

**CURSES CURSES**  
— ONE REEL —

WAITER, LET ME HAVE SOME DOUGHNUTS

SORRY SIR

WHY?

YOU'RE TOO LATE

HAVEN'T YOU ANY?

NO! THEY JUST RUN OUT.

THIS IS THE THIRD DAY YOU'VE TOLD ME THEY JUST RUN OUT.

I CAN'T HELP IT, SIR

WHY DON'T YOU CHAIN A COUPLE OF 'EM AND KEEP 'EM FROM RUNNING AWAY?



**PACKING HOUSES TO LOWER WAGES**

Ask Employes Council to Consider Reduction in Pay, Effective Soon.

Chicago, Nov. 10.—(By the Associated Press.)—A general cut in wages of packing house workers was forecast yesterday when four of the big five—Armour & Co., Swift & Co., Wilson Co., and the Cudahy Packing Company—requested their employes to consider, in the plant councils, a reduction in pay to be made effective soon. No definite amount was mentioned, and officials said their conferences had not determined the size of the reduction to be sought.

The Amalgamated Meat Cutters and Butcher Workmen Union of North America recently took a strike vote in which a substantial majority authorized Cornelius Hayes, international president, to order a walkout if he was unable to reach a satisfactory agreement with the packers.

The big five, claim, however, that only a small proportion of their men are union members and that a strike would not seriously affect their plants. The closed shop never has been recognized in the industry.

**ACTION NO SURPRISE.**  
The packers' action is no surprise to us, Hayes said when told of today's action.

Hayes announced district presidents from all packing house centers in the country would meet here next week to consider what action shall be taken under the strike authorization recently voted.

The present scale of wages in the industry ranges from 45 cents an hour for common labor—which includes fifty per cent of all men employed—to a maximum of 80 cents for the highly skilled floor men. Sausage makers and fitters are paid from 45 to 55 cents; killers from 62 to 65 cents, and hide removers from 70 to 75 cents an hour.

Arguments of the packers for a wage reduction at this time were presented by Louis F. Swift, president of Swift & Co., in a letter today to the members of the various plant assemblies.

"It is only because of the greatest necessity that we bring up the need of a further substantial reduction in expenses so that we can meet the competition of other concerns operating on much lower labor costs," said Mr. Swift.

He also said it was "a well known fact that the wages in other industries have come down faster than wages in the packing industry."

"Swift & Co.'s labor costs per hundredweight in 1915 was 40 cents," Mr. Swift added. "In 1921 it is \$1. Livestock has dropped in price almost to pre-war levels; prices of meat products also have fallen, yet the difference between the cost of raw materials and the selling price of our products has broadened."

"Bureau of Labor statistics for July show that the average weekly earnings of 13 industries in the country are less than the weekly earnings of Swift & Co. employes. Swift workers averaged \$5.70 more per week than workers in steel and \$6.70 more than those in the cotton industry."

At present the packing plants are working with reduced forces. One company, which normally employs 100,000 men, has 55,000.

**STOWAWAYS AND WHISKEY.**

Boston, Mass., Nov. 10.—Seven Chinese stowaways were arrested and six hundred pounds of whiskey and gin and a quantity of opium were seized by customs officers in a raid on the Dutch steamer Java late yesterday.

**MUTT AND JEFF**

SPIVIS TELLS ME HE GOT UP IN HIS SLEEP LAST NIGHT AND PLAYED A RECORD ON HIS TALKING MACHINE. I CAN HARDLY CREDIT IT!

I BELIEVE IT, MUTT. DID I EVER TELL YOU ABOUT THE TIME I WALKED IN MY SLEEP?

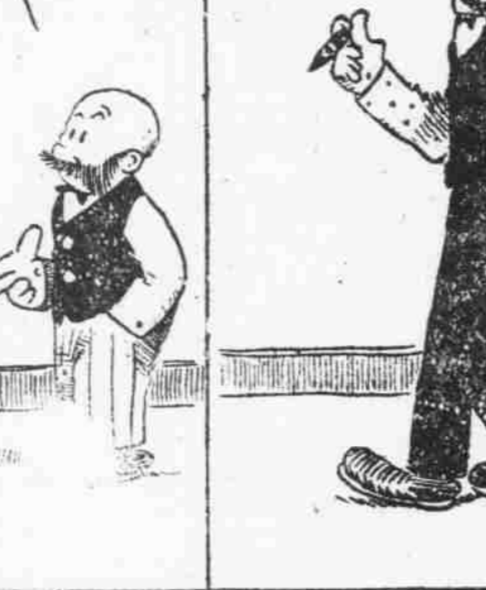
NO! WHEN WAS THAT?

ONCE WHEN I WAS VISITING SIR SIDNEY, I DREAMED I WAS AN INDIAN AND I GOT OUT OF BED AND WRAPPED A BLANKET AROUND MYSELF.

AND STARTED TO WALK THROUGH THE WOODS. I WOKE UP TWELVE MILES FROM HOME AND NO CAREARE IN SIGHT!

HOW IN THE WORLD DID YOU GET BACK?

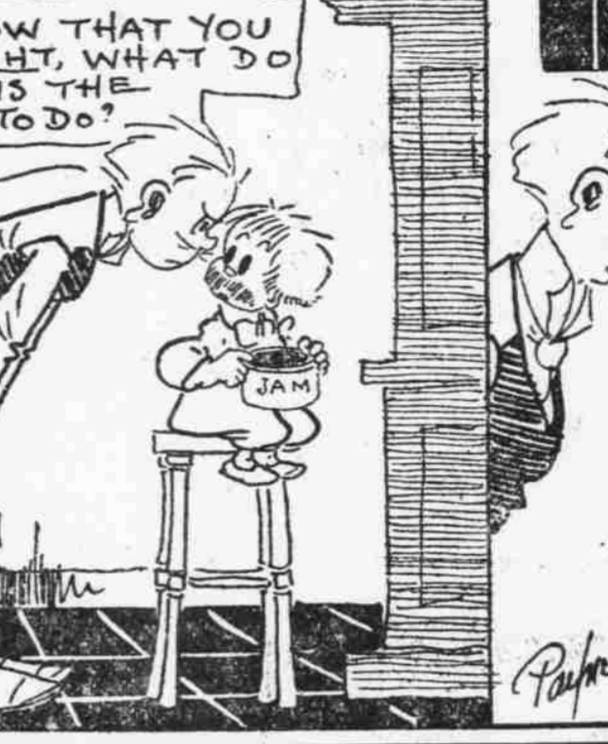
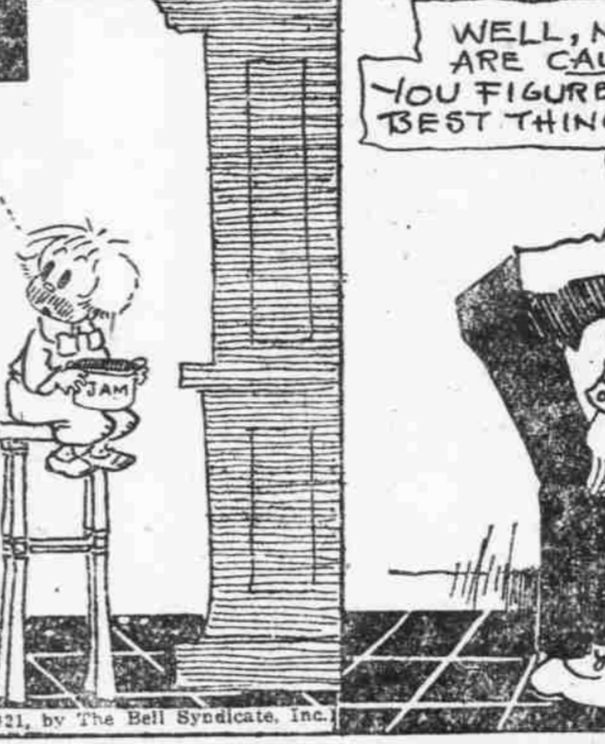
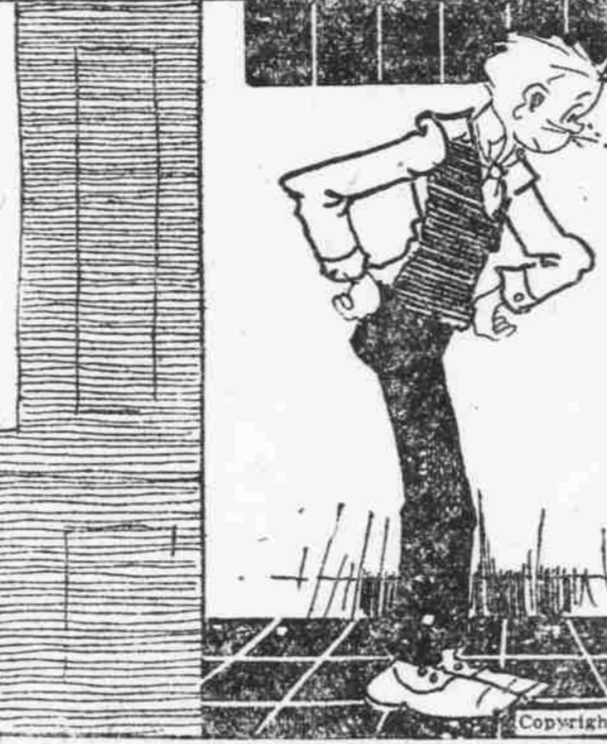
EASY ENOUGH! I LAID DOWN UNDER A TREE, DREAMED I WAS AN INDIAN AGAIN AND WALKED BACK!



**THAT WAS THE EASIEST WAY TO GET BACK HOME.**

By BUD FISHER

**SMATTER POP?**



**MAKING THE CRIME FIT THE PUNISHMENT.**

By C. M. PATRICK

**FIRE IN DWELLING HOUSE AT FORT MILL**

Fort Mill, S. C., Nov. 10.—At an early hour Wednesday night a blaze of fire was discovered in a front room on the second floor of the home of S. L. Meacham on Tom Hall street, and a prompt response to the alarm probably saved the building. The window curtains and shades had caught fire from an oil heater placed near it, the blaze from which had increased during the absence of the occupant. The fire was controlled with only slight damage and loss.

**ASTOR'S YACHT SEARCHED.**

New York, Nov. 10.—The Noumahal, Vincent Astor's motor yacht, was searched by customs officials yesterday and about 70 bottles of liquor, which they said had been found in the crew's quarters, were confiscated. Mr. Astor was not on board when the yacht was searched.

**SECEDERS PLAN TO RUN SCHOOL**

Heidelberg Property Will Be Developed at Once, Say Local Directors.

Plans for the proposed Associate Reformed Presbyterian school at the old Heidelberg Academy grounds, near Hendersonville, are expected to be completed during the next week, according to local members of the board of directors.

It was rumored during the past week that there was some misunderstanding in the boundary lines of the property purchased by the Seceders at that place which might seriously affect the entire deal, but local members of the organization state that this will not affect their plans.

A meeting of the finance committee was held at Heidelberg Tuesday and Rev. W. B. Lindsay, who attended that meeting stated that the work would not be held up and that, while the plans for the establishment of a girls' school at that place were not yet completed it was probable that they would be within the next week.

The grounds purchased by the Associate Reformed Presbyterians near Hendersonville contain some 250 acres and were formerly used as a school site. A large, roomy building is situated on the grounds. This building was formerly used as a dormitory for the students and contains over a hundred rooms.

Landscape gardeners have already visited the place and plans for beautifying the grounds have been perfected. The present plans are for the establishment of an Associate Reformed Presbyterian assembly ground at that place. Lots are to be laid out and sold to the ministers and laymen of the church. Here the Summer conferences of the church will be held and an ideal place furnished for the worn out ministers of the church to spend their Summer vacations.

The company was incorporated some time ago under the name of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian assembly grounds and a meeting of the board of directors was held at Heidelberg October 12 at which plans for the work were discussed.

**Home-made Remedy Stops Coughs Quickly**

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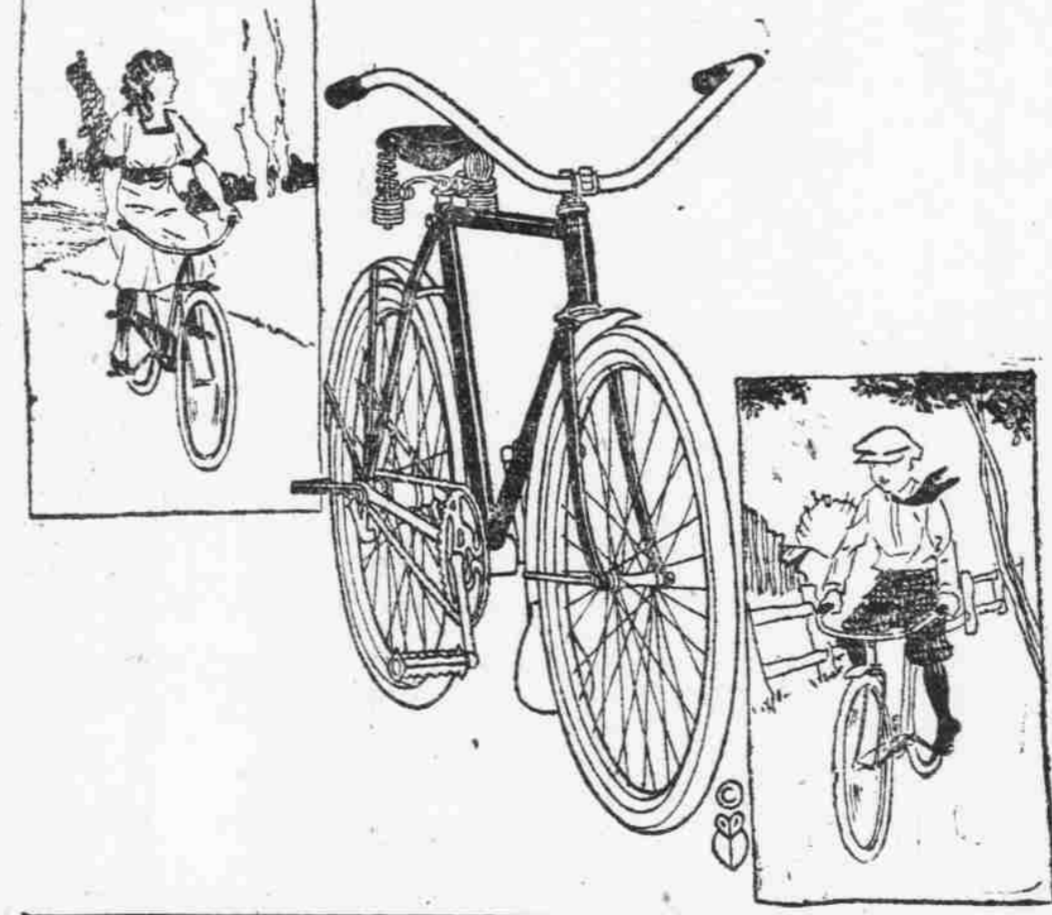
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**YOUNG GIRLS NEED CARE**

Mothers! Watch Your Daughters' Health Health Is Happiness



From the time a girl reaches the age of twelve until womanhood is established she needs all the care the thoughtful mother can give.

The condition that the girl is then passing through is so critical and may have such far-reaching effects upon her future happiness and health that it is almost criminal for a mother or guardian to withhold counsel or advice.

Many a woman has suffered years of prolonged pain and misery through having been the victim of thoughtlessness or ignorance on the part of those who should have guided her through the dangers and difficulties that beset this period.

Mothers should teach their girls what danger comes from standing around with cold or wet feet, from lifting heavy articles, and from overworking. Do not let her overstudy. If she complains of headache, pains in the back and lower limbs, or if you notice a slowness of thought, nervousness or irritability on the part of your daughter, make life easier for her. She needs thoughtful care for a few years.

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"At the age of sixteen my daughter was having trouble every month. She had pains across her back and in her sides. Every month her back would pain her so she could not do her work and would have to lie down. My married daughter recommended Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I read the books which were left at my door. She took it faithfully and is now regular and has no pain. We recommend the Vegetable Compound and give you permission to publish this letter in your little books and in the newspapers."—Mrs. KATIE EICHER, 4034 N. Fairhill St., Philadelphia, Pa.

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