

SLEEPY-TIME TALES THE TALE OF OLD DOG SPOT

CHAPTER VII. Swimming.

Old dog Spot liked boys. Some how they always managed to have a lively time, and usually they were glad to have him join them in their sports.

He never could understand why Johnnie Green and the neighbors boys didn't want him to play base ball with them. Spot loved to chase a ball. And sometimes when he was watching a game and somebody hit a slow grounder he would rush out and grab the ball and run with it.

Then all the boys would run after him and try to catch him. That always pleased Spot mightily. And the longer the chase lasted the happier he was. But it was different with the boys. The harder they had to run after Spot before they got the ball away from him the more out of patience they became.

Whenever Spot took part in a ball game like that Johnnie Green usually put an end to his fun, for the time being, by tying him to something or other—perhaps a fence or a tree. But even that was better—so Spot thought—than being sent home in disgrace.

Luckily there were other sports in which Spot could romp with the boys as much as he pleased, without anybody's objecting. Nutting in the woods in the fall, skating on the mill pond or coasting down the long hill past Farmer Green's house in the winter, berrying in the summer

No matter what tricks the boys played on him, Spot never lost his temper—and swimming. Those were only a few of the jolly times that Spot and the boys enjoyed together.

THE GUMPS—SEE IT IN COLORS



More Truth Than Poetry

By JAMES J. MONTAGUE

AN ALARMING SYMPTOM We read a book the other day, which said that when a man is lazy...

To love in shady woods to lurk. Where flowers bloom and brooks are gurgling. The while the tolling millions work.

UNIQUE Apparently the only thing in the world which cannot be successfully counterfeited is beer.

TOO LATE The waning of the jazz craze is going to release a lot of brass just when we no longer need it for war purposes.

Common Sense By J. J. MUNDY. Consider Your Passengers. Mr. Car Driver, think of the person in the rear seat.

Dog Hill Paragrafts By George Bingham. The interior of the Tickville opera house is being fixed up and improved until the East Lynn Company will hardly know it, when

WHY—Are Clocks Used on Stockings? What we refer to today as a "clock" on a sock or stocking is nothing more than a bit of ornamental embroidery which appears to be placed in position in order to make the ankle of the wearer appear more slender or to give a touch of distinction to the hosiery.

Jewel, Flower, Color Symbols for Today By MILDRED MARSHALL. The diamond is both the talismanic gem and the natal stone for today.

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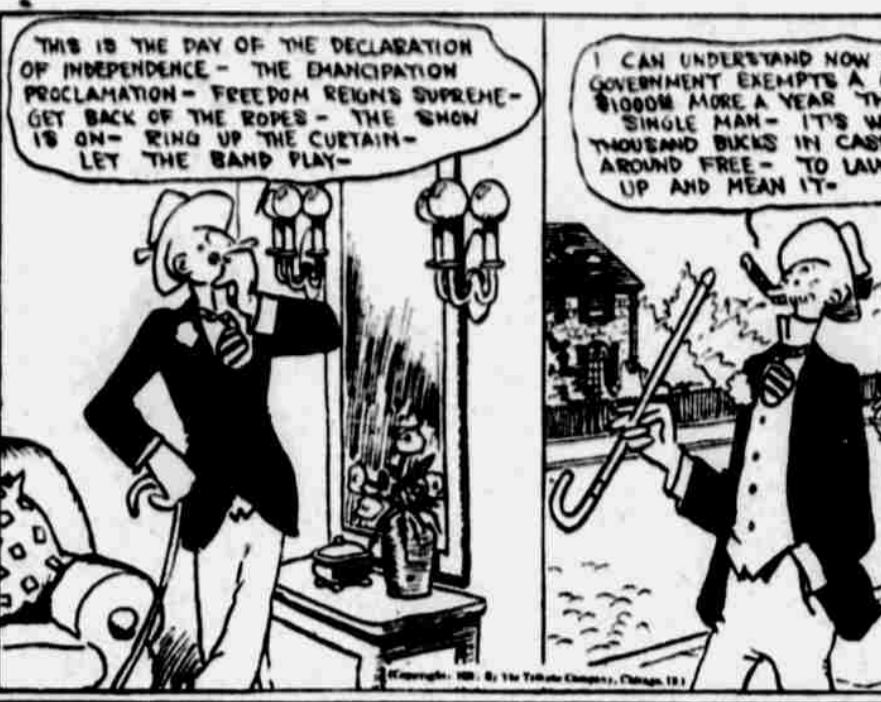
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SWEET LAND OF LIBERTY



HOLDING A HUSBAND

Adele Garrison's New Phase of "Revelations of a Wife"

The "News" Mrs. Durkee Carefully Broke to Madge. The appearance of Edith Fairfax at the climax of my hours of doubting worry concerning her absorbed my thought and attention so completely that for a second or two I did not see the other occupants of the car.

Pardonable Pride. How I blessed Katie for the intuition which had made her prepare a "beef dinner" on the chance of Dicky's bringing home some guests!

Where It Started. Though the Chinese have long used wells of this description, it is doubtful if they fully understood the principles involved. The name is from the well sunk at Artois in France, which was the first well dug with scientific knowledge of the principle of these spouting wells.

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Drawn for The Bee by Sidney Smith.



Romance in Origin Of Superstitions

Going Backward to Look Forward. This is for young ladies still unmarried. Go upstairs backward, into your chamber backward and get into bed backward.

Her eyes roved puzzled over the extremely modest Ticer farm house. "This" Mother Graham smiled. "Get the car out, Madge."

That something was in Mrs. Durkee's mind I knew. There had been but two sober faces in the merry crowd, her's and Dr. Jim's. The other women could not resist the temptation of the same dress going round a corner.

I drew a long breath and explained the situation as best I could. But though my little friend, the mother of an art editor, understood as few women could the crisis with which Dicky was confronted, yet her face was shadowed with doubt when I had finished.

"Of course, I know all you say is true," she said. "And I won't open my mouth except to approve outwardly of that which you want. But, oh Madge! I can't help feeling you're making the mistake of your life in having that girl back again! Edith is behaving badly enough, goodness knows, but that other devil!"

AMUSEMENTS. Opera Opheum. LAST TWO TIMES. MATINEE TODAY 2:15. EARLY CURTAIN. TONIGHT AT 8.

OMAHA'S FUN CENTER. Gayety. Mat and Nine Today. Another Brand New Show That's Different. Irons & "Garden Frolics" Musical. Charming's Pantomime and Two Hamlets. Contains everything that means anything in musical comedy.

EMPRESS. LAST TIMES TODAY. HARRY MAYNARD & CO. presenting "The Play". FRANK DE VOE & HARRY HOSFORD. GEORGE YEOMAN & LIZZIE. Ed & Bredie Conrad. Francis & Kennedy. Sullivan. Overdue Duo. Tonic of the Day. Assaf's Fabrics. Pathé News. Matinee, 1:30 to 3:00; some 7:30 and 9:15. Sun. Nights, 1:30 to 3:00; some 7:30 Sat. and Sun.

BASE BALL TODAY. Double Header. OMAHA vs. DES MOINES. First Game at 3:30 P. M. Sept. 10 and 11. Box Seats at Barkley Bros.

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E. M. (Roy) Sunderland Dies

After Six Month's Illness. E. M. (Roy) Sunderland, prominent young business man, died yesterday after a six-month's illness. He leaves a wife and two sons; his father, J. A. Sunderland, one brother and two sisters.

Complete Bigspring School. Bigspring, Neb., Sept. 9.—(Special.)—The workmen finishing the school house basement for the high school have the job nearly completed and school will start September 12.

Strand. FINAL DAY. GLORIA SWANSON. In Eleanore Glyn's Story 'The Great Moment'.

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