

A Compromise with Sister Susan Usually Is Far Better Than a Big Squabble

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Hi! Remember the days, a long, long time before your teens, when you thought that the simplest way to get any thing your little heart desired was to stamp a foot and scream? Those were the days when you first learned the truth that, like crime, temper doesn't pay.

For most of us the howling tantrums stage was over years ago, but there are still times when it seems a "mad" session is the only answer—when sister Sue borrows your new cashmere sweater the very night you were planning to wear it on a super-special date, or when you get left alone with a perfectly huge stack of dinner dishes when the gang wants to go early to a Clark Gable movie.

You can hardly help but be peeved when you find the little brother reading your diary to an interested audience consisting of 10 or 12 of the neighborhood younger set.

You get mad at little things, too. You rage when you get a big English assignment—even though the teacher couldn't possibly have known that this was the night you wanted to go roller-skating.

You get mad at your pen when it runs out of ink. You get mad at the puppy when he chews up an old bedroom slipper that you didn't really want anyway.

There are a million and seven things to lose a temper over, but you'd lead an awfully unhappy life if you took advantage of each one and you'd make everyone else miserable, too.

When you're having temper troubles, you say and do a lot of things you wish you hadn't later. Some people insult their very best friends; some throw things; some, even at umpteenth, still scream and stamp feet. It's no wonder that parents find it hard to believe that you're "practically adult." After all, temper tantrums are a little childish.

If you want to rid yourself of old-man-temper, you can always try the old "one to 10" routine the next time Sister Susan goes on a borrowing spree. Count to 10 and then explain, in a wise way though, that you need the object of her choice yourself.

Or you might even offer to trade the sweater for her new silk scarf for the evening. At times like this you'll find that compromise is far better than a battle.

Some of us count to 10 a little too fast and nothing happens. The "mad" is still there. If you're the type who not only gets the urge to throw things every now and then, but does, buy a few cheap china dogs in the dime store. The next time you want to throw something throw one of them. It will make a satisfying crash and you will have lost nothing more valuable than a dime.

If you have temper trouble while away from home make yourself wait until you get back so you can throw your

china dog. You'll find yourself laughing at your temper in no time at all. You are the only one who can discover the best answer to your mad moods, so get to work on it. You'll never be really grown-up until your temper, temper days are over and, since no one but Peter Pan wants to be a child all his life, why don't you start taming that temper now. See you next Thursday!

Jack Wilson Back from Europe

REDBIRD—Jack Wilson returned home from the Army on Sunday afternoon, November 7, having served his time and been discharged. He was in Germany most of the time while in service. Jack is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wilson of Redbird. The Wilsons have another son, Duane, in service overseas, also in Germany, who also expects to be discharged soon.

Other Redbird News

Kenneth Berglund came from Norfolk Saturday afternoon, November 6, to visit home folks. Claude Pickering was a caller here Saturday, November 6.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Carson visited in Redbird Sunday, November 7.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Richter, of O'Neill, were Sunday, November 7, guests at Pete More's.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Luedtke and Miss Mary Brim were visitors in Redbird Monday, November 8.

Alfred Truax, from Boyd county, visited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Hull, Monday, November 8.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Carson were in Redbird Monday, November 8.

Mr. and Mrs. George Barta called in Redbird Monday, November 8, enroute from Lynch.

Robert Wells is husking corn for Ed Carson this week.

Otto Ruzicka, veterinarian, and son, of Dorsey, were in Redbird and at Elvin Spinar's on Tuesday, November 9.

Mr. and Mrs. William Coward were visitors in Redbird on Tuesday evening, November 9.

Dale Bessert was here Wednesday, November 10.

Edward Hull, of Minnesota, was in Redbird Wednesday, November 10.

Halsey Hull and family autoed to Lynch Wednesday evening, November 10.

Mrs. Max Grenier, of O'Neill, was a visitor in Redbird on November 11.

Claude Pickering was a caller here Thursday, November 11.

Virgil Wilson returned home Wednesday evening, November 10, from a several months' visit in California.

Roy Wilson and son, William, drove to Lynch Thursday, November 11.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Krogh drove to Page Thursday, November 11, to visit Mr. and Mrs. Henry Snyder.

Miss Eva Truax was a visitor in Redbird Thursday, November 11.

Beryle Bessert was a business caller here Thursday, November 11.

Elvin Luedtke was in Redbird Thursday, November 11.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Carson, of Missouri, are visiting at Edward Carson's and other relatives this week.



HERE'S A REMINDER . . . It's later than you think. Only a little more than a month before Christmas, and these workmen are utilizing these "chopping" days to harvest this season's Christmas trees in Traverse City, Mich.

When You and I Were Young —

Phillips Says His Auto Is a Fence Wrecker; New Machine Ran Away with Him

532 YEARS AGO
November 21, 1895

As the situation in this judicial district now stands, Westover is 11 votes ahead of Bartow with Golden a couple of hundred behind Bartow. Bartow claims that in one precinct in Dawes county 15 votes that should have been counted for him were thrown out, and it is said that he will apply for a mandamus to compel the board to recanvass the vote and count those ballots. Mr. Bartow is entitled to an honest count.

John Halloran, of Inman, met with a very painful accident while unhitching his team at Thompson's livery barn in this city last Wednesday. He attempted to lead a horse into the barn without having unhooked the tugs, and during the rendition of some high kicking that followed Mr. Halloran was much shaken up, although we believe not seriously injured.

Joe Meredith, Charlie Moore, Sam Thompson and Steve O'Donnell returned last week from the river, where they went to beard the festive goose in his lair. By some means, fair or foul, they lured three of the wary birds to their death and returned correspondingly elated. They say the birds are very plentiful along the river but mighty hard to get.

One of the secretaries of the state board of irrigation will be in the city on the 11th to adjudicate the rights of the various claimants to the water rights on the several streams in this county.

43 YEARS AGO
November 16, 1905

Farmers adjacent to O'Neill are making considerable improvements on their farms in the way of building. The O'Neill lumber yards are kept pretty busy loading farmers' wagons with lumber. The pleasant weather this Fall affords opportunity for putting up new houses and barns.

O'Neill coal dealers are experiencing difficulty in getting coal hauled from the mines. The demand for cars for hauling grain is so great that the railroads are unable to supply cars promptly and consequently the coal men have to wait until cars are available. While the dealers here have coal enough on hand to supply immediate needs, they are unable to supply some grades of soft coal.

A delegation of Atkinson people were in town yesterday attending the tax sale at the courthouse. The sale of town lots in the village of Atkinson was completed yesterday, the county being among the buyers.

Congressman Kinkaid sustained a painful injury one day last week in one of the counties west of us. The tip of the thumb of his right hand was pinched off in the vestibule of a car, and the Judge is now minus the end of one finger.

Fred E. Willis, of Iowa, has been transferred to O'Neill as agent for the Great Northern railroad and arrived here last week to assume the duties. Mr. Bunce has returned to Minneapolis, Minn.

33 YEARS AGO
November 18, 1915

Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Phillips were in from Star last Friday. Frank is now driving an automobile and says that part of the time he controls it and part of the time the auto controls him. Frank says as a fence wrecker an automobile is about the

best instrument he has ever found; it can tear down fences and break off posts with ease as his machine demonstrated one day when it ran away with him.

E. H. Whelan, M. H. Horiskey, H. D. Grady, H. J. Hammond, W. J. Biglin, T. J. Coyne, Pat Harty and D. H. Cronin went over to Creighton last Sunday where they assisted in initiating a class of 48 members into the Knights of Columbus. The work was in charge of District Deputy E. H. Whelan, of this city. The visiting Knights were royally treated by the members of the Creighton council and they enjoyed their visit very much. A banquet was tendered in the

ROYAL THEATER O'NEILL

THURSDAY - NOV. 18

Bob Hope, Signe Hasso, and William Bendix in
Where There's Life

Adm. 42c, plus tax 8c, total 50c; children 10c, plus tax 2c, total 12c.

FRIDAY - SATURDAY - NOV. 19 - 20

Tim Holt and Jack Holt in
The Arizona Ranger

with Nan Leslie and Richard Martin.
— also —
Charles Starret and Smiley Burnette in

The Law of the Canyon

Thrills and laughs!
Adm. 42c, plus tax 8c, total 50c — Children 10c, plus tax 2c, total 12c.

SUNDAY - MONDAY - TUESDAY - NOV. 21-22-23

Bing Crosby and Joan Fontaine in
The Emperor Waltz

Color by Technicolor with Roland Culver, Lucille Watson, Richard Haydn, and Harold Vermilyea.
Adm. 42c, plus tax 8c, total 50c — Children 10c, plus tax 2c, total 12c. Matinee Sat. 2:30.

WEDNESDAY - NOV. 24 ONE DAY ONLY!

Jane Frazee, William Marshall, Gail Patrick and Kenny Baker in
Calendar Girl

with Victor McLaglen, Irene Rich, James Ellison, Franklin Pangborn, Lou Nova, and Gus Schilling.
Adm. 42c, plus tax 8c, total 50c — Matinee Sunday 2:30, Adm. 42c, plus tax 8c, total 50c — Children 10c, plus tax 2c, total 12c.

evening at which Mr. Whelan delivered the principal address and as usual made the hit of the evening. A recitation by M. H. Horiskey was also one of the features of the evening's entertainment.

'Aunt Cathie's Cat' Title of Play

EWING—Thespians of the junior class of the Ewing high school will trod the boards for the first dramatic production of the school year when they present on Thursday and Friday evenings, November 18 and 19, the mystery comedy, "Aunt Cathie's Cat." Supt. A. S. Evans is directing the play.

Those who have parts are: Kenneth Pollock, Catherine Helmricks, Altha Lou Miller, Jerrel Dean Black, Nadine Steskal, Arlene Primus, Jack Pruden, David Cloyd, Merton Dierks, Pat Sanders, Norma Latzel, Jacqueline Hand, Harold Bennett, and Betty Jo Weber.

Proceeds from the play go toward entertaining the seniors at the annual junior-senior banquet in the Spring.

REDBIRD NEWS

The solicitor for the CROP overseas relief was calling on all in this part of the county on Wednesday, November 10. He reports everyone "giving liberally."

Harvey Krugman, of Opportunity, hauled hay to Redbird on Thursday, November 11.

William Pinkerman, of north of O'Neill, was here Thursday, November 11.

Will Conard was in Redbird Thursday, November 11.

George Barta drove to Lynch Friday, November 12.

Fred Truax, sr., visited at Redbird Saturday, November 13.

Mrs. Anna Carson and Mrs. Albert Carson were among the



Mrs. John Murray, and Mr. Murray, of Spencer.

The Northeast Nebraska Hereford Association

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THE Atkinson Male Chorus

under the sponsorship of the Young Adult Fellowship of the Methodist Church

Will present its first O'Neill Concert in the

O'NEILL HIGH SCHOOL AUDITORIUM

on ...

Friday, November 19

starting promptly at 8 o'clock.

The Chorus will present a program of ...

★ Popular Melodies

★ Novelty Tunes

★ Quartette Numbers

★ Negro Spirituals

The newly-organized Atkinson Mixed Chorus will make its first public appearance at the program.

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