## WDRLD'S BEST COMICS

## Lighter Side of Life as Depicted by Famous Cartoonists and Humorists



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ADAMSON'S ADVENTURES

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That eree,
that croc
"It looks rather dirty",
cuat whe shot
customer "that's wee," replied the assistant ground when it fell out of the tree."
The $A$ He Automoblilst.
Lost for Good
Mummy." sald nitle Joan plead
logly. "can 1 please have another plece Ingly. "can
of tofteer
TVre onl
Tve ouly just given you á pliece,
sald mother. -What happened
"Tve "Tve lost It," the calld repllied.
"Where did you lose Itr" mother tit quired just put it in my mouth and
went right down." Joan informed her -Pearson's Weekly.






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Sagacious Serpent " $\mathrm{Y}^{\mathrm{ES}}$ Enake-charmer with the old RobIn snake-charmer with the old Rob-
Inson circus, "Elmer was by far the
most titelligent and most versatile sermost intelligent and most versatile ser
pent I ever had. Be was a blacksnake pent 1 ever had. Be was a blackssake
stret feet of patience, pllabilty and
perspleacity. 1 could call out any numDeropicacity. 1 could call out any num-
ber and instanty hed arrange himmself
in the form of that digure. Bils dgure In the form of that tigure Hils gigure
eiggts were a model of rounded sym-
metry. But all of this was before one horrible nlght. . .
Madame Zulawa covered her as as Madame Zulawa covered her eyes as
though to shat out some terrible sight.
There was a tremor in her volce ... then she went bravely on.
 ing the summit. Elmer sild out of his
cage and started back over the tops
of the cars, He was comipg back to
my car for his cup of warm coconut my car for his cup of warm coconut
milk to help him get to sleep.
"Just as be stretched over the
betwe between two cars, there was the sound
of fron snapping. of iron snapping. The couplling be-
tween the two cars had broken under
the strain of pulling the heavy cars up
that steep grade In and that steep grade. In another moment
the rear half of the train would be
speeding down the incline pathering speeding down the incline, gathering
momentum until it jumped the ralls at the first curve.
"Elmer
Elimer knew that everything d
pended upon hlm. Quice as a flash he
sank his teeth sank his teeth in the wooden top of the
car ahead. At the same moment he car ahead. At the same moment he
wrapped his tall around an fron rod
on the car behind. The stratn on him
was was fearful, but he hung on grim-
ly. "Well . . there isn't much more o tell. The whole train passed safely
over the summit. But Elmer's days as
 beled "The only Black in a prthon in Cap
tivity. .42 feet, $6 \%$ inches long.

## $W_{\text {West some oldtimer Is certo }}^{\text {Tenderfoot, Beware! }}$

shake his heme old-timer is certaln to
reckon a roperite or a a tripodero say: "I
rust of got him.". Chances are, hers right.
The tripodero tas only two legs, arraise or lower itself at will. Its hoad
has a long muzzle with a mouth like
a gun barrel. As it lurks among the a gun barrel. As it lurks among the
brush, It raises and lowers itselt on
As telescople legs to wateh for ap
proaching gat

When the tripodero sees a tender-
foot come jouncing along the trall on
horseback, it gets behind a boulder.
horseback, it gets behind a boulder.
tilts itself at just the right angle and
points its muzze at the unsuspecting points its muzzle at the unsuspecting
tenderfoot. At the right moment it
blows from its mouth a pellet of clag blows from its mouth a pellet of clay
(It always keeps a supply of these
quids in its left cheek) which
athots quids in its left cheek) which shoots
the taste right out of the tenderfoot's
mouth. One week and three hours later mouth. One week and three hours later
he dies of starvation because he can't
taste anything after he has been shot taste anything ant.
by the tripodero.
If the tenderfoot is lucky enough to
get past the tripodero. the roperite
may
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Uncle Phil Says:

## Unearth Old Cloth

Fragments of cotton cloth 5.000
yeare old, found to the ruing of town In India, were exnmmined micro-
scoplcally, and the fibers were found similhar to a kind of cotton still grown
In India.

Examine Old Ninger Prints
Finger prints made 3,000 years
Finger prints made 3.000 years ago
are belng used to determine the ago
of pottery reco
of potter recovereet from what the age are
thought to be the ruins of the Biblical
ety of Mixpah in Paleatine


STOPS HEADACHE AMAZINGLY QUICK
The next time you have a head-
ache or neurallic path, try the tim-
proved, modet, method of reltef proved, modern, method of relief-
two teasponnfils of capudie in
Iittle water. Being Hquid, the ingrelittle water. Bieln y llyuil, the ingre-
deents are alread
reaty to act. This is issolved why Capudine


Gift of Hospitality
Stay is a charming word
friend's vocabulary.-A. Bronson
STOPS HEADACHE



