

Kiddies' Korner

MADREE PENN



DADDY'S EVENING by Mary Graham Bonner

THE SEA GULLS.

"Ah," said Mother Sea Gull, "there family that I heard them talking. are some creatures who think they're lucky, but no creatures, to my sea gull mind, are as happy as we are." "Why is that?" asked the little Sea

"Oh, my children, don't you know? Haven't you been flying long enough we were dogs who ran about and who ring of true sincerity, no matter how to know?"

"Yes, we do believe we do know," happy days ahead."

"I'll tell you of them," said Mother

"Do," said the little Sea Gulls. said Mother Sea Gull.

"They play baseball and if their great free happy sea guils," ball goes as far as the river herethey do not like it at all and they happy," said the little Sea Gulls. don't know how to get it.

"Of course we can't get it for them, but we wouldn't mind if anything we owned dropped in the river, for quickly, so quickly, we'd swoop down and

"Boys fly kites but they run and walk themselves. They go in swimming but they don't rest on the top of the water and then go soaring up into the air again.

"There are other creatures known as girls. They're much the same as boys, much the same. Boys may be a litely. little bit more daring than girls, but tle." not much, not much.

"They're both rather absurd, both boys and girls. Then there are animals-animals that live in the ground. there? Think of that, little Sea Gulls.

"There are creatures who wrap themselves up in mud and go to sleep! Yes, there are! And there are other creatures who always live under ground who have their homes there.

"Fancy living under ground when there is the whole sky for them to live in. I believe, though, if they should try to live in the sky they couldn't for they haven't wings.

"There are creatures who live by tell a lie. crawling along the ground-snakes they call them, and lizards, too. There are other creatures who live in barns -horses I believe they're called.

"Of course many of 'these creatures could not live in the air. I don't suppose any of them could, or I should think they'd be doing it.

"But oh, little Sea Gulls, "just think how fortunate you are to be born so

"The whole great sky is yours, and the water, too. Just think how we fly and how we coast in the air, right in the air. And then we swoop down and of the ocean.

the salt of the water and whisper to dences of rich mineral deposits, which, the great and mighty old Mother declare those who have inspected the Ocean all sorts of wonderful secrets.

tells us of our relations who have been there before and how happy they

were, just as we are. "Of course, little Sea Gulls, other creatures are happy, I suppose. In fact I've heard people on boats talking of the happiness of the creatures who lived on the land. That was when the boats were ready to leave the docks and the people were on the decks, looking over at me and at my

"But think how horrible it would be for a sea gull to be a horse with four legs, to have to wear a harness and to carry wagons and people on the ferry boats across the harbor.

"Think how horrible it would be if never, never went high into the air.

"How still more horrible it would said the little Sea Gulls, "but still be if we were the creatures who lived we'd like to hear of all the joys which underground, and even as bad would lives in the country or too far from will come to us and of the happy, it be if we were the creatures who crawled.

"And so while we're so happy, flying, resting on the waves, coasting in The list of staples to be kept for such the air, shrieking glad, gay, happy "There are creatures they call boys," shrieks, we must too be thankful, oh so thankful, that we're sea gulls

"We're happy about it, very, very

Grandpa's little weakness was for a specially strong peppermint sweet, and recently he gave one to four-year-old Muriel, and waited to see what she

A little while later, he saw her slip the peppermint out of her mouth, and place it on a table by the open win-

"What's the matter, dear?" he asked. "Don't you like the sweet?" "Yes, thank you," said Muriel po-"I'm only letting it cool a lit-

More Than Two Sexes. Teacher-How many sexes are

Little Boy-Three. Teacher-What are they? Little Boy-The male sex, the female sex and the insects.-London Tit-

Teacher-Many of the presidents were lawyers, but the first one was not. Why was this?

Smart Pupil-Because he couldn't

Buried Treasures in Arizona. What is believed to be the first clue to the reputed buried treasures of the padres of the Tumacacori mission, built by the Spanish Jesuits high up the Tumacacori mountains, less than three hours' journey from Tucson, Ariz., has been discovered by Frank Pinckley, custodian of the ruins. It is the gateway to the mission cemetery. From this gateway, it is said, the plans and maps left by the padres start to outline the way to the buried gold and

The Tumacacori mission was built and rest on the water of the harbor near what are believed to be the ruins of one of the Seven Cities of Cibola. "Then we fly out to sea and taste The center region is said to show evimountains, doubtless led the padres to "She tells us things, too; she tells build their mission there.

The KITCHEN

If I could write as I can cook, How joyfully you'd read my book. I'd pepper faults and salt down

Pick and preserve important acts;
I'd roast the critics to a turn
(So nothing but their ears would
burn);

I'd have free verse and rimings true Served up in one grand Irish stew. You'd have your fill of solid meat, And finish off with something sweet,
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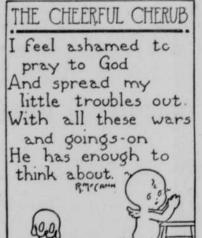
ity. The hostess who urges her guests to remain to a meal which she is wildly planning in the back of her head, will lack the carefully worded.

With a well-stocked emergency shelf which is constantly replenished, if she a grocery store an impromptu guest will bring no panic, but on the contrary will be welcomed and enjoyed. occasions will vary with the taste of the householder. There are some things which are necessities, such as crackers, cheese, pickles, olives, jel-Hes and preserves. With canned fruit which is found in every well-regulated home, desserts and salads of various kinds may be quickly prepared. A few frills like a box of marshmallows, a bottle (small one) of marischino cherries and coconut will dress up an otherwise plain dish.

Canned salmon, tuna or sardines, with some home-canned chicken if you are a farmer, as well as other homecanned meats like tongue, chops and

If the woman who lives in the country would serve her friends with the farm food-eggs, butter, cream, chicken, vegetables and berries, and not try to prepare something fancy, both she and her guests would be far happier. Origo fresh vegetables with cream or butter are a treat to the city dweller. An omelet is a most satisfying dish to serve in a hurry. It may have a variety of fillings or sauces, making

#### It a main dish or a dessert. Neelie Maxwell



Hygienic to a D gree

"They are very particular at the new bakeshop. The girls who wait on cus- York City. tomers have to "ear white gloves." "Yes, and I'm told they don't even the Orient, \$1.50 per year. Monitor allow the ladyfing rs to touch the oth-

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