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ROSIE-MY DARLING-THE BOSS JUST GAVE ME A RAISE AND A BONUS OF FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS-I FAINTED-THAT'S WHY I COULDN'T COME TO THE 'PHONE WHEN YOU CALLED --

GEE-WHIZ--JUST BECAUSE YOU MAKE TWO MISTAKES THAT SAVE MONEY FOR THE FIRM-YOU GIT A RAISE - SHUCKS-I'VE MADE ENOUGH MISTAKES TO OWN THIS JOINT--

WHAT A WONDERFUL WORLD-GEE- I'M HAPPY--

OH-OH- SOMEONE AFTER MY MONEY ALREADY--

YOUR NAME IS ARCHIE- ISN'T IT?

WELL-I'M AN ATTORNEY FROM HICK-HICK-HICK-- AND HICCUPI-- YOUR UNCLE IN AZUZA JUST PASSED AWAY AND LEFT YOU ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS --

I'M SORRY-MISS ROSIE-BUT YOUR RATIONED SUGAR BUN CAN'T COME TO THE 'PHONE- HE JUST PASSED OUT AGAIN--

Bringing Up Father

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DADDY- WHY ARE YOU LAUGHING? YOU LOOK AS IF YOUR THOUGHTS ARE THOUSANDS OF MILES AWAY--

I HAVE TO LAUGH- I'M THINKING OF TH' DAYS BEFORE YOUR TIME WHEN WE LIVED IN TH' GOOD OLD NEIGHBORHOOD!

TH' DAY MAGGIE'S GRAND-FATHER SHOWED THE OLD FAMILY ALBUM TO THE BARBER HER SISTER WAS ENGAGED TO- THE PICTURE OF HER AT THE AGE OF TWO-LYING ON THE FUR RUG SURE DID EMBARRASS HER--

AND HOW THE DUGAN KIDS WOULD HOWL WHEN IT CAME TIME TO PUT ON TH' HEAVY WOOLEN UNDERWEAR FOR THE WINTER THOSE KIDS USED TO SCRATCH FOR A WEEK--

AN' HOW THE GIVEY CO USED TO STEAL HORSE-SHOE NAILS AT MILAM'S BLACK SMITH SHOP-LATER WE USED TO STEAL HORSES--

AN' TH' DAY MARY-ELLEN SAT DOWN IN TH' HAMMOCK- AN' HER BEAU-TERRENCE LANDED OVER IN CASEY'S CHICKEN COOP!!

MAGGIE'S FATHER SPENT ALL HIS TIME (AN THAT IS ALL HE SPENT) SITTIN' IN TH' KITCHEN-WAITING AND LOOKING OUT TH' WINDOW FER SOMEONE WITH A DIME- TO GOBY-HE WOULD FURNISH THE PAUL--

HOW WE ENJOYED TH' CIRCUS -A PARADE! LITTLE DUGAN WAS ALWAYS OUT IN FRONT-AN' WITHOUT FAIL- AN' DINKY'S DOG-A "SHOOZER"-WAS JUST A STEP AHEAD OF THE DRUM-MAJOR--

AN' HOW INDIGNANT TH' MCNACKS SISTERS WERE WHEN THEY SAW DANDY MAHAHAN COMING OUT OF GOL LOON'S SALOON--

AND EVERY YEAR-IN TH' SAME SUIT-BLUTCH' LANEY WOULD RECITE "GUNGA DIN" AT THE TOWN MEETING- TH' LAST MEETIN' HE GOT NERVOUS AND FAINTED- THEY GAVE HIM A DRINK OF WATER- AND THEN HE PASSED OUT COMPLETELY.

AND THE PRINCIPAL OF THE SCHOOL WOULD TELL AUNT GUNDA HOW IMPOSSIBLE IT WAS TO KEEP WILLIE IN SCHOOL- THEY HAD THE SAME TROUBLE YEARS LATER-- KEEPING HIM IN JAIL--

AN' LITTLE BERNICE TOOK LESSONS ON THE PIANO -- THEN THE INSTALLMENT MAN TOOK THE PIANO--

THEY DIDN'T KNOW HE WAS TRYING TO GIT THEIR FATHER OUT OF TH' PLACE--

AN' MAGGIE'S BROTHER- LADDIE- GAVE UP WORK BECAUSE HIS HEARING WAS BAD- HE FOUND OUT HE WUZ WORKIN' OVER TIME- BECAUSE HE COULDN'T HEAR THE WHISTLE--

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