

THE TINYMITES

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(READ THE STORY, THEN COLOR THE PICTURE)

The pumpkin pie the Tinies ate left them in quite a happy state. Said Scouty, "It's no wonder that your pumpkin won a prize."

"I guess we've eaten all we can. The rest must be left in the pan. We never before have tackled tasty pie of such a size."

"If you ask me, you did real well. It should have made your tummies swell," replied the kindly farmer. "Now a new treat is right near."

"I'll ask you all to follow me and very shortly you will see a tiny little railroad train, without an engineer."

"If one of you will run the thing, a lot of pleasure it will bring. I'll let you ride around the fair the balance of the day."

"Of course the train is very small, but I am sure 'twill hold you all. I've seen wee tots in it before. 'Twas merely made for play."

Then Scouty cried, "I'll gladly be the engineer. Leave it to me. Just show me how it works. I'll learn as quickly as I can."

"Okay," replied the farmer. "You will soon know just what you should do." And then he led the way, and after him the Tinies ran.

The little train was very cute. "Oh, we will make it too, too, too," said Goldy, as she climbed aboard. "Come on, let's start away."

An engineer's hat Scouty found. He said, "you'll all be safe and sound, 'cause this will make me look just like an engineer today."

It didn't take the farmer long to show him what was right, and wrong. "Then, with the Tinies hanging on, the train began to creep."

"Hurray," cried Coppy. "What we need is just a little bit more speed. Keep on the level. Do not try a hill that's very steep."

OUR BOARDING HOUSE

—By Ahern



OUT OUR WAY

—By Williams



THIS CURIOUS WORLD By William Ferguson



After an elephant's tusks reach a certain size, they become a hindrance to him. The enormous weight, often several hundred pounds, exerts such a downward pull upon his neck that he is unable to keep up with the rest of the herd, and frequently is forced to live a solitary existence.

NEXT—Is the planet Venus always the same distance from the earth?

HORIZONTAL

1 Italian discoverer of America, — Columbus.

10 Chain of rocks in water.

11 One who hires.

12 Helper.

13 Italian version of his name.

15 Pair.

16 Evergreen tree.

17 Structural unit.

18 To face toward.

19 Sorrowful.

21 Narrow valley.

22 Ready.

24 To rescue.

28 Carbon in smoke.

29 — backed his journeys.

31 Breviator.

32 Before.

34 Platform.

35 Form of "be."

37 Go on (music).

38 Pussy.

Answer to Previous Puzzle

ANASTASIA SLAIN
LOGE RATES OBOE
ADIT STERE TOTE
RET PEERING DAD
AVES A TARE
SATIN ATE TASTY
ULES GRIN
RESIN COD
VITICIN ANASTASIA
VIRA BATS
VIVA MILE
OMER ELECT OATS
REVOLUTIONIST

VERTICAL

19 Floating ice sheet.

19 Bugle signal.

20 Bustle.

21 Hottentot instrument.

23 Sentinel duty.

25 Dye.

26 By way of.

27 Peer.

28 He is buried at the Cathedral of —

29 Drunkard.

30 Convent worker.

32 Extended.

34 Rodent.

35 Male.

38 Beret.

40 Jewel.

42 Children.

43 Koran chapter.

44 Slovak.

46 Eye fluid.

48 Bird.

49 Public auto.

50 Constellation.

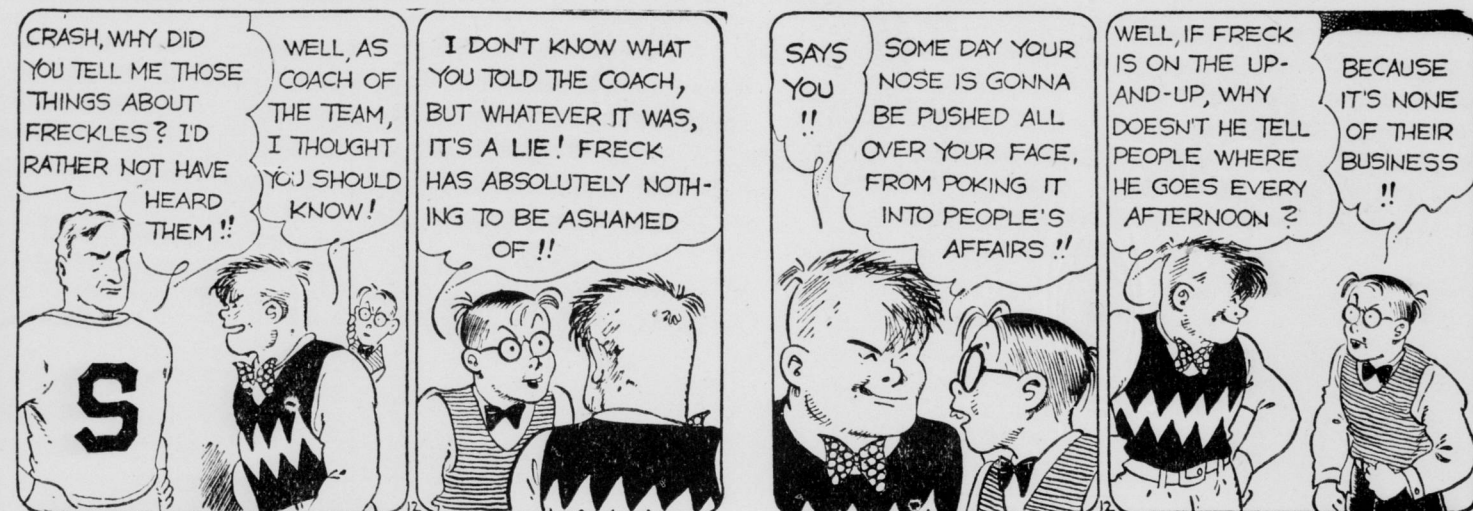
52 Street.

54 Upon.

56 Doctor of medicine.

16 To harass.

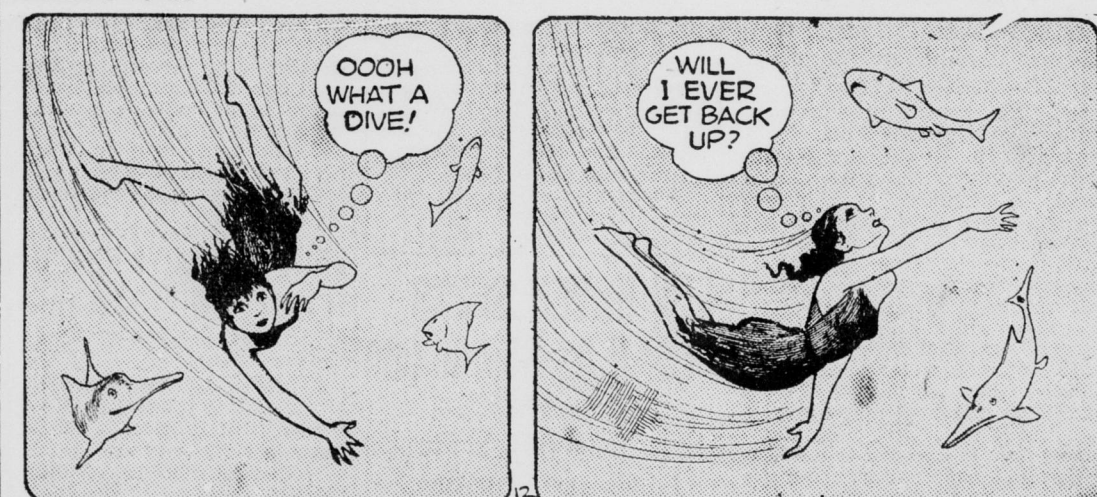
FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



WASHINGTON TUBBS II



ALLEY OOP



BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES



TARZAN AND THE FIRE GODS



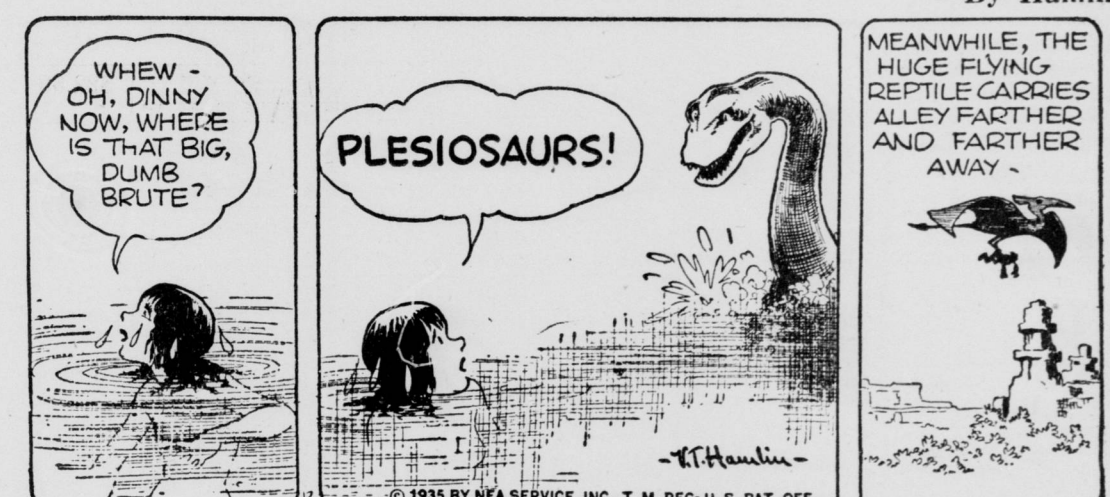
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—By Crane



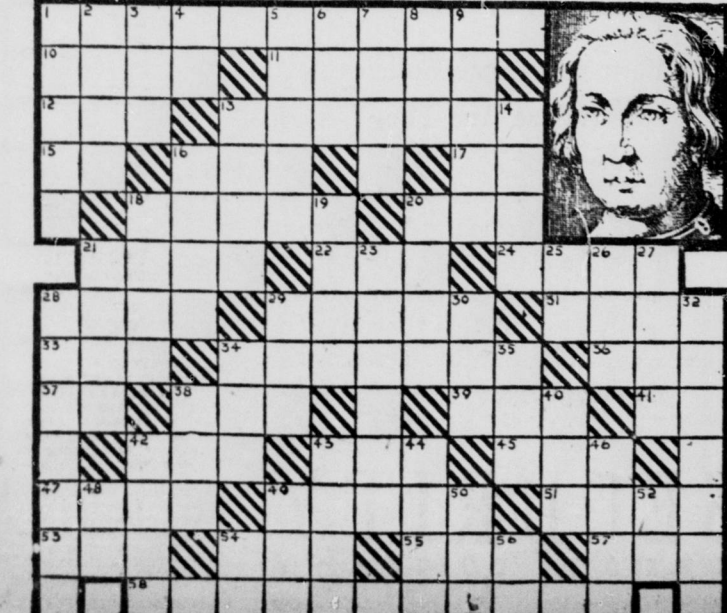
—By Hamlin



—By Martin



—By Edgar Rice Burroughs



With outward calm, Tarzan received his denunciation by the mad Niarchus, then he said: "Dost thou, who callest thyself my prophet, dare to deny me? These three whom thou wouldst kill are favored children of Baal!" "No," Niarchus interrupted, "they are demons!"

"Then," answered Tarzan, "command the turners of the wheel to pull them to the Fiery Pillar." Lady Beth was aghast. Had the Jungle Lord abandoned them? Tarzan looked at her: "Translate as I have said!" he commanded sternly. Niarchus was elated.

"Pull!" he cried. But to his amazement there was no response from the hidden niche whence the fatal rope was controlled. Lady Beth, Jerry and Arbel were no less astonished, for they did not know that Tarzan had slain the wheelmen. The ape-man smiled.

"Baal hath rendered the wheelmen powerless, to show that I am in truth Iskander," he said to Niarchus. He turned then to slash the bonds of the captives. But the mad Niarchus crept up behind him, his bony fingers gripping the hilt of his sacrificial knife!

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