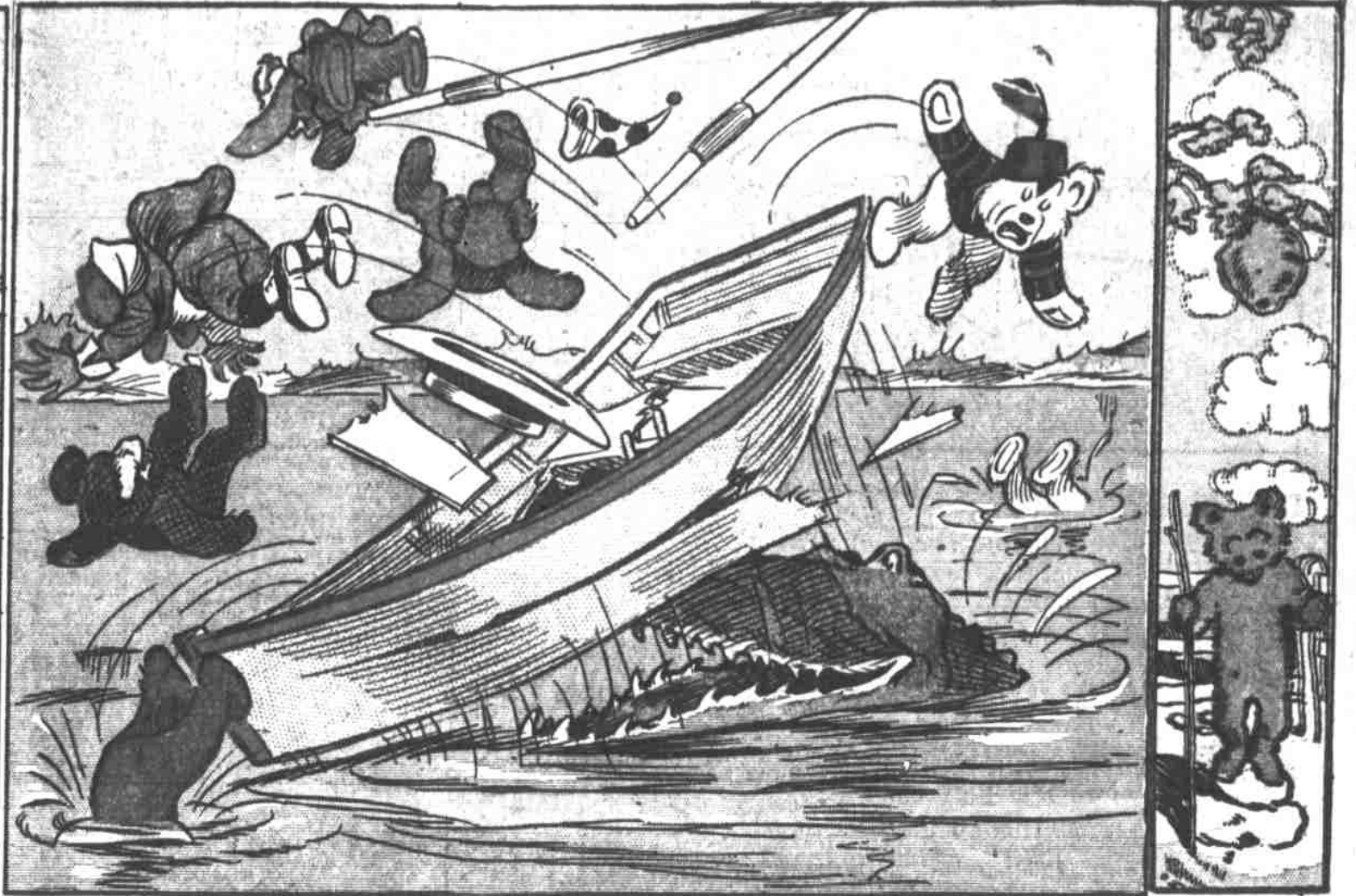
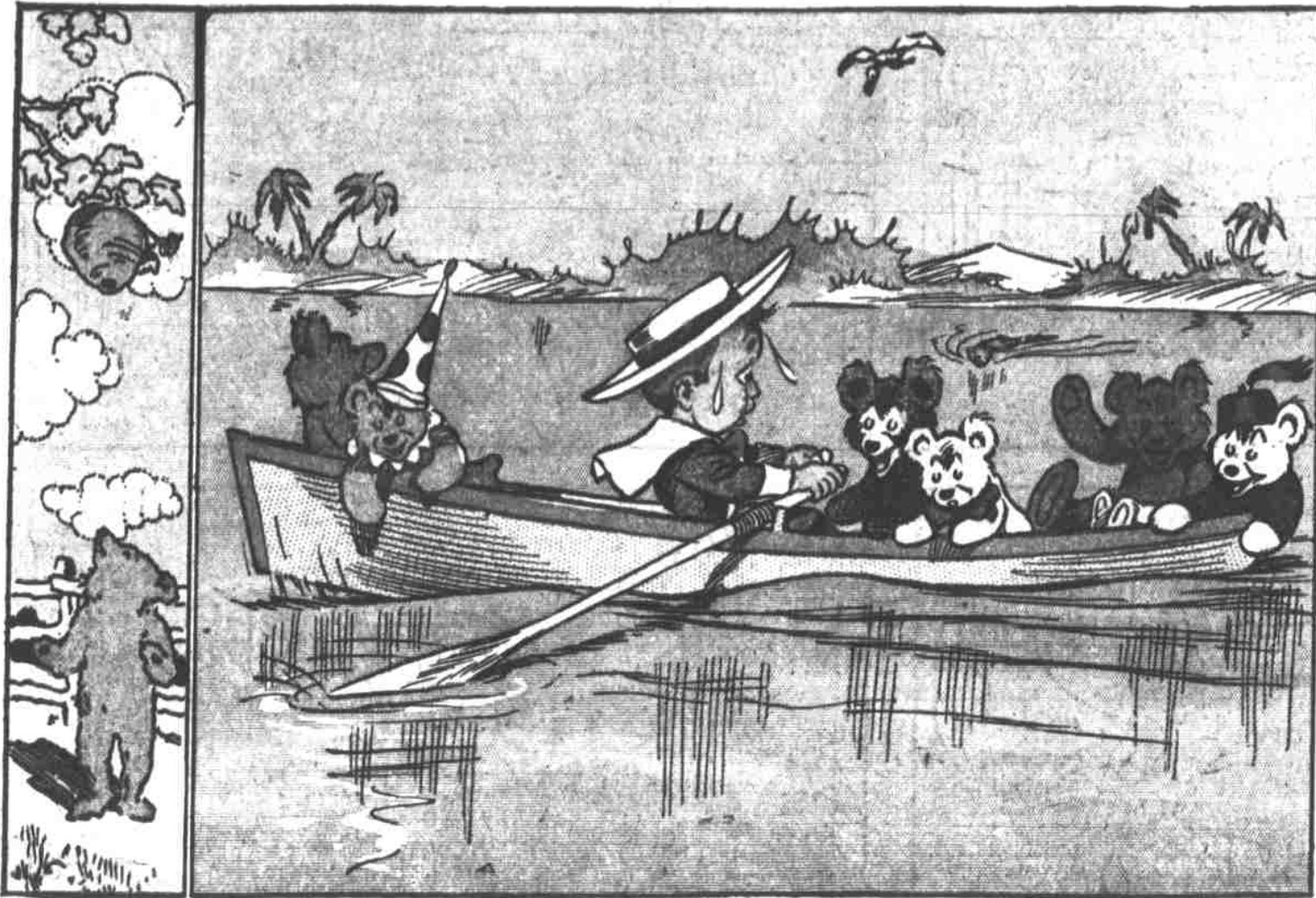
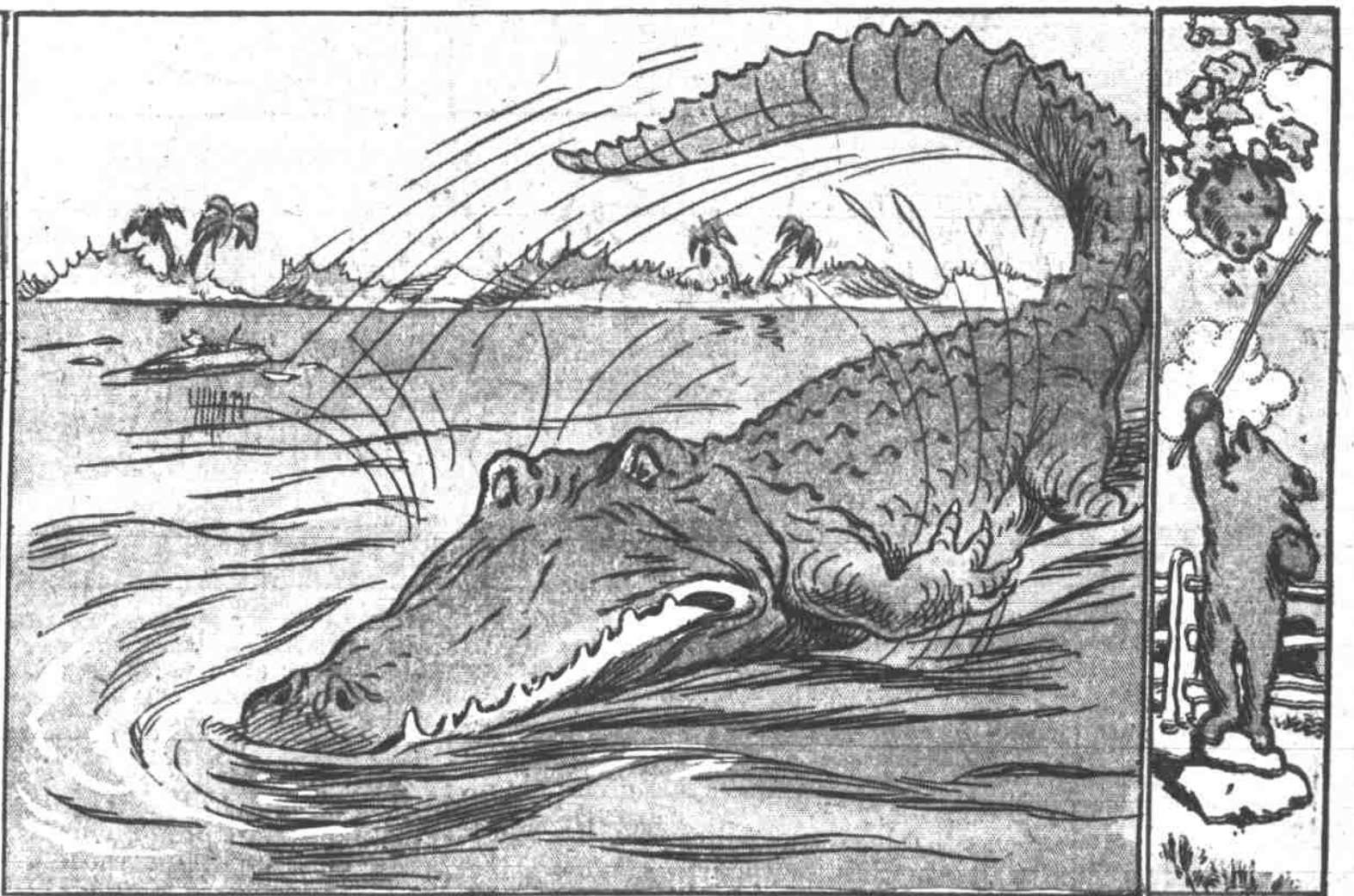


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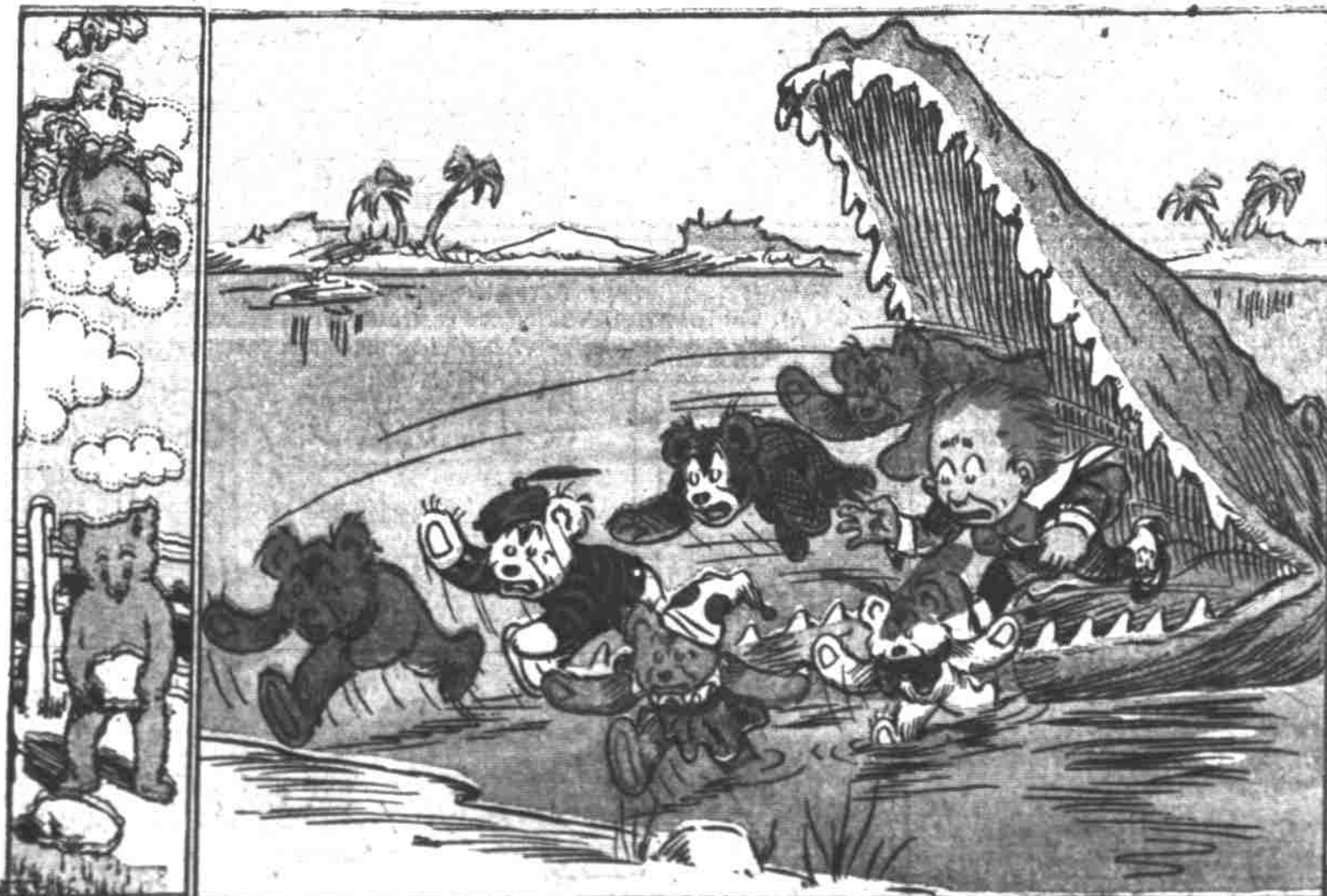
1. The Teds and Johnny get a boat  
 And think they'll have some fun afloat,  
 The bears all cry "We've struck a rock!"  
 Thinks that it's really not so funny.

2. He rows till there's a sudden shock—  
 The bears all cry "We've struck a rock!"  
 O woe! They're in the sunny South,  
 The rock's an alligator's mouth.



3. An alligator! Awful sight!  
 The Teds are overwhelmed with fright,  
 And then the beast with hungry grin  
 Slowly begins to draw them in.

4. Poor John—poor Teds—a moment later,  
 They're all inside the alligator;  
 They kick and squirm and won't keep quiet,  
 And make a most unpleasant diet.



5. The alligator grunts and wishes  
 That he had been content with fishes.  
 They squirm and kick until he's sore  
 And throws them out upon the shore.

6. Safe on land, half scared to death,  
 They're hardly able to draw breath.  
 O joy! The beast has swum away—  
 He's glad they're out and so are they.