR BLOCKS! YOU MEAN YOU DIDN'T HEAR?!

Joe Palooka
I'M GOIN' IN TOWN T'LOOK OVER TH' NEW EQUIPMENT. RELAX TILL I GET BACK.
I'LL WRITE SOME LETTERS TO THE FAMILY. SEE YOU LATER.
WELL, I'LL BE... THERE'S ALEX... ARLEE'S MANAGER... THINK I'LL HAVE A TALK WITH 'IM.
HE WENT IN TH' LUNCHEONETTE. I'M GONNA TELL 'IM A THING OR TWO ABOUT ALL THEM THINGS ARLEE'S BEEN DO' SAVIN'!

The Lone Ranger
FOOL! YOU NEVER ESCAPE!
MAYBE NOT, BUT I'M SURE GONNA TRY!
TOMMY! THERE'S A FIGHT ON THE BLUFF!
LOOK LIKE FELLER'S HANDS ARE TIED!

Secret Agent X9
HI, AUNT MILDRED! YES... I'M CALLING FROM THE AIRPORT! SORT OF TOSSEING MY HAT IN FIRST... IS WILDA THERE?
OH, ER — PHILIP!
W-WILDA ISN'T HOME RIGHT NOW, BUT WE EXPECT HER BACK ANY DAY!
ANY DAY?
WHAT IS THIS? WHERE IS SHE?
OH, SHE'S PROBABLY GONE INTO SECLUSION TO WRITE ANOTHER STORY!

DAILY CROSSWORD

- ACROSS**
- Century plant
 - Abbots (Fr.)
 - Engraver's tool
 - County in Erie
 - Melody
 - Gum arabic
 - Gadolinium (sym.)
 - Newer
 - Elevated (short)
 - Palm off fraudulently
 - Replies
 - Astern
 - Breathe noisily in sleep
 - Ancient region (W. coast of Asia Minor)
 - Ovum
 - Swarmed
 - New Zealand state
 - Nova Scotia (abbr.)
 - Public
 - Twisted object
 - Sacred bull (Egypt.)
 - Accented
 - Plant yielding antiseptic
 - Frishes
 - Turkish title
- DOWN**
- Arabian garment
 - Distant
 - King
 - Particle of addition
 - Disobedient
 - German composer
 - One of the Great Lakes
 - Condition of the desert
 - One who makes predictions
 - Otherwise
 - Albanian
 - Wicked children
 - Little
 - Irish gods
 - Ceremony
 - Small rodent
 - Man's name (Russ.)
 - Form of "ad" before "p"
 - Farm implement
 - Sacred bull (Egypt)
 - Mother of Irish gods
 - Body of water
 - Form of "ad" before "p"

DAILY CRYPTOQUOTE — Here's how to work it:
A X Y Z B A A K K
L O N G F E L L O W

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
W C C A Y R W S W T Y D, V R G A Y
R D H E Q A R Q R — O W Q V.

Yesterday's Cryptogram: TALK THAT DOES NOT END IN ANY KIND OF ACTION IS BETTER SUPPRESSED ALTOGETHER — CARLYLE.

POGO

LOOK! LET'S BE PRACTICAL! I'M MAKING UP MY CALENDAR FOR THIS YEAR... NO FRIDAY... THE THIRTEENTH IN IT... ALSO I'VE PRECISELY THINGS...

SUCH AS THE U.S. PRESIDENT, A STEAMSHIP, LEFT NEW YORK IN APRIL... AN YIP NEVER SEEN AGAIN... ALL ON A FRIDAY... THE THIRTEENTH... WHAT COME ON A TUESDAY?

IF YOU WANT TO FREE-PICK THINGS YOU GOTTA SAY... YESTERDAY WAS GONNA HAPPEN TOMORROW... I CAN PICK DOWN... 'POGO ELECTED 1956'

THAT'S WHY I WANT YOU TO RUN FOR PRESIDENT... THEN FREE BE BROWN GAY... I CAN PICK DOWN... 'POGO ELECTED 1956'

POGO — EVEN IF A MAN RUNS YOU CAN'T SAY HIS GONNA WIN — HE COULD LOSE!
GO TO ALL THAT TROUBLE... AN THEN LOSE... CALL THIS A FREE COUNTRY?!

LIT Abner

THE COMMITTEE PICK 'EM A LIFE!

THE YOUNG MAN WILL BE EASY TO RECOGNIZE. A YOUNG FAMILY OF THREE —

LOOK AT THAT POOR GIRL... SHE'S A BLOND!

WHY DON'T THEY TURN THE LIGHTS ON AT THIS AIRPORT?

IT'S — ER — THAT CALIFORNIA SMOG. NO ONE CAN SEE ANYTHING.

— THERE'S THE COMMITTEE — I'LL TELL THEM ABOUT HER — OUF! HER HAIR!

WAIT, BE DEAR — I'LL BE RIGHT BACK.

SOME SMOG?!

By AJ Capp
Secret Agent X9

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By Walt Disney
By Carl Anderson
By Wally Bishop
By George McManus
By Bob Gustafson
By Paul Robinson
By Ham Fisher
By Fran Striker
By Mel Graff