

**THE NUT BROS. CHES & WAL**

WHY LOOK SO SAD JUST CAUSE I ASKED YOU TO ME #20? TOUCHED!

NO WONDER I'M TIRED, I READ THAT WE USE 44 MUSCLES WHEN WE TALK WE TALK!

WHY DON'T YOU SHUT UP?

JUST GETTING IN, HUH? YOU SHOULD HAVE BEEN HERE AT EIGHT-THIRTY!

WHY? WHAT HAPPENED?

IF YOU RECOMMEND CARPETING?

IT CAN'T BE BEAT!

QUIET! CARPET TAPPING!

I KINDA LIKE THIS RUBBISH COLLECTING JOB!

ME TOO! IT GIVES US A CHANCE TO GO AROUND TOGETHER!

THIS SIDE UP!

ST. GREUSE

**OUR BOARDING HOUSE WITH MAJOR HOOPLE**

BY JOVE, LEANDER, WE CELEBRATE THIS WEEK THE NATAL DATE OF THE GREAT STATUE OF AMERICAN GEORGE WASHINGTON!

AND I'M GONNA BE A REVOLUTIONARY SOLDIER AT SCHOOL IN A PLAY WE'RE PUTTING ON!

WELL THEN, M'LAD, YOU CAN UNDOUBTEDLY TELL ME WHAT VIRTUE HE WAS MOST NOTED FOR!

SURE - HE CUT DOWN A CHERRY TREE AND DIDN'T GET A LICK IN'G DOIN' IT!

COME, COME LEANDER! WHAT WAS THE ONLY AND THE BEST OF THE FEATURES OF GEORGE WASHINGTON'S GLORIOUS CAREER?

GOSH, I DON'T KNOW, WAS IT WHEN HE THREW A DOLLAR ACROSS THE RIVER?

NO, NO - THINK NOW! WHAT WAS IT, GEORGE SAID WHEN HIS FATHER ASKED HIM WHO HAD CUT DOWN THE CHERRY TREE?

GEE, UNCLE BULBY, I MEAN AMOS - THAT WAS OVER 200 YEARS AGO!

OH, FIDDLESTICKS! HE SAID, "FATHER, I CANNOT TELL A LIE - I DID IT WITH MY LITTLE HATCHET!"

A FIB ISN'T AS BAD AS A LIE, IS IT?

CERTAINLY A FIB IS AS BAD AS A LIE, EVEN EXAGGERATION IN THE MOUTH IS AKIN TO A LIE!

JAW - NOW LOOK AT ME! I HAVE FOLLOWED THE EXAMPLE SET BY WASHINGTON! I HAVE ALWAYS REFRAINED FROM TELLING EVEN THE SLIGHTEST FALSEHOOD!

AH, HERE YOU ARE! CAN YOU TELL ME ANYTHING ABOUT THE SMALL CHANGE IN THAT OLD SUGAR BOWL IN THE PANTRY?

HI, AUNT MARTHA! I MEAN AMOS - IS TELLING ME - ABOUT GEORGE WASHINGTON?

THERE'S A DOLLAR AND A HALF MISSING FROM IT, AND I WONDER IF ANY-THING ABOUT IT?

HM - MY DEAR, ON MY WORD OF HONOR, ABSOLUTELY NOTHING ABOUT IT!

(SO THEN MAYBE YOU CAN) EXPLAIN NOW HIS CUFF LINK OF YOURS CAME IN IN THE BOWL!

AREN'T YOU GOING TO TELL ME SOME MORE ABOUT GEORGE WASHINGTON NEVER TELLING A LIE?

(HMPF! IT'S HIGH) YOU WERE IN BED?



# Times News

TWIN FALLS

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## Captain EASY

by LESLIE TRAPER



A BIG TYCOON NAMED J.P. MCKEE, 'ERE COMES TH' YANK VISITOR 'ES EXPECTIN'!

ARRIVING IN ENGLAND TO HELP TYCOON J.P. MCKEE INSPECT HIS NEW PLANT, EASY CALLS AT BEDSYDE MANOR.

QUITE A PLUSH SHACK YOU'RE HOLED UP IN, MR. MCKEE!

I COULDN'T ABIDE THE VILLAGE INN, EASY. YOU'RE JUST IN TIME TO ACCOMPANY ME TO THE PLANT!

HOW IS YOUR NEW VENTURE IN GLASS NOVELTIES DOING OVER HERE, SUH?

EXCELLENT! ONE ITEM IN PARTICULAR HAS CAUGHT THE BRITISH FANCY...

A LARGE, INEXPENSIVE, UNBREAKABLE WORLD GLOBE! AH, HERE WE ARE...

THERE'S A LARGER MODEL OUTSIDE THE PLANT, MADE FROM A NEW GLASS FORMULA, IT HAS WITHSTOOD HAILSTONES AND POT-SHOTS BY URCHINS.

McKEE LTD.

FEATHERSTONE THIS IS CAPTAIN EASY - MY PROFICIENT TROUBLE-SHOOTER.

POPOP!

MY STARS! THAT GLOBE... IT BLEW UP! BUT HOW THE SAM HILL -

IMPOSSIBLE! TESTS PROVED THEY'RE JOLLY WELL INDESTRUCTIBLE.

'URRY, SIR, COME SEE WHAT 'APPENED INSIDE!

THE SAMPLE GLOBES WE HAD ON DISPLAY EXPLODED AT THE SAME INSTANT!

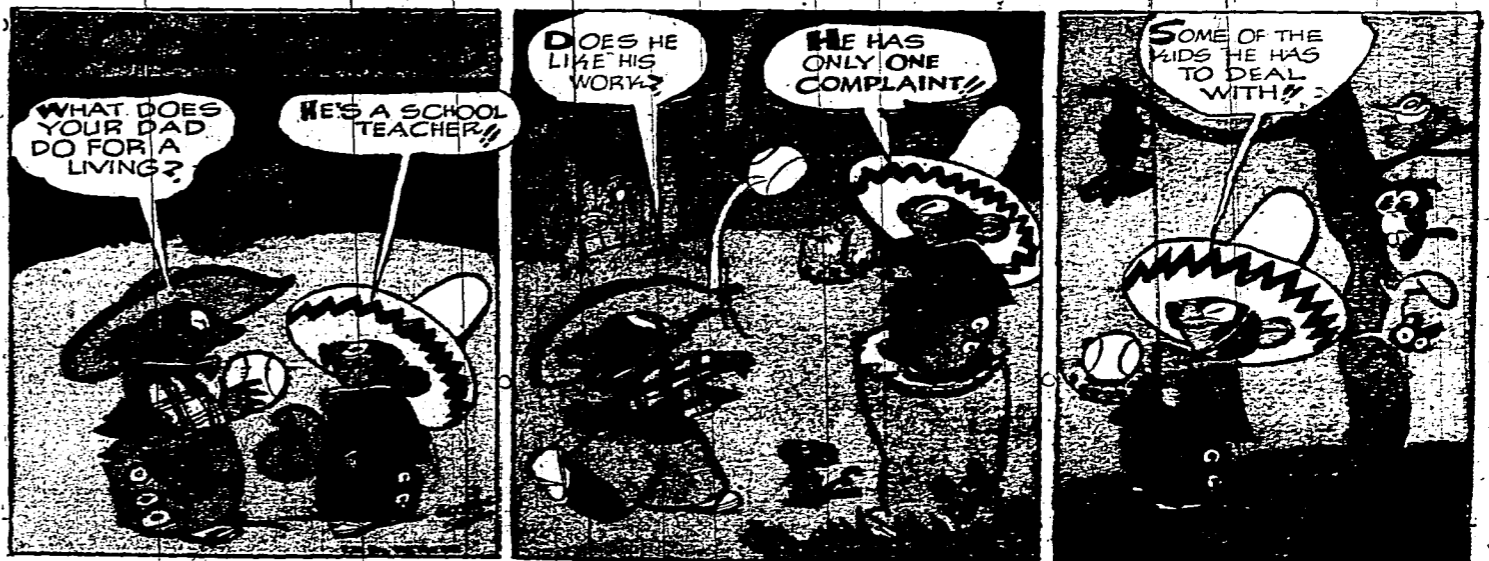
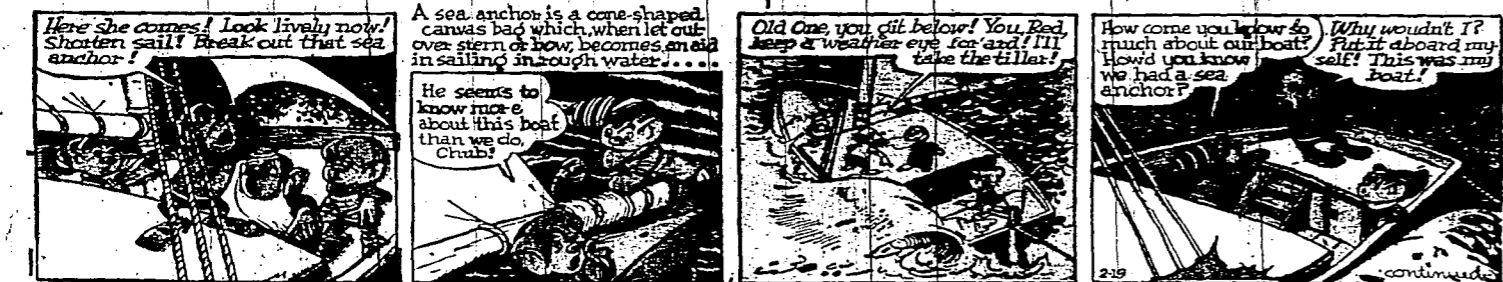
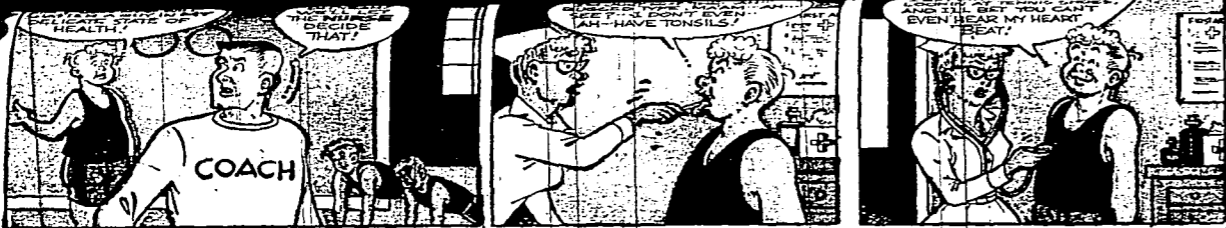
BUT - YES, THIS IS MCKEE, LTD... WHAT! ALL OF THEM?

THAT WAS A NOVELTY SHOP ON WORCHESTER ROAD. EVERY GLOBE IN STOCK SUDDENLY SHATTERED TO BITS!

OH, MY SOUL AND BODY!

THUS A MYSTERY THAT IS TO ROCK ENGLAND HAS ITS SIMPLE BEGINNING...

**and his FRIENDS**  
by MERRILL BLOSSER  
T.M. Reg. U.S. Pat. Off.



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I LEFT SPACE CONSULTANTS, INC., BECAUSE I WAS BORED WITH PRETENDING TO BE A MATHEMATICIAN. ALL THOSE FIGURES WERE GIVING ME HEADACHES!

BUT I NEVER TOOK ANYTHING FROM MY EMPLOYER... ANY EMPLOYER!

WHERE ARE THE MISSILE SECRETS THAT WERE REPORTED STOLEN?

BEFORE I QUIT, I STUCK THEM IN THE FILES UNDER 'S' FOR SECRET. OR DID I PUT THEM UNDER 'M' FOR MISSILE?

IF YOU'RE TELLING THE TRUTH, THE FBI WILL PROBABLY RELEASE YOU!

AND I'LL HAVE MY DAUGHTER BACK! I CAN'T WAIT!

WELL, HI-YAH, BOY, WHERE ARE YOU BOUND, ASTRIDE OL' DINNY, HIGH OFF TH' GROUND?

OH, I THOUGHT I'D RUN OVER AN' PAY TH' GIRL FRIEND A VISIT.

WELL, THAT'S JUST DADDY! TELL HER HELLO FOR ZED, AN' ME, JOE MOE AN' BEAU!

POOR OL' OOP, I HAVE A FEELING, IS IN FOR A SHOCK THAT'LL SEND 'IM REELING!

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HI, MISTER OOOOJASPOP!

OH, HELLO, OOP...

SEVERAL HOURS LATER:

MRS. CARSON, NOW WILL YOU GIVE UP THE LIFE OF A PROFESSIONAL IMPOSTOR?

I'LL TRY, MR. FLINT. REALLY I WILL!

AND I SO WANTED TO PLAY AT BEING A PRIVATE DETECTIVE!

I LIKE HIM, DON'T YOU, MAMA?

WHEN I GOT BACK TO MY OFFICE, A CLOUD OF PERFUME WAFED IN...

PERMIT ME... I AM THE COUNTESS LA VIE! AND I WANT YOU TO FIND A VERY BAD BOY FOR ME!

...MY GOO'NESS, I HAVEN'T SEEN YOU IN A LONG TIME... HOW'VE YOU BEEN?

PRETTY GOOD, I GUESS... I JUST DROPPED BY T'SEE HOW OOOLA'S GETTIN' ALONG

SHE'S DOIN' OKAY

WELL, WHERE IS SHE? I DON'T SEE HER AROUND

OH, SHE'S OUT WITH OGGY MUSSNRUGGLE

OGGY MUSSNRUGGLE? WHO'S THAT??

WHO? COL. LINDSEY! HE'S VERY BAD! WE HAD A FALLING OUT RECENTLY AND HE STOLE THE MONKEY HE'D GIVEN ME... THE DEAREST, SWEETEST MONKEY!

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I CAN'T STAY! HERE'S \$500 AND A PICTURE OF THE COLONEL. AND NOW I REALLY MUST TODDLE OFF!

SORRY TO LEAVE YOU, OLD MAN, BUT I'M HAVING LUNCH WITH THE COUNTESS!

A YOUNG FELLA FROM OVER TH' RIDGE A WAYS... HE AN' OOOLA BEEN SEENIN' A LOT OF EACH OTHER THESE DAYS

YEH?

YEZZIR, OGGY'S A RIGHT NICE BOY... THEY DON'T COME ANY BETTERIN' HIM!

AW, WHAT'S HE GOT THAT I AIN'T GOT, TOO?

WELL... RIGHT NOW, HE'S GOT OOOLA!

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V.T. Hauler



