

SLEEPY-TIME TALES THE TALE OF CHIRPY CRICKET

CHAPTER XVIII. Mr. Cricket Frog's Trick. "What's the matter? Are you hurt?" Chirpy Cricket called to Mr. Cricket Frog from the bank of the duck-pond.



And then he would begin again, exactly as before.

Frog's limp form and waited it about. Chirpy Cricket couldn't help being alarmed. And yet he almost thought, for a moment, that he saw Mr. Cricket Frog's eyes rolling in his direction.

"What happened to you yesterday?" Chirpy asked Mr. Cricket Frog, when he came back to the duck-pond the following day and found that spry little gentleman waiting for him on a lily-pad.

"Oh, no!" Mr. Cricket Frog answered. "When I heard a splash behind me I didn't know who made it. So I played dead for a while.

But there was one marked difference. Mr. Cricket Frog's time was not like his. It was not regular. Mr. Cricket Frog began to sing somewhat slowly and gradually faster and faster.

Practically every point of interest within a radius of 75 miles from Philadelphia is distinctly marked on more than 800 miles of important highways.

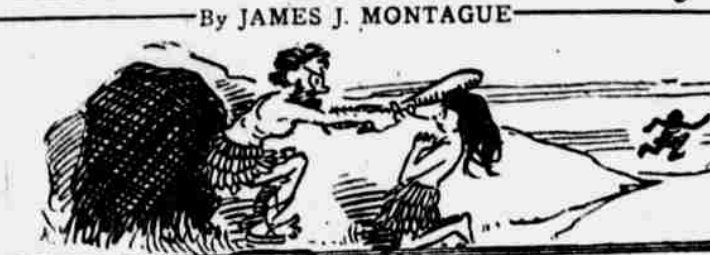
There is usually a time in the life of every practical joker when he wishes he had been born without a sense of humor.

The Oak From the Acorn



A mighty good BLUE RIBBON story in Next Sunday's Bee

More Truth Than Poetry



THE MAN WHO KNEW HOW The cave man, when he found his wife was weary of her narrow life, And now and then other men Bestowed caressing glances,

Divorce courts then were quite unknown; a lady in the Age of Stone Had little chance for fresh romance, Once she was safely married,



Official life isn't all beer and skittles. Look at the deputy sheriff who has got to take Jack Dempsey's car away from him.



At last we have pretty May Collins face to face in smiles with Richard Dix. Rumor persists in linking the names of Miss Collins and Charles Chaplin; but also does it link Collins and Dix.



Today's Attractions. Rialto-Carter De Haven in "The Girl in the Taxi". Strand-Anita Stewart in "Playthings of Destiny".

Why— Does Water Put Out Fire? While the most common method of extinguishing a blaze is to throw water upon it, there is another effective manner of quenching the flames—the application of sand.

Jewel, Flower, Color Symbols for Today. By MILDRED MARSHALL. The topaz is today's lucky stone; if set in gold, it was believed by the ancients to bring its wearer great fortune and financial gain.

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Landmark Is Burned. Sidney, Neb., July 28.—(Special Telegram.)—The Metropolitan hotel, a two-story frame structure, one of the oldest landmarks in the city, was totally destroyed by fire today.

AT THE THEATERS. A T THE Empress Fifth, Howard and Tenth present some good singing and a humorous situation. Their repertoire of effective song numbers includes old ballads and popular jazz songs.

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The Witching Hour is going to strike soon.

Romance in Origin Of Superstitions

Another Looking Glass Superstition. For a person to come up and look over your shoulder into a mirror into which you are already gazing brings bad luck is a common enough belief.

Parents' Problems. At children's parties should games be played for prizes? It is better at children's parties that games should not be played for prizes. Instead have a small favor of some kind for each child to take home as a souvenir of the party.

Common Sense. By J. J. MUNDY. You Can't Be a Hermit. There are some persons so unable to find anyone who meets their desires and ideas of a friend that rather than "take up," as they say, with someone short of the sort they like, will isolate themselves and live in seclusion.

Do You Know the Bible? (Cover up the answers, read the questions and see if you can answer them. Then look at the answers to see if you are right.)

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Dog Hill Paragrafs



While at Tickville the other day Miss Peachie Sims went into the millinery store and used the looking glass to see if everything was all right.

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PHOTOPLAYS. STARTS SUNDAY Strand Famous Players-Lasky Corporation presents 'The Woman God Changed' A COSMOPOLITAN PRODUCTION

OMAHA'S COOLEST THEATRES. World Realty Co. MOON Last Times Tomorrow ALICE JOYCE "The Scarab Ring" Sunday EARLE WILLIAMS

TRY Hayden's FIRST Friday Bargains in the -JULY SALES- Vacation Luggage Greatly Reduced Friday and Saturday Sale of High Grade Wardrobe Trunks Extra Special \$27.50 Regular \$50 Values

RIALTO TWO MORE DAYS Big Double Bill Mr. and Mrs. Carter DeHaven "The Girl in the Taxi" "The Northern Trail" EMPRESS TWO SHOWS IN ONE BIG DANCE Saturday Night, July 30, 1921 at NASHVILLE

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