

United Services Officers Club
 IN CONFORMITY WITH COURT MOURNING
 PROCEDURE, OFFICERS OF THE GARRISON MAY
 ATTEND THE ARMISTICE BALL IN EVENING
 CLOTHES OR BUSINESS DRESS.

ATTENTION
N. C. O.'s CHARLOTTETOWN GARRISON
ATTEND
 Re-Opening of your Mess
TONIGHT AT 2000 HOURS
 A cordial invitation is extended to all
 Garrison Officers on opening night.

DAILY CROSSWORD

ACROSS
 1. Spill over
 5. Fencing sword
 9. French river
 10. Intrepidity
 12. Harness parts
 13. Weeds
 14. Wine receptacle
 15. Plead
 16. Right side (abbr.)
 17. French chemist
 20. Luzon native
 21. Half an em
 22. Fowl
 23. Active
 24. Fortified seaport (N. Fr.)
 26. Forest
 28. Shield
 29. River (Latin)
 31. Skill
 32. Simulate
 34. Earth as a goddess
 35. Owns
 36. Sum up
 37. Moth
 39. East Indian cereal grass (var.)
 41. Chambers
 42. Near (poet.)
 43. Back of the neck
 44. Caution

DOWN
 1. Mariner

2. Climbing beans
 3. Undivided
 4. Foot-like organ
 5. Come in
 6. Wampum
 7. Blunder
 8. Turns outward
 9. Form
 11. Literary composition
 15. Large coal bins (naut.)
 18. Dull, heavy sound
 19. Even (poet.)
 20. North-sea diving bird
 23. Dry, as wine
 24. Speck
 26. Frozen water
 27. Bet
 28. Pacific coast state
 29. Of the Andes Mts.
 30. Snake
 32. Describe, as a word
 33. Anxious

Yesterday's Answer
 35. A tough, strong fiber
 37. Gazelle (Tibet)
 39. Uncooked
 40. Sayings

DAILY CRYPTOQUOTE—Here's how to work it:
 AXYDLBAAXR
 is LONGFELLOW

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, length and formation of the words are all hints. Each day the code letters are different.

A Cryptogram Quotation
 MWGLKB BPLH CUAKHMIUKB GU BL
 QU M FPAXKBXMR—MFBK LS BP
 MCLKBWUK.

Yesterday's Cryptoquote: SHE HAS BEEN OBTAINED BY MY SKILL; BY MY SKILL SHE MUST BE RETAINED—OVID.

SAILING SCHEDULE, 1950
(DAILY INCLUDING SUNDAY)
NORTHUMBERLAND FERRIES LTD.
 HEAD OFFICE CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. ISLAND
 (SUBJECT TO CHANGE)
 STANDARD TIME

NOVEMBER 1st TO NOVEMBER 30th

Leave Wood Islands—
 Prince Nova 8 a.m. 1 p.m.
 Charles A. Dunning 11 a.m. 3 p.m.

Leave Caribou—
 Charles A. Dunning 8 a.m. 1 p.m.
 Prince Nova 11 a.m. 3 p.m.

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BURGESS BEDTIME STORIES

(By Thornton W. Burgess)

HONKER INTERFERES
 Few folks there are who ever know how much to other folks they owe. —Old Mother Nature.

Four young Geese had made the acquaintance of two little strangers on the shore of a pond deep in the Green Forest. That is what they thought, anyway. Of course they hadn't. No one ever is acquainted with strangers. To be really acquainted with a person

Contract Bridge

By Josephine Culbertson

IRRELEVANT AND IMMATERIAL

Many of the arguments over the forcing or non-forcing nature of a bid have no great pertinence, because the bid was wrong in any case! Consider this deal:

North dealer.
 Neither side vulnerable.

♠ A J 7 6 3
 ♥ J 10 9 5
 ♦ 10
 ♣ A 10 4

♠ Q 8 6 2
 ♥ A Q 7
 ♦ 8 4
 ♣ J 6 5

The bidding:
 North East South West
 1 ♠ Pass 2 ♦ Pass
 2 ♠ Pass 4 ♦ (!) Pass

As may be seen, South's only losers were two hearts—and so the game had been missed by stopping at four diamonds.

Inevitably, North and South then argued over the blame, South insisting that his jump from two spades to four diamonds had been a force, while North just as doggedly disagreed with this interpretation. With elaborate sarcasm North asked what South would have done if North had bid four spades. "I would have bid five diamonds, of course," South replied virtuously. "Then why didn't you bid five diamonds?" North thundered.

It goes without saying, of course, that South's bidding philosophy was absurd. Surely, there was no good reason for coaxing (or even forcing) North to bid something which South himself could so safely and logically bid for himself! Actually, South's jump rebid of a suit he had previously mentioned was not an absolute force, and North was well within his partnership rights (as well as sensible) when he passed to four diamonds. What else could North do with any justification?

It is true that matters would have gone more smoothly if North had elected to pass originally, instead of making such a light opening bid, but this had no bearing on the situation which developed. With North's particular hand, containing support for both majors, the opening bid was in accord with expert practice, and simply by opening North did not commit himself to keep going indefinitely. Beyond any argument, South should have jumped to five diamonds.

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PUBLIC MEETING

To organize a Children's Aid Society for our Province. This is of vital interest to every parent. Careful survey has proved the need, which cannot be met without your interest and support. Please attend this Organization Meeting at the L. P. U. HALL, 48 Water Street, Charlottetown, NOV. 9th at 8 P.M.

Signed:
REV. G. C. WEBSTER, President.
J. R. MacMILLAN, Secretary.

KING OF THE ROYAL MOUNTED

By Zane Grey



JOE PALOOKA

By Ham Fish



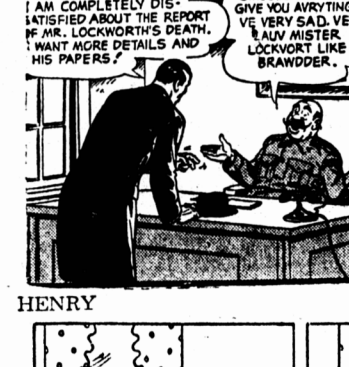
HENRY

By Carl Anderson



DOTTY DIPPLE

By Rufus



TIPPY AND "CAP" STUBS

By Edwin



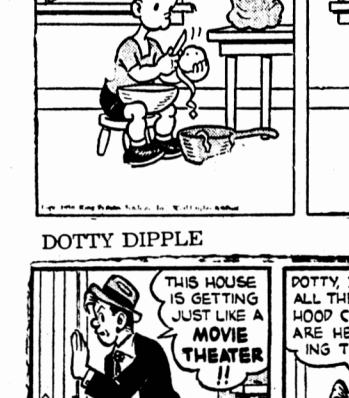
BRINGING UP FATHER

By George McMahon



LIL' ABNER

By Al Capp



TILLY THE TOILER

By Westover



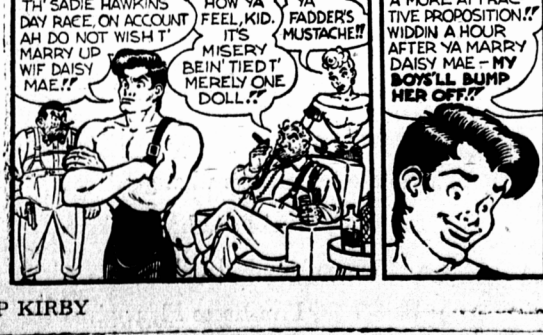
PENNY

By Harry Neumann



KIP KIRBY

By Alex Raymond



LIL' ABNER

By Al Capp

