



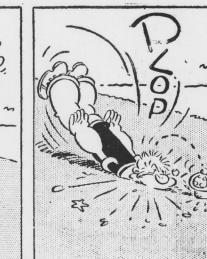
THIMBPE THEATRE—STARRING POPEYE

The Queen's Men

By E. C. Segar









BY GEORGE! MY DAUGHTER IS RIGHT! WE'VE LIVED UP TO THE TERMS OF THE WILL! GET THE FARM! WITHOUT A DOUBT

BIG SISTER

ETTA KETT







A LIL' WHISKER DUSTER "-WITH MY COMPLIMENTS YEAH! WELL PLAY THIS SUOP NO MOUTH ORGAN.

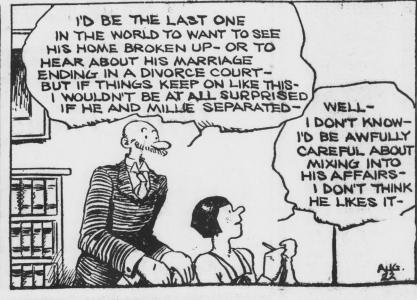




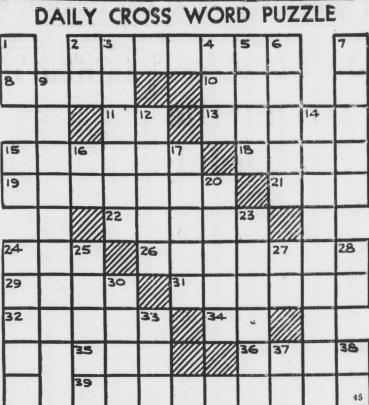


THE GUMPS-THE LIGHTS ARE CHANGING









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ACROSS 2—Arraigned 8—A conspicuous natural elevation 10—Single in kind 11—Compass point 13—An implement for grasping objects 15—A rector's assistant 26—To cast a shadow 29—A newspaper paragraph (colloq.) 31—Popular name of Vecellio, great Vene tian painter pine family 32—A tree of the pine family 34—South Africa	15—Civil engineer (abbr) 16—Royal 25—A metallic honorary disc guards 27—Greek letter (abbr.) 17—Expel forcibly 28—Into (prefix) 20—A U. S. immi 30—Mother of gration station off N Y 33—Record (abbr.) tory prayer 24—Urges to at. Answer to previous puzzle

(abbr.)

36-Negative

votes

39-Footmen

6-Overall

9-Overflow

12-Wager

material

obsolete,

DOWN

of assent

35-Expression IGNORANT EBLEAT HUGSY ORANGBINET 7-To sew again TCTANTRUMS 14-A lexicon of TOMLEORES

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A SLAM MADE EASY

18-Artifice

19—Inscribe

from

24-Masculine

22-Ability

21-To cut grass

1—Exclamation

of surprise

2-Pertaining to

3—Brightens

drunkard

4-Habitual

5-Enough

(adj. suffix)

AS WAS the case with the following hand, a small slam call which looked impossible to the declarer, bestrength and the way opposing cards fell. My partner, Mrs. C. C. Ransom, one of New York's popular bridge teachers, sat East and opened bidding fourth hand.



Bidding went: East, 2-Clubs; West, 2-Hearts; East, 3-No Trumps; West, 4-Hearts; East, 6-Hearts, as she had a right to do.

The opening lead was the 2 of dianonds, and dummy's K won. Trumps had to be led, with only one way North held." As the cards happened possible to take a finesse. The K of to lie that would have been fine, but trumps brought out South's 10 over dummy's 6. My J lost to North's Q. but dummy's 9 was established.

suppose I had lost the finesse to South. Then I must have gone down two tricks, as I still held a losing the suppose I had lost the finesse to South. Then I must have gone down two tricks, as I still held a losing the suppose I had lost the finesse to South. Then I must have gone down two tricks, as I still held a losing the suppose I had lost the finesse to South. Then I must have gone down two tricks, as I still held a losing the suppose I had lost the finesse to South. out dummy's 9 was established.

aking out dummy's Ace and leaving did not fall would have cost me only, single loser of the suit in dummy a single trick.

and declaring hand. The first thing to do was to pick up the missing 8 fore he had seen dummy, was made very simple by dummy's enormous the 2 of clubs, I had to obtain a disround I let go my losing diamond. South had followed suit in clubs with the 5 and 7. North had played the 3 and 4, giving me no information of

I decided to discard at least one of my losing spades upon the good Q of clubs. As South apparently was long in clubs the chances were in favor of his having the J of that suit, but if North held just three clubs including the J my troubles were over, as I could discard my last losing spade on the good 10 of clubs. I led the Q of clubs and sure enough North's J fell, assuring a fulfillment of my small slam contract and I spread my cards, after discarding my second spade upon dummy's goo

After the hand was over one of the players remarked: "I would not have played the hand the way you did. I would have overtaken dummy's 9 of hearts with the Ace and led my singleton club, taking the finesse. You would have fulfilled your contract then no matter how many clubs diamond. The way I intended to North led back the 3 of diamonds, play the hand in case the J of clubs

What to Do to Prepare Young Child for School

o school today-for the first time. He's five now-the be by days are behind him. Life begins in earnest. He is to have

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fellows. ing thought, but bright, eager brain

tasks. He must prove him: wif.

More important

also an ennostimulus for all

ing to school. If he is plainly healthy, cough, before we send him off. with a wholesome mind and under-standing, delighting in play and activity. I certainly do not think it is necessary to send him to a jury of specialists in dentistry, and nose and throating, and heart and lungsery, any eyes and earsery, and everything else. Lots of us went to school be fore the word "orthodontia" was invented, and some of us did very well. Not that these fellows are not useful in their place and when their time comes-but it seems to me sometimes we fuss too much with the machine.

Things to Remember But there are some things I think and "The Care of the Hair and Skin."

by LOGAN CLENDENING, M. D. | most evidently should be remem-THE LITTLE FELLOW is going bered for the little fellow before he starts his first day in school. Your family physician will give you all the advice you need about special

treatments. First, let's be sure he can see and hear well. He has never had these senses really tested in his baby days. than anything No one would notice if he were nearelse, he will meet sighted: he himself would not know competition. He what it means. Now he has to hear will begin to as- questions distinctly and begin to desociate with his cipher letters and words. Perhaps he has a slight eye defect or is just How will he a little under normal in hearing. And stand the test? he might go and fall behind in classes It is a frighten- and nobody understand why, with his

Then, let us remember his many bling one-a new human contacts. He has been comparatively alone, up to now. Sunof his parents denly he is thrown with several hunand well-wish- dred children. Some of them may be just coming down with a contagious Certainly he should have every disease. Some come from households chance to do it well. His body, as where there has been diphtheliawell as his mind, will be tested. And they may, all unwittingly, so far as he must try to realize the old Greek they or their parents are concerned, ideal—"mens sanus in corpore sano." be carrying around some of the Now, I am not one of those who germs in their own mouths or thinks that the little fellow should throats. So let us immunize the litbe overhauled like an automobile tle fellow to diphtheria, typhoid feabout to take a journey, before go- ver and smallpox, perhaps whooping We will discuss details in the tollowing articles this week.

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