

BEDTIME STORIES

By Thornton W. Burgess

Peter Has To See

The more we see the more we know. At least it always should be so. —Peter Rabbit.

Well, it isn't always so. There are many people who are forever seeing things and yet know very little. Peter is one of these, I am afraid. He is so full of curiosity that he is always poking his wobbly little nose in where it has no business to be. So he sees a great deal and then forgets who he sees.



He could see the smoke coming from the chimney.

Peter suddenly remembered something. He remembered that not too far away Farmer Brown and Farmer Brown's boy had a little camp among the maple trees where they made maple syrup and maple sugar. Right away he began to wonder if they were doing it again this year. And right away he had found out. Away he went lipperty, lipperty, lip toward the place where the maple trees grew. He was not more than half-way over there when he stopped abruptly. He sat up. He sniffed. He sniffed and sniffed. Something stung his nose a wee bit. It was smoke. Peter didn't like it. But it told him what he wanted to know. That smoke was coming from the chimney of the little house where the maple sap was boiled until it became maple sugar.

Having found out what he wanted to know, Peter should have gone home. He didn't. Curiosity wouldn't let him. He was going to see for himself what was on there.

"It is safe enough," thought Peter. "I'm not afraid of those two-legged folks. They never have tried to hurt me. They often come over near the dear Old Briar-patch and sometimes look into it."

So Peter went on his way toward Farmer Brown's sugar camp. The little house was in a little clearing. When Peter got near enough to see it, he could see the smoke coming from the chimney. The door opened and out came Farmer Brown's boy. He was whistling. In each hand he held a pail. He went toward some big old maple trees. At one of these he was busy for a moment or two, then he turned back toward the little house. He didn't have the two pails now. They were fastened on the trunk of that big maple tree. Above each was a tiny spout driven into the trunk of the tree. Already sap had begun to run from this and drip into the pails.

Farmer Brown came out of the little house. He had several pails. He went to other trees and fastened the pails to them. Looking around among the trees Peter could see a great many pails. He decided he would stay awhile and see what was going on. He was so curious that he forgot that there was such a thing as possible danger. He was like the boy who wants to cross a road and forgets to look both ways for automobiles.

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TO RECORD OVER POLE VIENNA (Reuters) — Musicians of the Vienna philharmonic orchestra will make a recording while flying over the North Pole, orchestra officials said Friday.

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CONTRACT BRIDGE By Josephine Culbertson

BETTER DEFENCE NEEDED A certain East-West pair in a duplicate game could have increased their match-point standing appreciably by putting up better defense on the following deal.

West dealer. Neither side vulnerable. 10 8 5 3 2 4 6 8 10 12 14 16 18 20 22 24 26 28 30 32 34 36 38 40 42 44 46 48 50 52 54 56 58 60 62 64 66 68 70 72 74 76 78 80 82 84 86 88 90 92 94 96 98 100

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Egyptian Wins Swim Marathon

CAIRO (Reuters) — Battling strong winds, sand storms and white caps, Abu Heif of Egypt outdistanced his countryman and last year's champion, Hamed Mustafa, Friday to win the men's professional division of the gruelling two-day Nile river swimming marathon.

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Mustafa, who had overtaken Heif in Thursday's 20-mile lap to lead by one second going into Friday's race, was himself overtaken Friday by Heif, who went on to win the final 15 1/2-mile lap by 100 yards. Heif's time for the 35 1/2-mile race was 17 hours one minute.

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DAILY CROSSWORD

ACROSS 1. Leather band 2. French flag 3. Stand up 4. Arabian garment 5. Greek letter 6. That can be prorated 7. Black and blue 8. Largest continent 9. Canvas shelter 10. Used with "snick" 11. Part of "to be" 12. Exclamation 13. In advance 14. Nutrient 15. Not good 16. This can be found in Pacific Islands 17. A size of type 18. Isthmus in Asia 19. City (Pa.) 20. Girl's name 21. Personal pronoun 22. Engaged in a struggle 23. Music note 24. Writer of fables (poss.) 25. Sleep lightly 26. An herb used in cooking 27. Broaden 28. A pleased expression 29. Smells DOWN 1. Drench

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

Our Boarding House Major Hoople Out Our Way By J. R. Williams

EGAD, FATHER! WHAT IN SAM HILL ARE YOU UP TO IN THAT FORMAL RAIMENT?—SUCH OCCASIONS—BUT WHO AM I TO BE TELLING YOU THAT?—I'M SURE YOU WOULDN'T WEAR FULL DRESS TO TAKE YOUR FRIEND MELISSA TO A HAMBURGER STAND!

HOW TO BE POPULAR—CONFIDENCE DOES IT HERE A DATE—THERE A DATE—BUT HOW DO YOU GET WHAT I DO? DO YOU LACK CONFIDENCE IN YOURSELF? CONFIDENCE STARTS WITH CONFIDENCE IN YOUR PERSONAL APPEARANCE!

WILDROOT CREAM-OIL CONTAINS THE HEART OF LANTOLIN—NATURE'S FINEST HAIR AND SCALP CONDITIONER. YOU GET CONFIDENCE BY HAVING A GOOD APPEARANCE—USE WILDROOT CREAM-OIL AND YOU CAN BE CONFIDENT YOUR HAIR WILL ALWAYS LOOK ITS BEST IN ANY SITUATION!

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