

REG MORGAN, M.D.—By DAL

SP LAYTON IS ON THE PHONE, DOCTOR? IT'S ABOUT TIME! THIS IS DR. HARRISON! EXACTLY WHAT DO YOU MEAN BY CHANGING THE ORDERS I LEFT ON MY PATIENT, DR. LAYTON?

IF YOU WILL LOOK AT THE CULTURE REPORT ON THE LAB SHEET, DR. HARRISON, YOU WILL FIND THAT THE ANTIBIOTIC YOU ORDERED WILL BE OF VERY LITTLE HELP TO YOUR PATIENT.

WELL, ALL RIGHT—BUT IN THE FUTURE I WISH YOU'D HAVE THE COURTESY TO DISCUSS IT WITH ME FIRST!

WHAT'S WRONG, LEA? DIDN'T HARRISON LIKE YOUR CHANGING HIS ORDERS? NO, HE DIDN'T LIKE IT—UNTIL I DIPLOMATICALLY EXPLAINED HIS ORDERS WERE STUPID! AND I CAN'T STAND STUPIDITY!

HOW ABOUT GOING TO DINNER WITH ME TONIGHT? NO, THANKS! I'VE GOT A COUPLE OF NEW ADMISSIONS TO WORK UP—BOTH PATIENTS OF A DR. REG MORGAN! DO YOU KNOW HIM?

I KNOW HIM WELL ENOUGH TO TELL YOU THIS, LEA—DON'T EVER CHANGE HIS ORDERS WITHOUT ASKING HIM FIRST!

DICK TRACY

SOMETHING SHINY, EHP? MAYBE IT'S A HUNK OF GLASS OR A PIECE OF SILICA.

OR A QUEER STONE—Y'KNOW CONCRETES GOT ALL KINDS OF LITTLE ROCKS—

GIVE ME YOUR FLASHLIGHT, CASEY. MINE'S ALL SHOT.

IT'S NO STONE—THIS GO UP TO THE CALL BOX AND SEND FOR TRACY!

YOU'RE SERIOUS?

HAVE YOU SEEN TODAY'S PAPER, OODLES?

DID YOU READ THIS STORY, OODLES?

WELL, WHAT DOES IT SAY?

TRACY SENT ME DOWN—SAID YOU FOUND SOMETHING.

THAT SHINY OBJECT—LOOK AT IT CAREFULLY, SAM!

HOLY SMACKRE! CASEY, HAVE YOU GOT A HAMMER?

UP IN THE SQUAD CAR.

BUT YOU'VE NEVER PERMITTED ANYONE TO ENTER HIS ROOM BUT YOURSELF!

TODAY YOU AND I ARE GOING TO ENTER IT, MARIE—AND HOW!

FRECKLES

SURE, I'LL MARRY YOU!

DOLL YOU'VE MADE ME THE HAPPIEST CAT ALIVE!—WE'LL TAKE A SLOW BOAT TO PARIS—

—I'LL SHOWER YOU WITH DIAMONDS AND PEARLS—WE'LL HAVE A GOLD-PLATED SUPER SEDAN—A GARAGE LINED WITH ERMINE—

THAT WOULD BE ABSOLUTELY SLINGSY GLONG!

—WE'LL SPEND OUR WINTERS IN FLORIDA—OUR SUMMERS IN BERMUDA—

LITTERLY MARVELOUS!

BY THE WAY, IF I'M NOT TOO INQUISITIVE—WHO AM I TALKING TO?

REMEMBER THAT OLD WASHING MACHINE THAT'S BEEN GATHERING DUST OUT IN THE GARAGE, MOM? —I'VE CONVERTED IT INTO AN AUTOMATIC DISH WASHER! WILL IT WORK?

WILL IT WORK, SHE SAYS! NOW WATCH THIS! FIRST WE SPRAY THE DISHES WITH HOT WATER—

NOW COMES THE SPINNING, DRYING OFF PROCESS!

NANCY—By ERNIE BUS MILLER

ZOO

HAW HAW—THAT CAMEL SURE LOOKS SILLY WITH THOSE BUMPS

BZZ BZZ

LET'S GO DOWNTOWN AND SEE THE SIGHTS

O.K.

COME OVER BY THIS LITTLE POOL

WE CAN LOOK AT THE TALL BUILDINGS WITHOUT BEING CALLED HICKS

VIC FLINT

TWO... AND SHOULD YOU RETURN, I FEAR THE CONSEQUENCES WILL BE DIRE!

GOOD BOY, LOUIE!

BE RIGHT WITH YA, VIC. SCUSE ME, SIR!

SUPPOSE I HOLD THIS, MR. FONG, TILL YOU LEARN TO HOLD YOUR TEMPER?

ME A N W H I L E

HAS BIRD OF PARADISE ENJOYED CAVORTING WHILE I'VE BEEN CLEANING—

LOTUS BLOSSOM, WHERE'S FATHER? THERE'S BEEN ANOTHER FIRE—ONE OF HIS POLICY HOLDERS!

YOU SMILE AS IF GLAD ANOTHER MISFORTUNE HAS VISITED US!

IT'S NOT THAT, SISTER! I FOUND SOMETHING FUNNY IN YOUR ROOM!

ALLY OOP

GETTING A SUBSTITUTE FOR ALLEY OOP MAY TAKE SOME DOING!

WELL, I CAN COUNT ON YOU FOR HELP, CAN'T I?

WHAT HISTORICAL PERIOD WILL I HAVE TO GO BACK TO?

PREHISTORICAL, OSGAR. I THINK A PRIMITIVE MAN'S OUR BEST BET!

WHY NOT JUST GRAB OFF ANOTHER MOOVIAN?

NO, I DON'T WANT TO GO SO FAR BACK THIS TIME.

SO I'LL SELECT THE ERA, YOU PICK THE MAN, EHP?

OKAY, DOC... I'LL GO GET READY!

I GUESS SO, CAN YOU THINK OF ANY SPECIAL EQUIPMENT I MIGHT NEED?

READY TO GO HUNT US UP ANOTHER TIME, TRAVELER?

WELL, NO... EXCEPT HANDCUFFS, MAYBE... AND SOME LIGHT LINE MIGHT BE HANDY TOO!

OKAY, LET'S GO!

YOU'RE ON YOUR WAY!

MARY WORTH

WELL, I THOUGHT YOU AND JONI WOULD BE WALKING ON THAT BOOK MANUSCRIPT THIS MORNING, DON!

I'M TAKING HER TO THE DOCTOR, MRS. WORTH!... SHE ISN'T FEELING TOO CHIPPER SINCE BREAKFAST!

I'LL WAGER HE'LL TELL YOU IT'S THE AFTERMATH OF HER EMOTIONAL UPSET LAST EVENING!

IF I HADN'T DELIVERED SUCH A SERMON ON THE EVILS OF GAMBLING YESTERDAY... I'D CERTAINLY TAKE THAT BET!

MAY I ASK, DON... WHAT THE DOCTOR SAID ABOUT JONI?

HE SAID WE'D HAVE TO MOVE, MRS. WORTH!... EVENTUALLY, THAT IS!

...ON ACCOUNT OF THE SWIMMING POOL!

WHY THE POOL GIVES YOU BOTH SO MUCH PLEASURE, AND HEALTHFUL RECREATION!... BESIDES BEING A VERY CHARMING FEATURE OF THE LANDSCAPING!

THAT'S ALL VERY TRUE... BUT, YOU SEE, WE CAN'T RISK REE-LIZE 'O DON'T LIKE HER MUCH—BUT AT LEAST SHE'S REAL!

LIL ABNER—By AL CAPP

OH, GRACE STEINGEL?—YO H-HAIN'T REAL! AN AH LOVED YO' SO!!

STOP BLUBBERIN', SON, WE IS FACED WITH A REAL TRAGEDY!!

WE INVITED THAT MOB TO A B-DOLLAH WEDDIN', AN' WE GOTTA DEE-LIVER!!

YO' JEST PLAIN HAFTA MARRY SOME GALS, SON—OR OUR NAME WILL BE MUD!!

SON!!—AX HOPEFUL MUDD T'MARRY YO'!—AH REE-LIZE 'O DON'T LIKE HER MUCH—BUT AT LEAST SHE'S REAL!

TOO REAL!!

NEIGHBORS, WE INVITED YO' TO A B-DOLLAH WEDDIN', BUT—TH' GAL TINY WANTED T' MARRY DONE REFOOZED HIM!!

WHAT?—NO WEDDIN'?

WE COME A LONG WAY, YOKUMS!!

TH' CROWD IS GITTIN' UGLY, MAMM!!

WAIT!!—US YOKUMS NEVAH GOES BACK ON A PROMISE!!—JEST T'SHOW HIS GOOD FAITH, TH' CHILE NOW AIMS T'AX ANOTHER GAL T'MARRY HIM!!

BUT, GOOD NEIGHBORS, IF SHE REFOOZES, WILL YO' LET ME OFF TH' HOOK?—AFTER ALL, AH IS MERELY 15 1/2 YEARS OLD—

ALL WE KIN AX, SON, IS THET YO' SHOWS GOOD FAITH!!