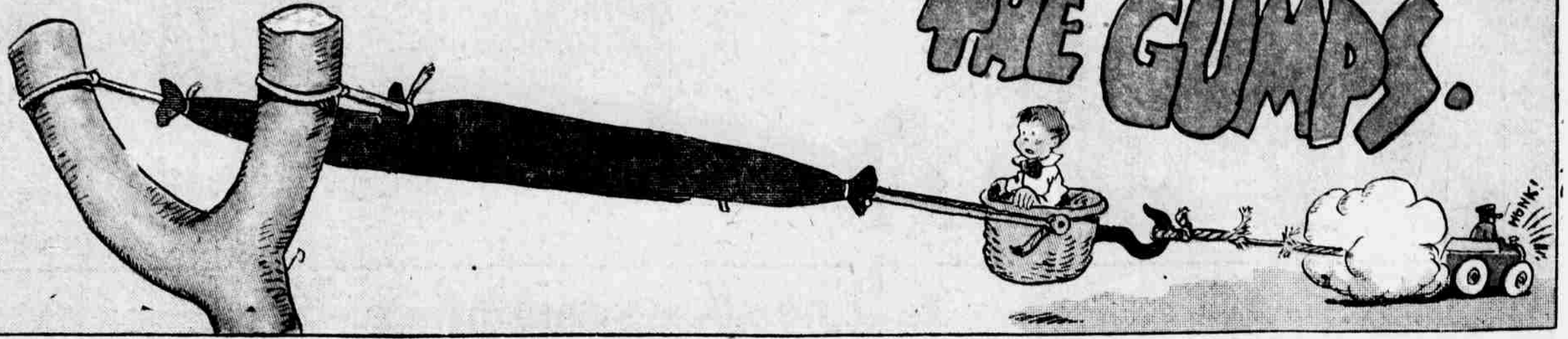


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THE GUMPS.

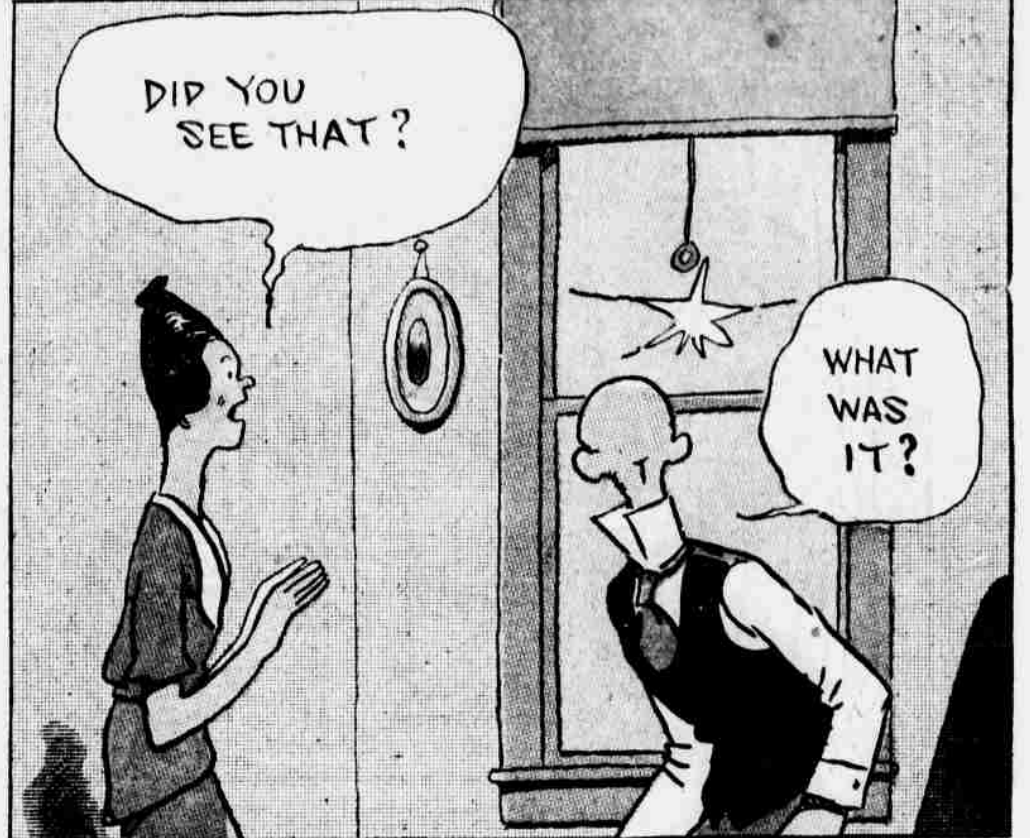


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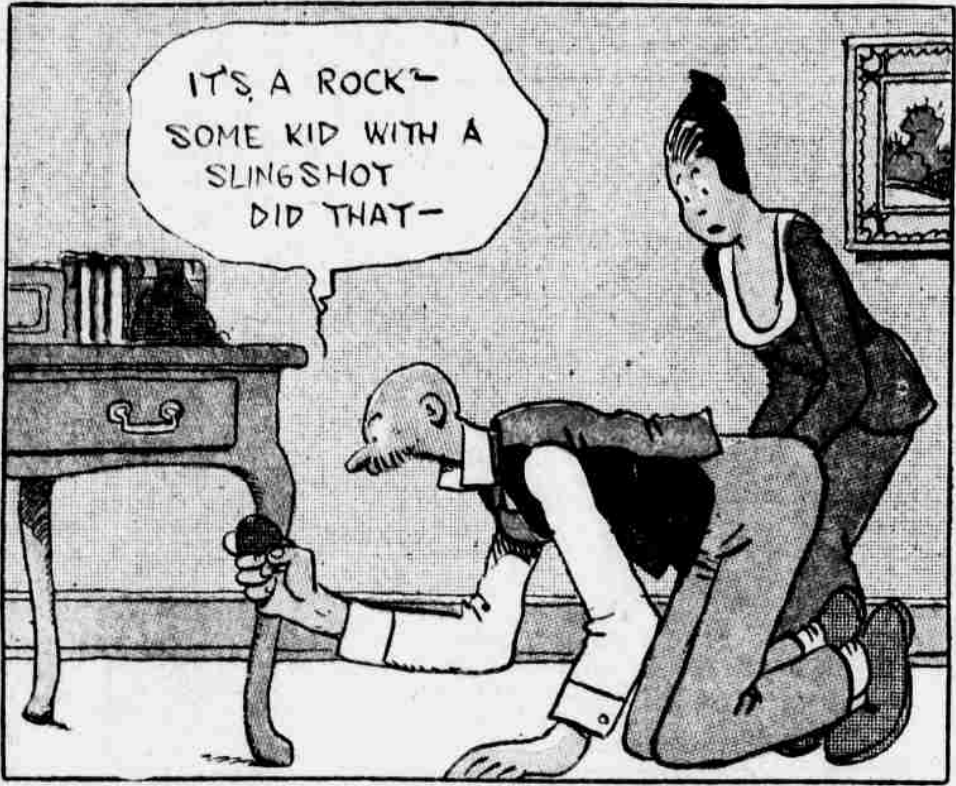
MY, ISN'T IT QUIET SINCE CHESTER WENT OUT - NOW MAYBE I CAN GET A LITTLE REST - HE'S BEEN AWFULLY TRYING TODAY - HE'S BEEN INTO EVERYTHING -

WELL MIN-BOYS WILL BE BOYS -

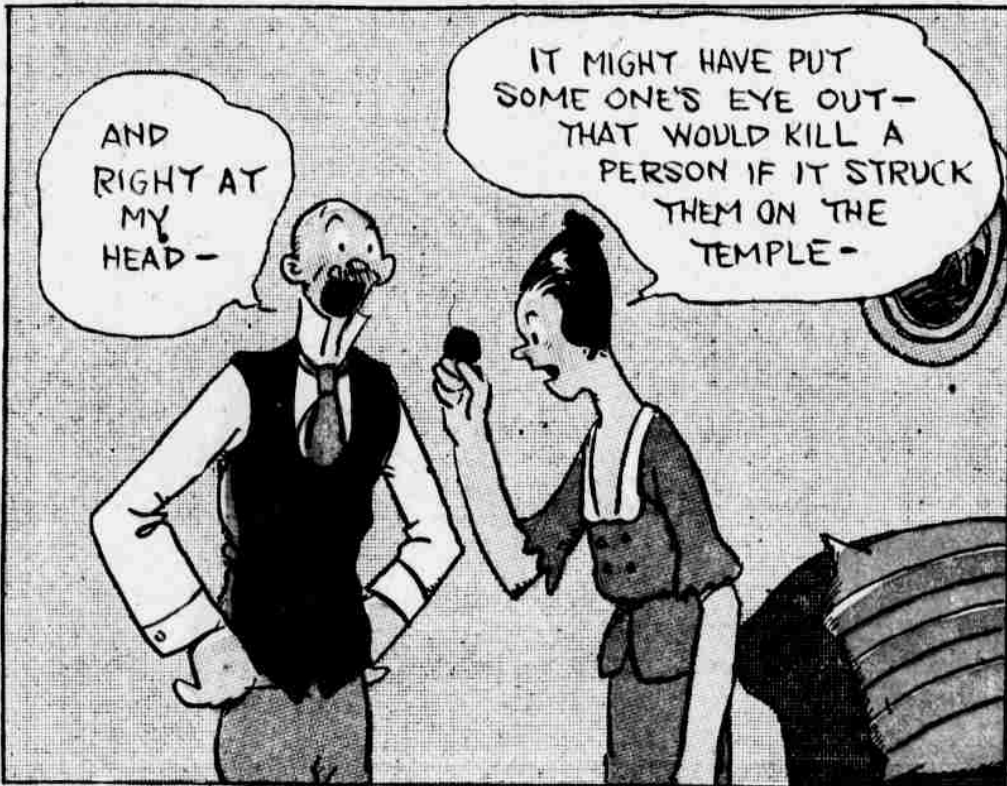


DID YOU SEE THAT?

WHAT WAS IT?



IT'S A ROCK - SOME KID WITH A SLINGSHOT DID THAT -



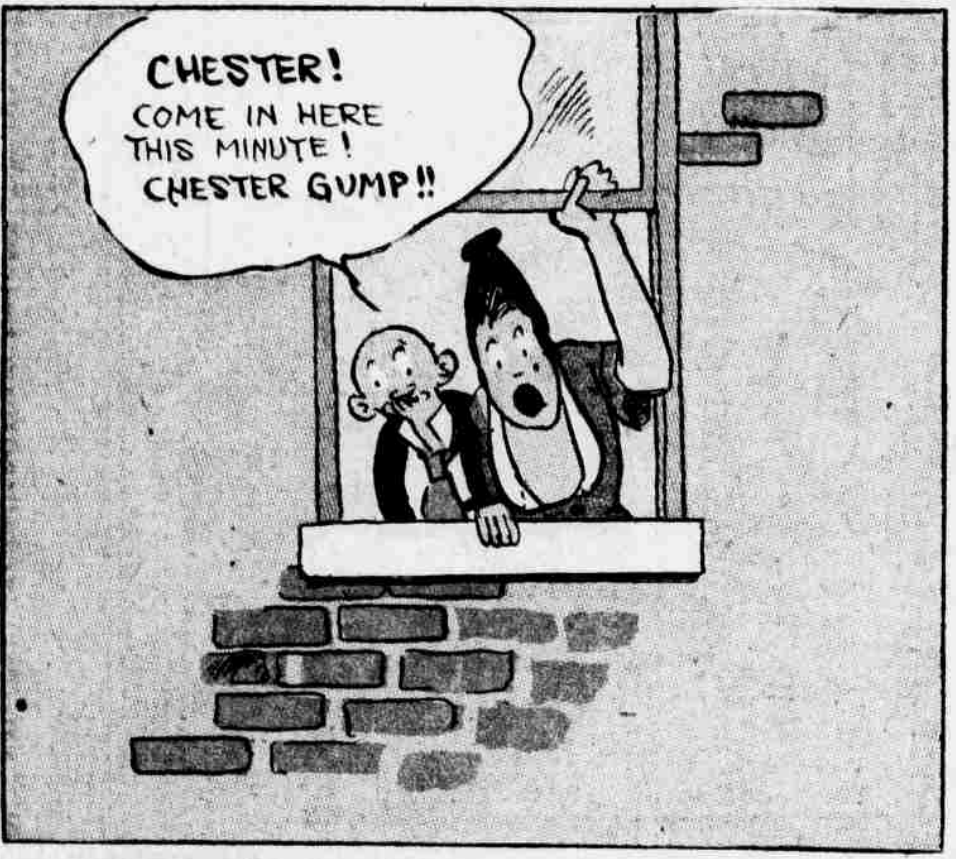
AND RIGHT AT MY HEAD -

IT MIGHT HAVE PUT SOME ONE'S EYE OUT - THAT WOULD KILL A PERSON IF IT STRUCK THEM ON THE TEMPLE -



IT WAS ONE OF THOSE ROUGH BOYS THAT CHESTER PLAYS WITH I'LL BET - CHESTER!!

THERE THEY ARE OUT THERE HIDING BEHIND THAT TREE -

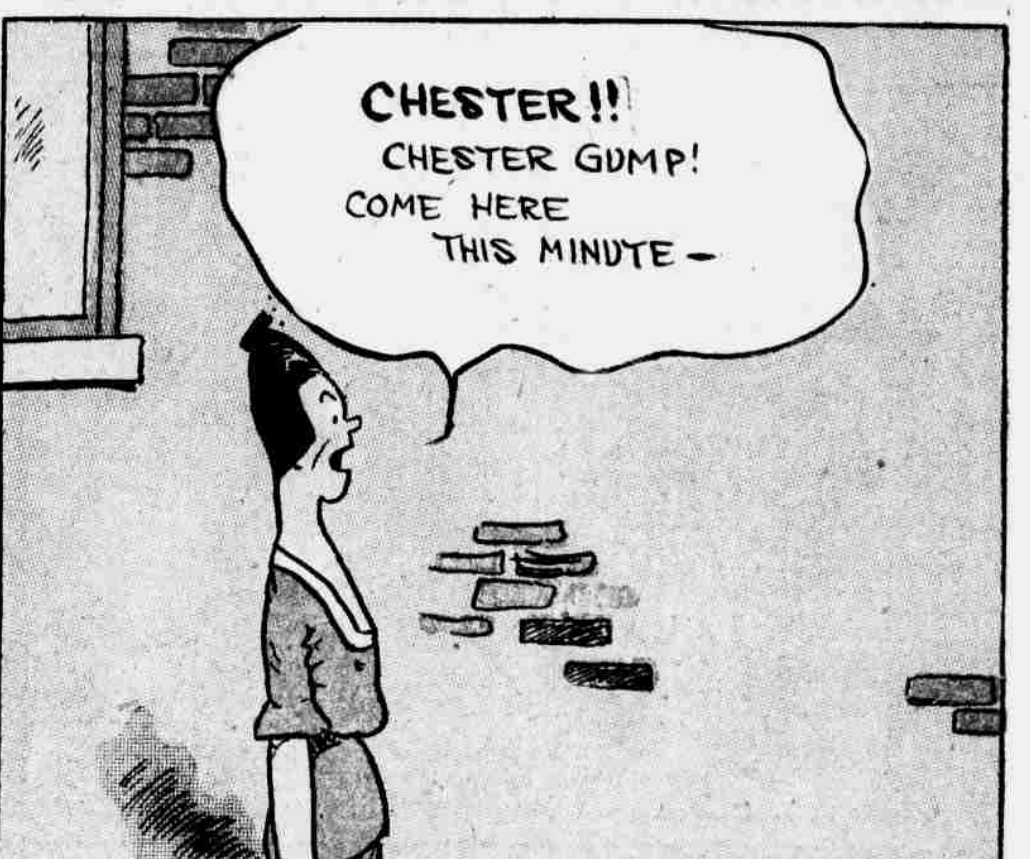


CHESTER! COME IN HERE THIS MINUTE! CHESTER GUMP!!



LITTLE BOYS - WHO THREW THAT ROCK AT OUR WINDOW? WHO BROKE THAT GLASS? DON'T STORY TO ME - I'LL FIND OUT WHO DID IT -

WE DIDN'T DO IT - CHESTER DID IT -



CHESTER!! CHESTER GUMP! COME HERE THIS MINUTE -



WHAT DO YOU MEAN BY THROWING THIS STONE THROUGH OUR WINDOW? YOU'RE JUST A BAD BOY - THAT'S ALL YOU ARE -

MAMA HONEST - LISTEN -



NOW DON'T DENY IT - IT'S NO USE - DON'T FIB TO ME - I'VE GOT ABSOLUTE PROOF - FOUR LITTLE BOYS SAW YOU DO IT -



I KNOW MOTHER - BUT THERE WERE TWELVE WHO DIDN'T -



SCAT!