

GRANDPA GROUCH AND HIS DEAR LITTLE GRANDSON

The man who always has a grouch, has nearly always got an ouch! But let him kick and let him growl, his pay is every body's scowl. And if he just keeps up his kick, he'll find at length, I will make him sick it will.



WILL YOU PLEASE SEND THAT CACTUS TO BROWN'S HOUSE

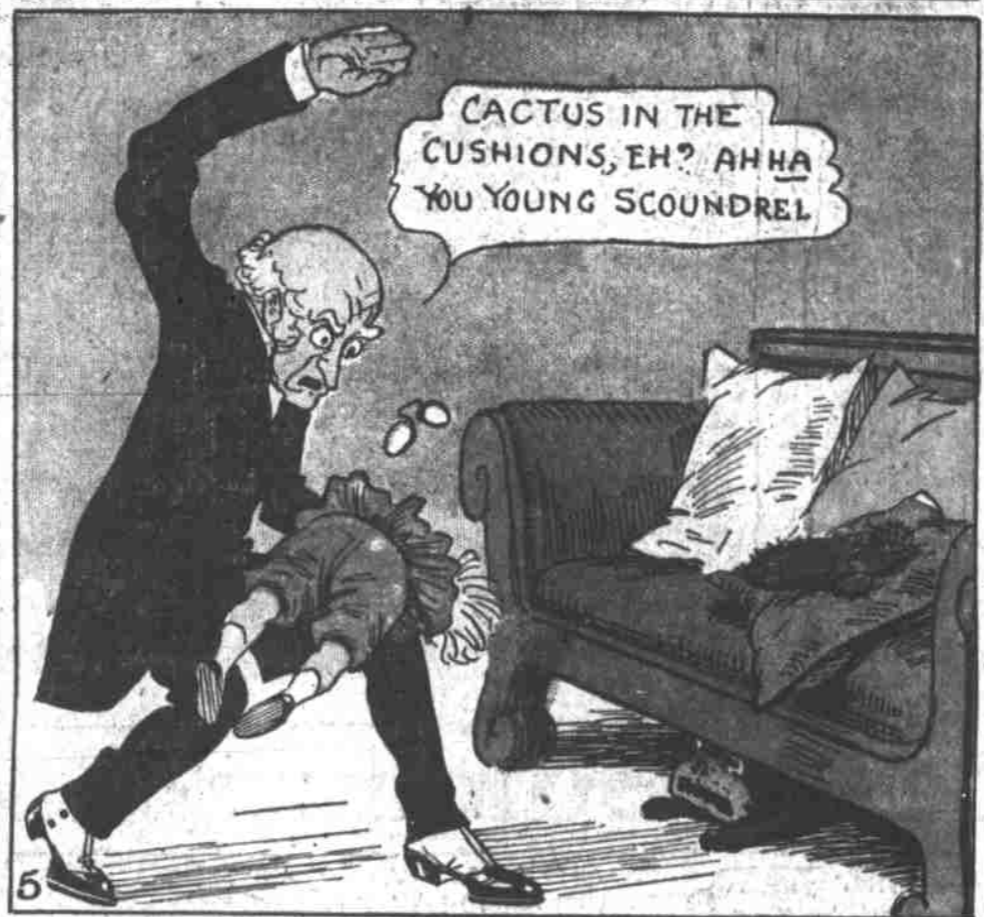


TIGE, COULD YOU TELL THAT THERE IS A CACTUS IN THIS PILLOW?

I COULD IF I SAT ON IT, BUT I CANT SEE IT



MURDER



CACTUS IN THE CUSHIONS, EH? AHHA YOU YOUNG SCOUNDREL



I HURT



OUCH!

LOOK OUT PA



PA, EXCUSE ME I DIDN'T MEANT FOR YOU

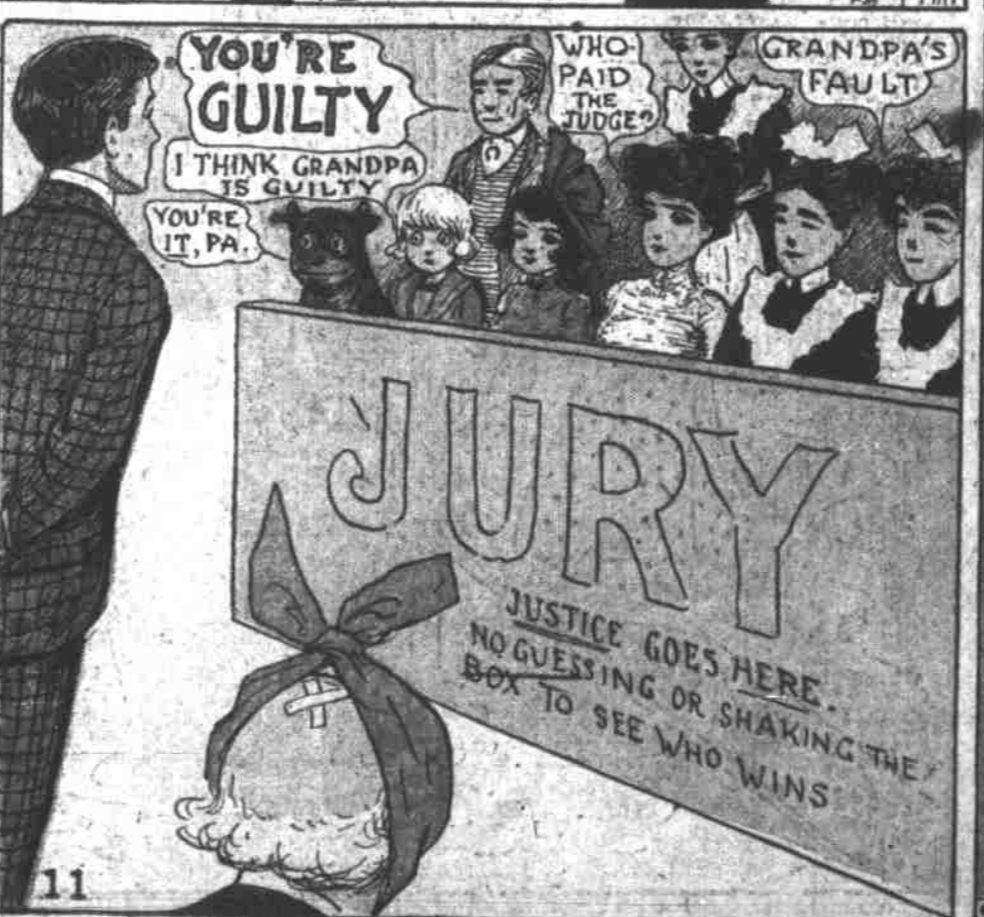


I SHALL NEVER DARKEN YOUR DOORS AGAIN WHILE THAT FIEND IS THERE

OH, FATHER.

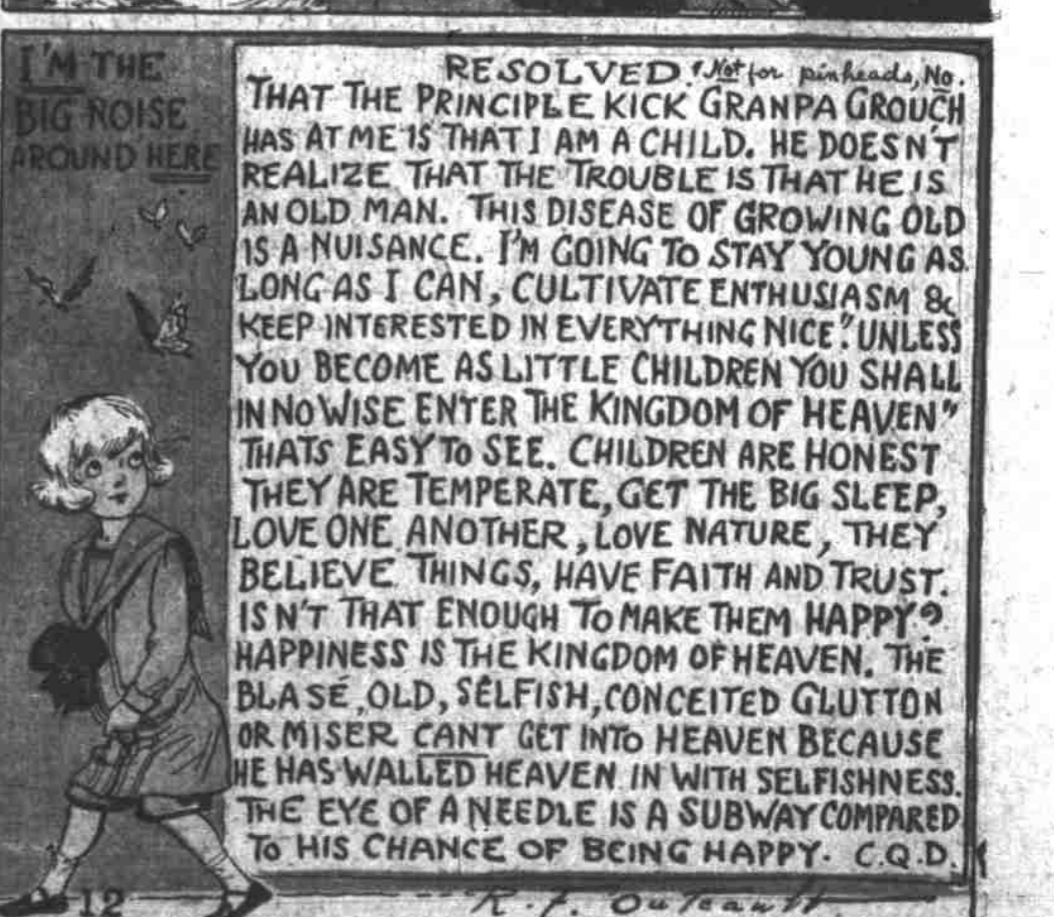


OUCH!



YOU'RE GUILTY I THINK GRANDPA IS GUILTY YOU'RE IT, PA. WHO PAID THE JUDGE? GRANDPA'S FAULT

JURY JUSTICE GOES HERE. NO GUESSING OR SHAKING THE BOX TO SEE WHO WINS



I'M THE BIG NOISE AROUND HERE

RESOLVED! Not for pinheads, No. THAT THE PRINCIPLE KICK GRANPA GROUCH HAS AT ME IS THAT I AM A CHILD. HE DOESN'T REALIZE THAT THE TROUBLE IS THAT HE IS AN OLD MAN. THIS DISEASE OF GROWING OLD IS A NUISANCE. I'M GOING TO STAY YOUNG AS LONG AS I CAN, CULTIVATE ENTHUSIASM & KEEP INTERESTED IN EVERYTHING NICE. UNLESS YOU BECOME AS LITTLE CHILDREN YOU SHALL IN NO WISE ENTER THE KINGDOM OF HEAVEN. THAT'S EASY TO SEE. CHILDREN ARE HONEST, THEY ARE TEMPERATE, GET THE BIG SLEEP, LOVE ONE ANOTHER, LOVE NATURE, THEY BELIEVE THINGS, HAVE FAITH AND TRUST. ISN'T THAT ENOUGH TO MAKE THEM HAPPY? HAPPINESS IS THE KINGDOM OF HEAVEN. THE BLASE, OLD, SELFISH, CONCEITED GLUTTON OR MISER, CANT GET INTO HEAVEN BECAUSE HE HAS WALLED HEAVEN IN WITH SELFISHNESS. THE EYE OF A NEEDLE IS A SUBWAY COMPARED TO HIS CHANCE OF BEING HAPPY. C.Q.D.

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