

# BURGESS BEDTIME STORIES



By Thornton W. Burgess

**THE THREE DOGS**  
As, that it should often be.  
The best of eyes still do not see.  
—Old Mother Nature.

Jolly, round, bright, Mr. Sun was starting his morning climb up the blue blue sky. He looked down on two disappointed foxes. Yes sir, they were two disappointed foxes. They were Reddy and Mrs. Reddy. They had traveled a long distance to a certain lone farm where Reddy had been sure he could get into the hen house. A long time before he had visited that farm and at that time there had been a place where a smart fox might get in. Now they had made this long trip only to find that place had been fixed. There was no possible way for them to get into that hen house.



When the Black Shadows began to go back to the Purple Hills, Reddy and Mrs. Reddy went over to a bit of woodland in which they might spend the day. They were tired as well as hungry, for they had come a long distance. Then, about in a strange place in broad daylight.

"I suppose there's nothing for us to do but to go back home as soon as it is safe to travel," said Mrs. Reddy. She sounded discouraged. "Perhaps," replied Reddy. "What do you mean by perhaps?" asked Mrs. Reddy.

**PROPOSE "KID COPS"**  
SUDBURY, Ont. (CP) — Police cadets, youths between 18 and 21, may take over part of the routine office duties of McKim township police in making the recommendation to the board of police commissioners, Chief Constable Bert Gullet said the cadets could handle the police radio and answer telephones. No uniforms would be required.

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**SATURDAY**  
1:00 p.m. — FM Pops  
1:30 p.m. — Hopalong Cassidy  
2:00 p.m. — Junior Playhouse  
2:30 p.m. — Kids on Camera  
3:00 p.m. — Wild Bill Hickock  
3:30 p.m. — Disneyland  
4:00 p.m. — CKCW-TV News  
4:30 p.m. — Weather  
4:45 p.m. — Sports  
5:00 p.m. — CBC News  
5:30 p.m. — Navy Log  
6:00 p.m. — Holiday Ranch  
6:30 p.m. — Stage Show  
7:00 p.m. — Honey-mooners  
7:30 p.m. — On Camera  
8:00 p.m. — His Honor Homer Bell  
8:30 p.m. — Mr. Fixit  
9:00 p.m. — Pioneer 8 Square Dance  
11:00 p.m. — CKCW-TV News  
11:15 p.m. — Weather  
11:30 p.m. — Billy O'Connor  
11:45 p.m. — Charlie Chan  
12:35 a.m. — Sign Off

**SUNDAY**  
1:00 p.m. — M Choral Hour  
1:30 p.m. — Country Calendar  
2:00 p.m. — Window on Canada  
2:30 p.m. — Perspective  
3:00 p.m. — You Are There  
3:30 p.m. — Climax  
4:00 p.m. — Lassie  
4:30 p.m. — Sunday Interlude  
5:00 p.m. — News Magazine  
5:30 p.m. — Father Knows Best  
6:00 p.m. — Our Miss Brooks  
6:30 p.m. — This Is the Life  
7:00 p.m. — Toast of the Town  
8:00 p.m. — Four Star Theatre  
8:30 p.m. — CGE Showtime  
9:00 p.m. — International Playhouse  
10:00 p.m. — Window on Canada  
11:00 p.m. — CPE Fellin  
12:15 a.m. — Sign Off

## Strange But True

By F. H. MacArthur  
In Asia and Africa there are kangaroo mice and rats. They are called jerboas and gerbills. Both the rats and mice of these lands have heads and bodies like a rabbit, the tail of a squirrel, and a kangaroo's legs. They live in colonies like our prairie dogs. So it is easy for the natives to catch them when they choose to have a delicious meat pie.  
The most amazing inmate of the Salvation Army Men's Eventide Home near Sydney, Australia is Ernest Dunn, 103-year-old high kicker.  
Billed on the stage for nearly half a century as the frog man, the spry old English-born man still does a workout every day and amazes even doctors with his acrobatics. Once as a bet he put a two foot six inch square box on a table, walked into it and closed the lid. He admits he could not do that now.  
At least once in the history of Charlottetown a hungry mouse got into the control room of the city power plant, and nibbled on a wire and threw the city into darkness. The blackout occurred in 1905.  
St. John's Newfoundland harbor strata is only about 10,000 years old.  
Did you know the Grand Canyon acts as a barrier to many of the smaller animals living on the rims. Because of varying climatic conditions, animals on one rim are of different species from their relatives on the other side. This is true of squirrels, gophers, porcupines, rabbits, wood rats, chipmunks and some others. Classic examples are the kaibob squirrel of the north rim, the Albert squirrel of the south rim, the Albert squirrel. Both have tufted ears and a chestnut stripe down the back. But the kaibob has a white tail and black belly while the Albert has a white belly and a gray tail.  
The southernmost source of the River, the world's longest, is ten tiny springs 6700 feet above sea level in the Central African highlands of Ruanda Urundi. The bubbling tricklet stretches out for 4100 miles.  
A bottle no larger than one's little finger will hold over a million baby oysters.  
The greatest number of hits recorded by the major-league, between Chicago and Detroit took place on Sept. 6, 1883. Twenty-three Chicago batters went to the plate and 18 of them smashed out hits against several Detroit pitchers. Chicago scored 18 runs in that inning.  
Even a tombstone will say good things about a fellow who is down. If you are conscious that you don't know everything you have taken a long stride toward knowledge.  
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In the non-criminal files it has cards on members of the armed forces, government employees, those working on defense jobs, aliens, etc.  
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## CONTRACT BRIDGE

By Josephine Culbertson

**DON'T ELIMINATE GUESSES FOR THE ENEMY**  
The hand below, taken from an important team-of-four contest, dealer do his own guessing. South opened the club jack and North dealer.  
Both sides vulnerable.  
♠ J7  
♥ A762  
♦ J73  
♣ AQ103  
N  
W  
E  
S  
♠ Q52  
♥ QJ853  
♦ A65  
♣ J6  
♠ K1094  
♥ K984  
♦ K987  
♣ 3

One team did very well on the hand, the North-South pair being the contract at two hearts and making it for a score of 110 points, while the East-West pair became involved in the following auction:  
North East South West  
1♣ 1♠ 2♥ 2♠  
Pass 3♣ Pass Pass  
South properly played low (avoiding the error of squandering two honors on one trick). East won with the club king and returned a club. North won with the ten and shifted to the seven of diamonds. This shift was very pleasing to the declarer, who now did not have to worry about the location of the diamond jack, and the consequence was that East made three spades, scoring another 140 points for his team.  
In view of the bidding, which clearly indicated that East was void of hearts since North could be sure that South needed a five-card suit for his free bid, it seems rather silly for North to have made the diamond shift. If South had either the ace or the king of diamonds, he couldn't lose it, and if it was the king he held, North was merely taking the guess away by opening up the suit. East, left to his own devices, could very easily go wrong in diamonds, playing South rather than North for the diamond jack. So North simply should have continued with two more club leads.

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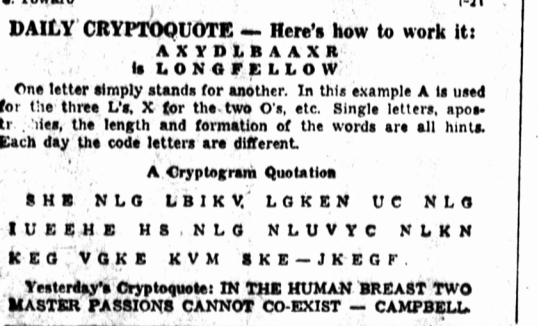


THE WORRY WART

## DAILY CROSSWORD

- ACROSS**  
1. Nasty chief (Phil. Is.)  
5. Stupor  
9. One of the Great Lakes  
10. Small antelope (E. Afr.)  
12. Insect  
13. Arouse from sleep  
14. A communication  
17. Antlered animal  
18. Put forth effort  
30. Faced courageously  
31. Malt kiln  
37. Projecting edges of roofs  
38. A soup  
39. Pitcher with a lid  
40. Sane  
41. Rope with a running knot  
42. Girl's name  
36. Removing weeds  
40. To occur  
42. Cry, as a cow  
43. Lessen  
44. Intended  
46. Allowance for waste (Comm.)  
67. Egyptian dancing girl  
**DOWN**  
1. A sand hill  
2. Branch of learning  
3. Toward  
4. Ahead  
5. Crouch in feet  
6. Openings (anat.)  
7. Microphone (slang)  
8. A brother of Cain (Bib.)  
9. Kind of meat  
11. Working fluid  
12. Matured  
13. River (Wales)  
16. Hewing tools  
19. Journeyed  
20. Gathering of neighbors for work  
21. Uncooked  
22. Hull  
24. Purify  
25. Body of water  
26. Telegram (abbr.)  
28. Attitude  
30. Christmas song  
32. Young owl  
33. Arabian garment  
34. Obligation  
35. At a distance  
37. Officiating priest of a mosque  
38. Not any  
39. Obtained garment  
41. Devoiced  
44. Masurium (sym.)  
45. Elevated train (shortened)

**DAILY CRYPTOQUOTE** — Here's how to work it: **AXYDLBAXR** is **LONGFELLOW**  
One letter simply stands for the two. 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  
**SHE NLG LBKIV LGKUN UC NLG IUEEHE HS NLG NLUVYV NLKN KEG VGKE KVM SKE-JKEGF**  
Yesterday's Cryptogram: **IN THE HUMAN BREST TWO MASTER PASSIONS CANNOT CO-EXIST — CAMPBELL**



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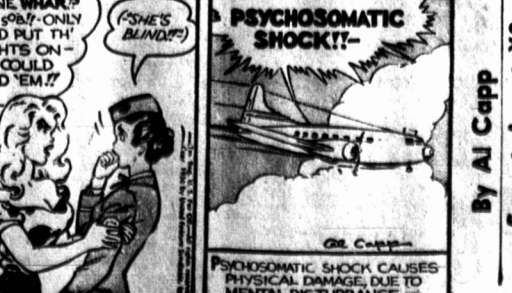
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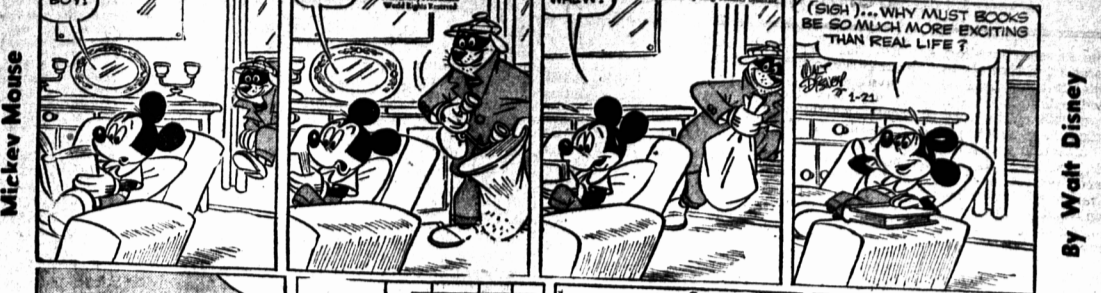
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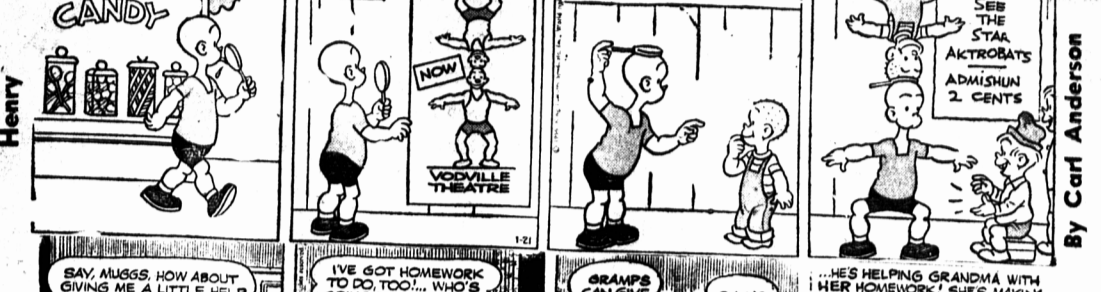
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