

**NO! BRO'S! YES! WAL!**

ARE YOU SURE YOU PUT THE CAT OUT BEFORE YOU CAME TO BED?

IF YOU DON'T BELIEVE ME, PLAT IT AT YOURSELF!

WHY WASTE YOUR TIME WITH A REAL ESTATE GUY, TOO?

THAT'S BIGAMY!

THAT'S A STRANGE PAIR OF SOCKS YOU HAVE ON, ONE BLACK AND ONE WHITE!

I HAVE ANOTHER PAIR AT HOME, JUST LIKE IT!

WONDER WHY A CRANE LET UP UNDER HIM?

JEHE, JHE, JHE! HE'S FALLING OVER!

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**OUR BOARDING HOUSE WITH MAJOR HOOPLE**

WE'RE GOING BOWLING, UNCLE AMOS!

WHY DON'T YOU COME ALONG?

CAPITAL IDEA! BOWLING HAS LONG BEEN A FAVORITE SPORT OF MINE (IN FACT).

LISTEN YOU BIG BARN OWL, I'LL BOWL YOU OVER IF YOU DON'T GO TO THE STORE FOR ME!

UM, YAS... PERHAPS... OTHER TIME LADS!

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RAJALVIN AND LEANDER SAID THEY WERE GOING TO BOWL A FEW GAMES HERE. I'LL LOOK IN ON THEM?

EGAD, ALVIN, YOUR TROUBLE IS IN THE WAY YOU RELEASE THE BALL. LET ME SHOW YOU.

THE OLD BOY WINDS UP, DELIVERS, AND—

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OF COURSE I'M ALL RIGHT! IF YOU'LL JUST REMOVE THIS DRAITED BALL FROM MY THUMB!

I KNEW MY BALL WOULD BE TOO SMALL FOR YOU!

MAYBE IF YOU WALK AROUND OUTSIDE, THE COLD AIR WILL SHRIVEL UP YOUR FINGER!

FAP!

AT LAST IT BOOYL!

OOOPS!

GATHERING SNOW

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**GREAT SCOTT!**

IT HIT SO HARD IT POPPED THE DOOR OPEN, WHERE DID IT COME FROM?

THE NUCLEAR TESTS SHOULD BE BANNED, SO MANY FREAK THINGS HAPPENING!

HOW COME YOU BROUGHT HOME SAUSAGE WHEN I SENT YOU FOR SAUERKRAUT?

HOW DID MY BALL GET DENTED?

BALL? NO ONE WOULD BE HEVY ME!

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## Captain EASY

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AT EXACTLY 11:02 A.M. MANY BRITISH HOUSEHOLDS ARE STARTLED BY THE SUDDEN SHATTERING OF RECENTLY PURCHASED WORLD GLOBES!

BLIMEY! WOT APPENED TO OUR NEW GLOBE?

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IT WAS GUARANTEED TO LAST FOREVER, OR WE MONEY BACK! GIMME THAT PHONE!

SOON McKEE'S BRITISH PLANT IS SWAMPED WITH CALLS REPORTING THE EXPLOSION OF HIS POPULAR WORLD GLOBES

GAD, McKEE... CALLS ARE NOW COMING IN FROM A HUNDRED MILES AWAY!

IT'S FANTASTIC! THOSE GLOBES WERE MADE OF A NEW UNBREAKABLE GLASS!

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WHERE WAS THAT COMPLAINT FROM?

FROM MY WIFE! SHE SAYS OUR DOG'S HOWLING IS DRIVING HER BALMY!

I NEED SOME FRESH AIR TO CLEAR MY BRAIN, EASY. NOTHING MAKES SENSE!

BLAZES, I NEVER HEARD AS MANY YOWLING DOGS IN ALL MY LIFE, SIR!

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WHILE AT A LARGE RADAR INSTALLATION, 125 MILES AWAY

OUR RADAR HAS GONE HAYWIRE, SIR! IT DOESN'T PICK UP PLANES IN SIGHT!

AND IT SHOWS BLIPS WHERE WE CAN SEE THERE'S NOTHING IN THE AIR!

ODD, INDEED! MUST BE A LOCAL MALFUNCTION, OLD CHAP. I'LL REPORT IT TO THE MINISTRY OF DEFENSE!

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HMM... I'VE READ O' SINGERS BREAKING GOBLET'S WITH HIGH-PITCHED NOTES! BUT WONDER IF—

FIDDLE-STICKS! WHEN THIS DEBACLE OCCURRED THERE WAS NO SOUND, EASY!

HEY TH' DOGS SUDDENLY STOPPED HOWLING! THEY LOOK POSITIVELY RELIEVED—

BULLY FOR THE M! BUT IF MY SCIENTISTS CAN'T FIND THE CAUSE OF THIS FIASCO, MY FIRM IS RUINED!

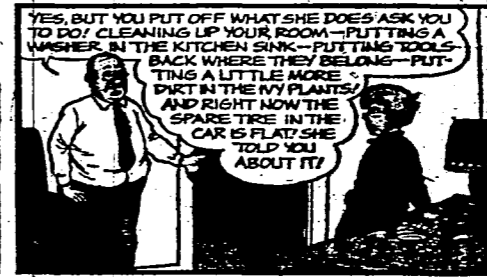
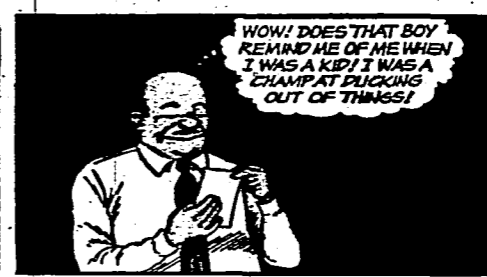
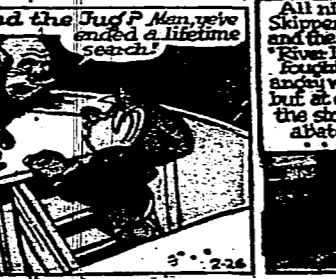
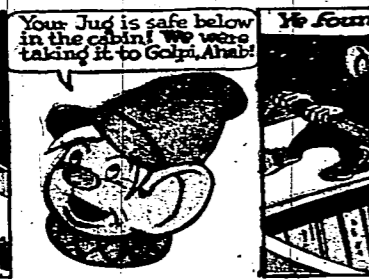
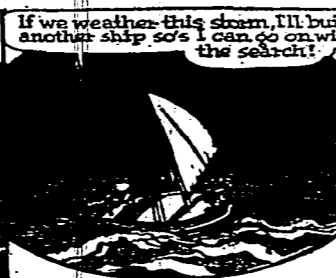
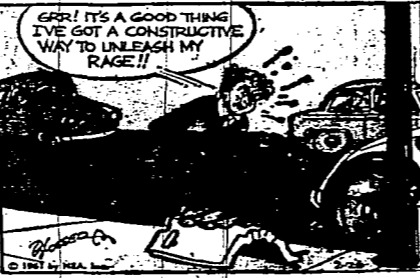
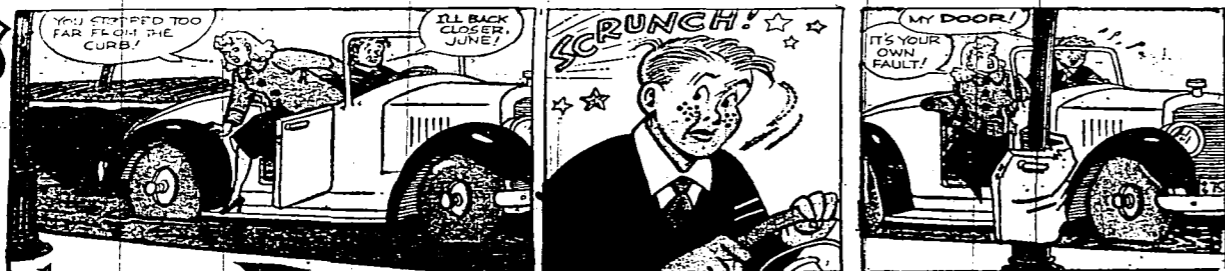
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BUT ALL OF ENGLAND'S RADAR WARNING SYSTEM REPORTS THE SAME TROUBLE

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# FRECKLES and his FRIENDS

MERRILL BLOSSER



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I GLIMPSED YOUR DEPARTING VISITOR! THE PERFUME SHE USES MUST COST ABOUT A DOLLAR A SNIFF! IS SHE REAL?

A REAL COUNTESS, NO LESS! SEEMS HER FIANCE STOLE HER PET MONKEY!

AND YOU'RE GOING TO FIND THE MONKEY?

I'M GOING TO START LOOKING RIGHT NOW!

AT A SWANK MIDTOWN RESTAURANT...

AND DID FLINT AGREE TO LOOK FOR ME AND YOUR MONKEY?

DAHLING, I DIDN'T GIVE HIM A CHANCE TO REFUSE!

BUT WHEN WILL YOU LET HIM FIND ME?

JUST AS SOON AS THERE'S ANOTHER JEWEL ROBBERY!

THEN I'LL COAX HIM INTO THINKING YOU AND THE MONKEY ARE THE JEWEL THIEVES... AND THE REST IS EASY!

COUNTESS, YOU ARE AS CUNNING AS YOU ARE BEAUTIFUL!

AND YOU ARE A DEAR, DEAR MAN, COLONEL!

I MADE THE ROLINDS OF THE HOTELS WITH A SHOT OF THE MISSING COL. LINDSEY...

NO, MR. FLINT, THERE'S NO ONE HERE WHO LOOKS LIKE HIM!

CALL ME IF HE SHOULD CHECK-IN!

NEXT I TRIED THE PET SHOPS...

NOPE... HASN'T BEEN ANYONE HERE TO SELL A MONKEY OR BUY SUPPLIES FOR ONE!

IT WAS LIKE MOST DAYS IN A PRIVATE EYE'S LIFE--UNPRODUCTIVE!

WELL, SOMEBODY HAD A GOOD DAY TODAY, I SEE!

JEWEL THREE STRIKES AGAIN

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AND ELSEWHERE IN THE CITY...



OOOLA'S OUT RUINNIN' AROUND WITH OGGY MUSSNRUGGLE?

WELL, Y'CAN'T EXPECT A GAL LIKE HER TO JUST SIT AROUND JUST DOIN' NUTHIN', CAN YOU?

WELL, MY GOSH, I BEEN A KINDA BUSY!

OKAY, SO YOU BEEN BUSY!

GRRRR!

NOBODY BY TH' NAME OF OGGY MUSSNRUGGLE'S GONNA CHISEL IN ON MY GIRL FRIEND!

I'LL BEAT HIS BRAINS OUT, THAT'S WHAT I'LL DO!

FIX 'IM UP GOOD... YEAH!

HMM!

MAYBE THERE'S A BETTER WAY...

MAYBE OOOLA WOULD BE MORE IMPRESSED IF I USED STRATEGY...

LESSEE NOW

TH' DIGNIFIED BIT! SURE! THAT'LL DO IT! CULTURE ALL OVER TH' PLACE!

YEAH, MAN! I'LL MAKE THAT MUSSNRUGGLE LOOK LIKE A BOG-TROTTERIN' YOKEL!

...A SLAVE MAN OF TH' WORLD, THAT'S ME... YEAH... COOL AN' POLISHED.

ALLEY!

ALLEY!

OOOLA!

WHAT ON EARTH ARE YOU DOING GRUBBING AROUND DOWN THERE IN ALL THAT MUD?

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