

BEDTIME STORIES

The Lone Sailor

By Thornton W. Burgess

Happy Jack Squirrel was a sailor, and he didn't want to be a sailor. He was on a log floating over green meadows...

Happy Jack had been living in a tree in the Green Forest near the edge of the Green Meadows. He had built a nest of sticks and leaves up in that tree for his summer home...

Now this was late on the second day of the great rain. Already the water of Laughing Brook was above the banks. A great flood had begun...

At first, he could do nothing but cling to the old log. The wind was driving it farther and farther away from the trees. By the time the wind had gone down enough for him to sit up and look around...

Sees Possible Future Danger From Radiation

OTTAWA (CP)—Health Minister Martin warned Friday that the level of radioactive strontium 90, produced by atomic bomb explosions, ultimately may reach a point where harmful effects to health could result.

He said the dangers that if technical information indicated a continuance of A-bomb explosions would produce a serious health hazard he would urge international negotiations directed to their total abandonment.

Information available from the United Kingdom and the United States and from Canadian sources showed there had been no significant harmful effects on the world population from nuclear weapon tests to date. This information also showed that the testing of atomic weapons at the present rate, the genetic effects on the world population would be negligible.

CONTRACT BRIDGE

By B. JAY BECKER

North-South vulnerable. 964, K1098, Q86, K72, A1032, 52, 73, 1098, N, W, E, S, 85, 764, 10952, AKJ7, AQJ3, AKJ4, 6

The bidding: North East South West Pass Pass 2 Pass 3 NT Pass 4 Pass 5 Pass 6 Pass

Opening lead—jack of clubs. The easiest way to define what constitutes an opening two bid is to say that it requires a game in hand.

Some texts specify a sliding point count scale, depending upon distribution, to justify a forcing two bid. Thus, with a good five card suit, there must be at least 25 points, but with a good seven card suit, only 21 points are necessary.

My own definition is to make a two bid with a hand where I would still want to be in game if partner passed my one bid. Remembering that my partner must keep the bidding going whenever he has as many as 6 points and open the bidding with one of a suit, some provision must be made for those hands where he has less and passes.

With the South hand, there is grave danger my partner may pass a one bid with anywhere from zero to 5 points holding five cards in any one of my three suits or four to an honor in my suits, or countless other hands which can produce game. On top of these possibilities is the advantage, in

strontium 90 levels will increase and may ultimately reach a point beyond which harmful effects could result. The minister said his statements are based on Canadian research and on recent reports by the U.S. National Academy of Sciences and the British Medical Research Council.

Legendary Monster Makes Re-appearance

KELOWNA, B.C. (CP)—The legendary monster Ogopogo was seen basking in the blue waters of Lake Okanagan about three-quarters of a mile offshore from here Wednesday.

And you can take the word of G.A. Smith Toronto, that Ogo is not a myth. His wife Dorothy and four children, along with about 20 other people bathing in the water, are also convinced there is a lake serpent.

Torquay Welcomes Retired Canadians

TORQUAY, England (CP)—This Devonshire coastal town where palm trees grow has issued an invitation to Canadians looking for a place to spend their retirement.

"Come and live here," says Torquay in a pamphlet listing the town's attractions. "Your pension will be worth more."

Thousands of pamphlets have been printed, giving sunshine, rainfall and temperature figures for the last 30 years and telling about the beaches, parks and gardens of the town.

They will be sent to the British Travel and Holidays Association offices in Toronto for distribution in Canada.

COMPOSER DIES

LEON, Mexico (AP)—Miguel Bernal Jimenez, 46, one of Mexico's best-known directors and composers, died here Thursday after a heart attack. He was considered Mexico's leading composer of contemporary religious music.

DAILY CROSSWORD

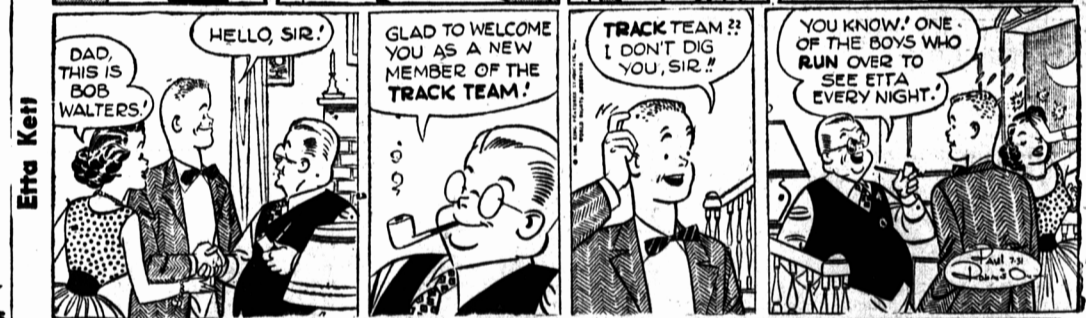
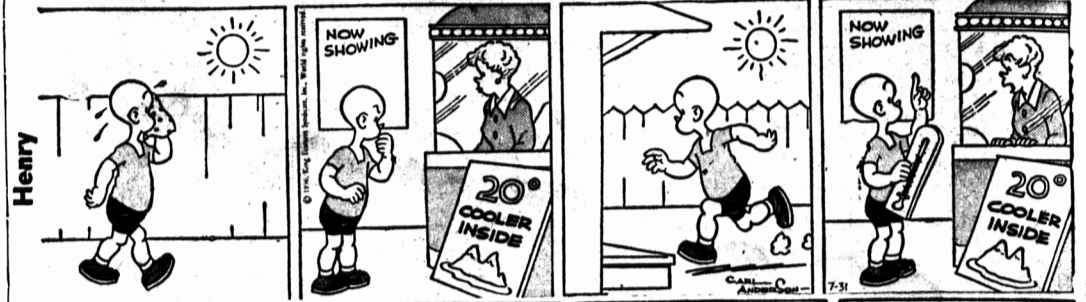
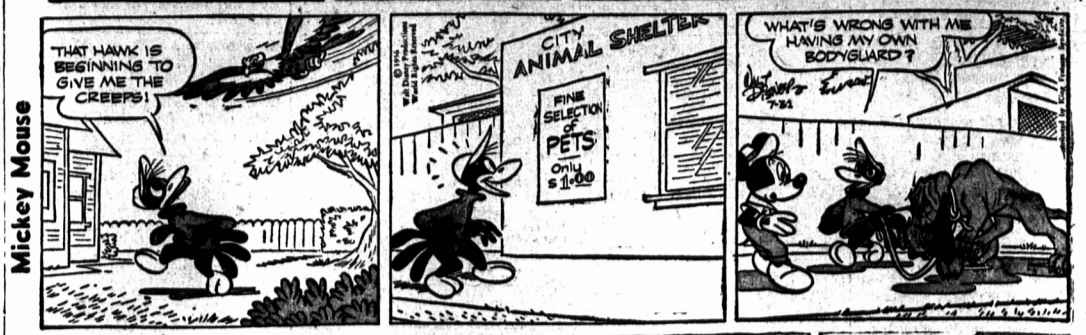
ACROSS 1. Anesthetic 6. Crayon 11. Lift 12. Goods sunk at sea by a buoy 13. Frozen deserts 14. Go 15. Close to 16. Body of water 17. Enclosure for sheep (Scot.) 18. Man's name (poss.) 22. Subdivision of a definition 19. Reverse-rate 23. A sunk fence (Eng.) 27. Expression 28. Cavalry sword 29. Hebrew musical instrument 30. Most domesticated 31. Journeys 33. Fuss 36. Malt beverage 37. Neuter pronoun 39. Expose shame pretension 41. Culture medium 43. Commune (E. Flanders) 44. Biblical name 45. Genus of Old World badger

DAILY CRYPTOQUOTE

Here's how to work it: AXYDLBAAXR 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.

A Cryptogram Quotation DEWPWJ QX YWDDWZ JFSQ XU Z YFGW NFQ DEZ Z EZPV IEZQV-JEZLWJHWZPW.

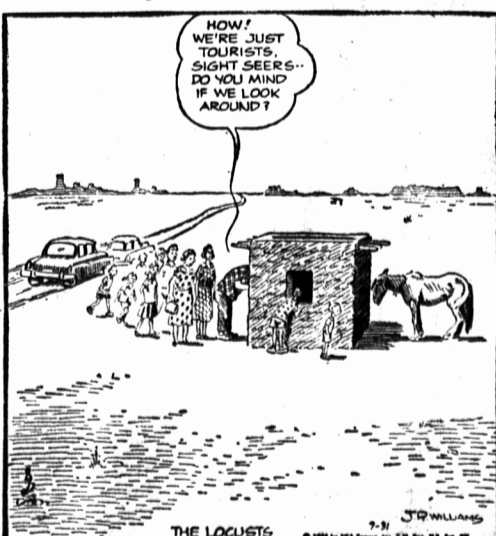
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By J. R. Williams



Bring Up Father



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