Burgess Bedtime Stories

By THORNTON W. BURGESS. Temptation wears a harmless guise, And often thus deceives the eyes. —Old Mother Nature. Spotty the Turtle Finds a Tempting Bit.

Spotty the Turtle was prowling Spotty the Turtle Was

Spotty the Turtle was prowling around at the bottom of the Smiling Pool. That is where he gets most of his food. He was hungry this morning, and somehow he had had no luck at all. Every pollywog he had tried to catch had been too nimble for him. He had succeeded in nipping the insects have gone to. Usually locking, and why the last acceptance of the succeeded in nipping than ever.

To be sure there were water plants which he could eat, but he wasn't feeling like water plants. "Til fill at the bottom of the Smiling Pool. He popped his head out of water for fresh air and to catch had been too nimble for him. He had succeeded in nipping the insects have gone to. Usually little fishes were hiding, and why the last of the Green Forest and the Green water. It was all because of that water. It was all because of that ugly looking, big cousin of his.

Spotty sam away to another part of the Smiling Pool. He head out of water for fresh air and he had out of water for fresh air and for a look around. He was just in time to see Farmer Brown's boy was distrustful. He dived at once, was distrustful.



Boy come to the bank of the Smiling Pool

longer gave Farmer Brown's boy s much as a thought. He continued to hunt for something to eat. It was not long after this tha Spotty heard a little splash in the water up above him. At once he turned to see what it meant. Some times a splash like that meant that food had fallen in the water. Almos at once he saw something coming lown through the water that made his eyes grow bright with eager ness. It was an earth worm. Yes sir, it was an earth worm, and it was wriggling in the most enticing way. Spotty likes earth worms, Sometimes

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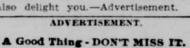
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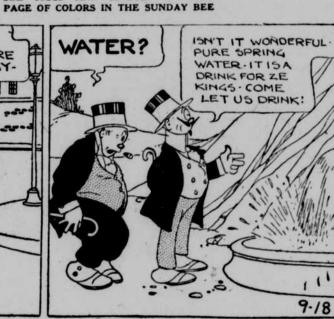






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