

The Tiny Folk

(A real story of real children for very young children)

Just about every family on Playtime Lane, and in the village too, owned a dog. There were big dogs and little dogs, shaggy dogs and short haired dogs, growly watch dogs and playful puppies. And you can be sure that each child loved his own dog the best.

Did you know that dogs are much like children? They like to romp and play. They like to be loved; yes, they even like to be naughty once in a while, but they like to have a special dog playmate too, just as their masters like to have special pals.

Frisky and Tammy were the two best dog friends on Playtime Lane. They paid no attention to the other dogs nor did they ever stray far from home.

Frisky, Laurie Page's little terrier, was tan and white. Tammy was a bit smaller than his friend, and he was mostly white, with a tan patch on his head. That patch gave him his name, for it looked for all the world like a little brown tam stuck up there, between his ears. His short little tail was brown too.

When Tammy got out in the morning, he would make straight across the fields to visit Frisky. Sometimes Frisky would be sitting at the front of the house waiting for him. When he could find no trace of his friend, Tammy would run with his quick little dog steps to stand in front of the kitchen window. There he would bark a very short, sharp bark. Laurie or Mrs. Page was sure to come to the window to see who was barking, and then Frisky would come flying out.

This morning Tammy was out

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BURGESS BEDTIME STORIES



By Thornton W. Burgess

NOT INTERESTED

When there is nothing to regret, There's nothing over which to fret. —Old Mother Nature.

That saying is very true, but many people fret anyway. If they haven't any real cause for worrying and being fretful, they imagine one. Prickly Porky is one of those persons. Few people have less to

worry about than has Prickly Porky. He never has to go hungry. He never has to do any real hunting for food. He never has to fight for it, and it is very seldom that an enemy of whom he need be afraid, bothers him. Yet Prickly Porky is a fretful person, and Mrs. Porky is no better.

Mrs. Porky had joined Prickly Porky in a big henlock tree in a lonesome part of the Green Forest. He hadn't welcomed her. No, sir, he hadn't welcomed her. He had frankly told her that she should find another tree. It was



"Not interested," growled Prickly Porky.

many days since he had seen her, yet he didn't ask where she had been. She said something of the sort to him.

"Not interested," grunted Prickly Porky.

"I've some news for you," said Mrs. Porky.

"Not interested," repeated Prickly Porky with his mouth full.

"You should be," said Mrs. Porky.

"Well, I'm not," grunted Prickly Porky.

"You have a son," said Mrs. Porky.

"Well, I've just told you I'm not interested," retorted Prickly Porky, and went on eating.

"Don't you even want to know where he is?" asked Mrs. Porky.

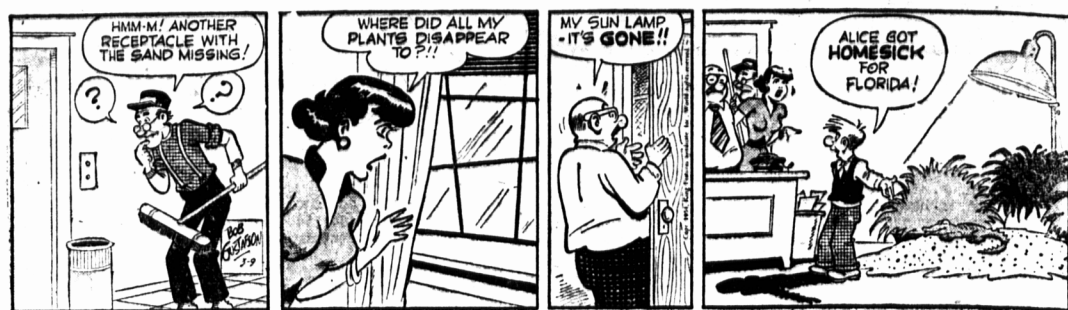
"No," grunted Prickly Porky; and he said it as if he really meant it, which he did.

Mrs. Porky said nothing more for a while. Prickly paid no more attention to her. He acted just as if she wasn't there. She ate until she had had enough, then she began to back down out of the tree. "You ought to see him," said she, "he's different."

"I don't care how different he is," retorted Prickly Porky.

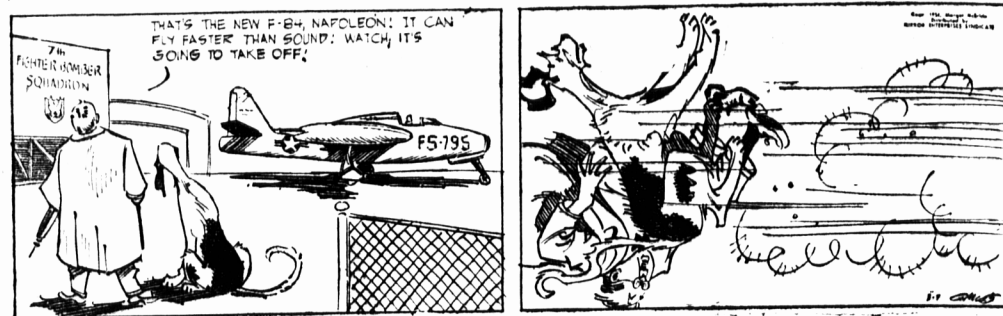
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Tilly The Toiler



By Bob Gustafson

Napoleon and Uncle Elby



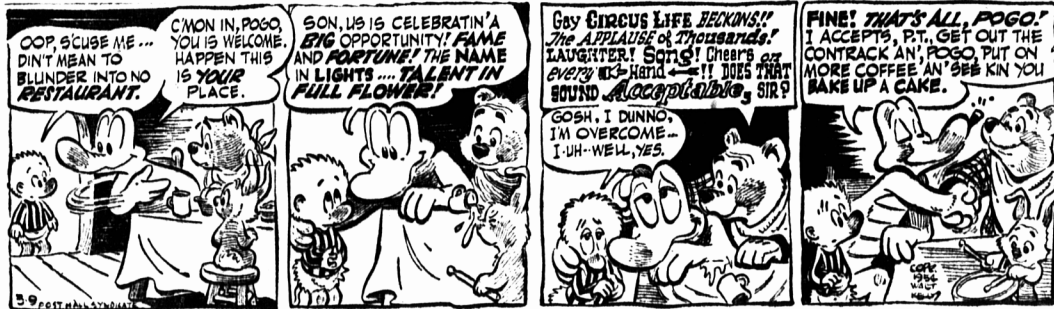
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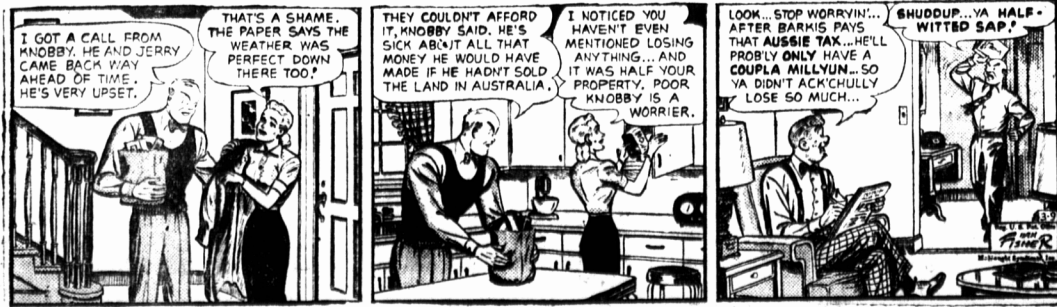
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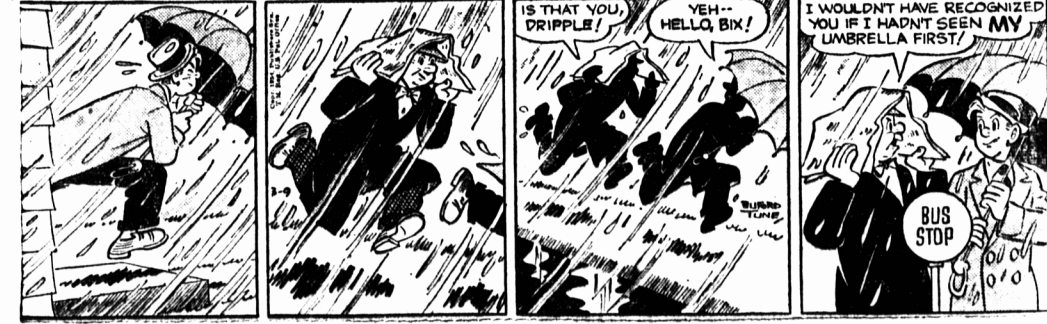
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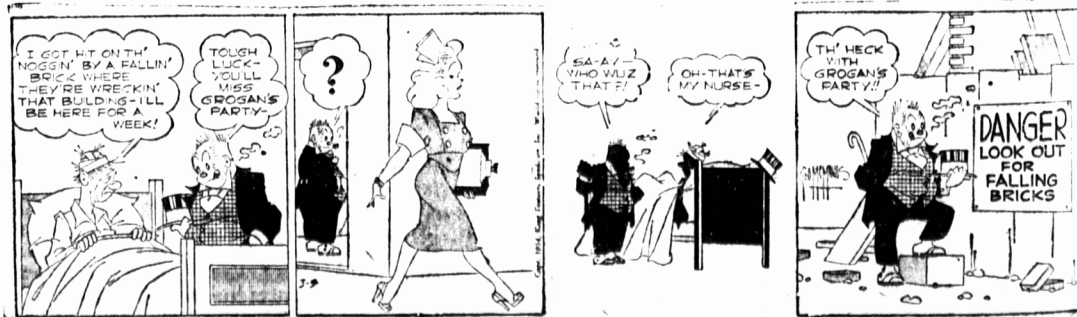
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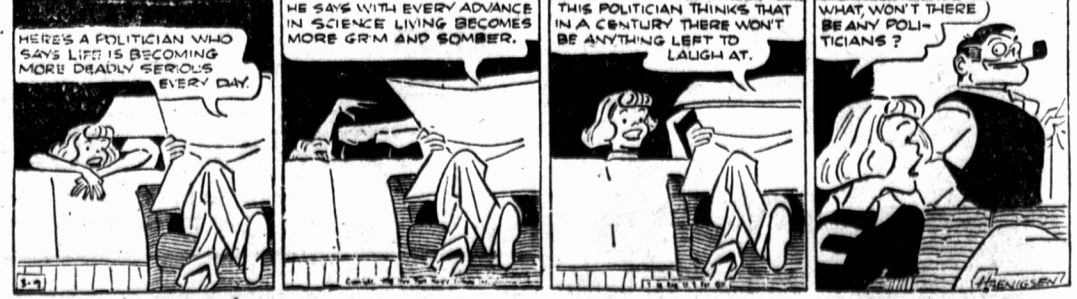
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