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WEN, WHERE'S THAT OLD ALARM CLOCK OF OURS?



BILL BROWN AND I ARE GOING FISHING IN THE MORNING. I WANT TO GET UP AT 4.30

YOU'LL FIND THE CLOCK ON THE TOP SHELF OF THE PANTRY CLOSET



IT NEEDS A BIT OF TUNING UP -- SHE SOUNDS AS IF SHE WAS HITTING ON ONLY A COUPLE OF CYLINDERS



WHAT IN THE WORLD ARE YOU UP TO NOW? ... DON'T START TINKERING WITH THAT CLOCK. YOU DON'T KNOW ANYTHING ABOUT THEM

I'VE GOT TO GET IT WORKING RIGHT SO THE ALARM WILL GO OFF AT THE PROPER TIME



NOW YOU'VE DONE IT!! ... THAT'S JUST WHAT I EXPECTED



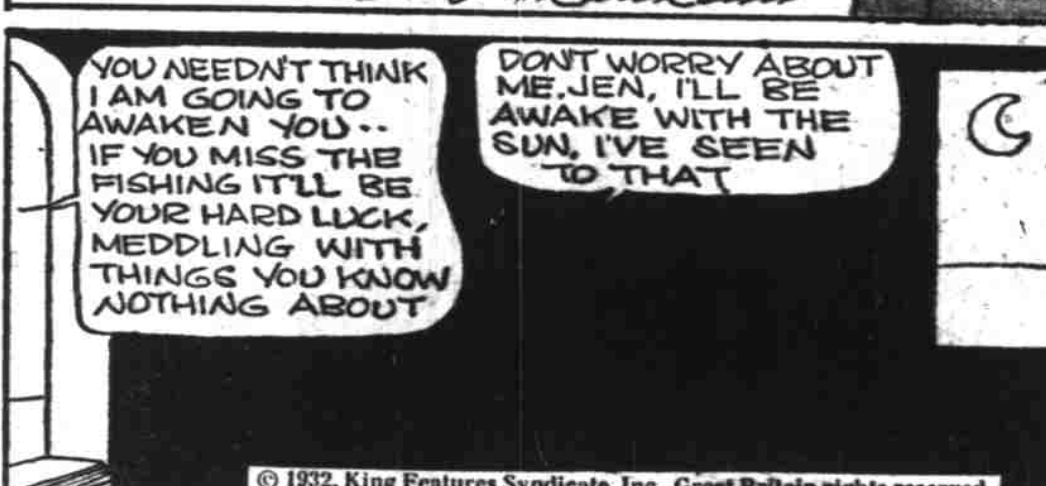
CAN'T YOU GET IT TOGETHER AGAIN?

NOPE! I'VE GOT TO ADMIT I'M BEAT. I'VE ENOUGH SPRINGS AND WHEELS HERE TO BUILD A DOZEN CLOCKS



WELL, I AM GOING TO BED. IF YOU EXPECT TO GET UP AT 4.30 YOU'D BETTER SIT UP ALL NIGHT

... ALL THE CLOCK SHOPS ARE CLOSED FOR THE NIGHT, TOO. ... LET ME THINK ... ??



YOU NEEDN'T THINK I AM GOING TO AWAKE IN THE MORNING. IF YOU MISS THE FISHING IT'LL BE YOUR HARD LUCK, MEDDLING WITH THINGS YOU KNOW NOTHING ABOUT

DON'T WORRY ABOUT ME, JEN. I'LL BE AWAKE WITH THE SUN, I'VE SEEN TO THAT



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GREAT GUNS!!! WELL, THAT BEATS THE DUTCH!

GOOD LAND, WHAT'S ALL THE FUSS ABOUT?



WHO THE SAM HILL HAS GONE THROUGH MY POCKETS?

CLEM TUGGLE, I HOPE YOU ARE NOT INFERRING THAT I WOULD DO SUCH A THING!



I AM NOT INFERRING ANYTHING, BUT I PUT THAT NEW KNIFE I BROUGHT HOME YESTERDAY IN THIS COAT POCKET AND NOW IT'S NOT HERE

WELL, CLEM, I DIDN'T TAKE IT



NO, ELLA, I DON'T SUPPOSE YOU DID, BUT JUST THE SAME THE KNIFE IS GONE!

ARE YOU SURE YOU DIDN'T PUT IT SOMEWHERE ELSE?



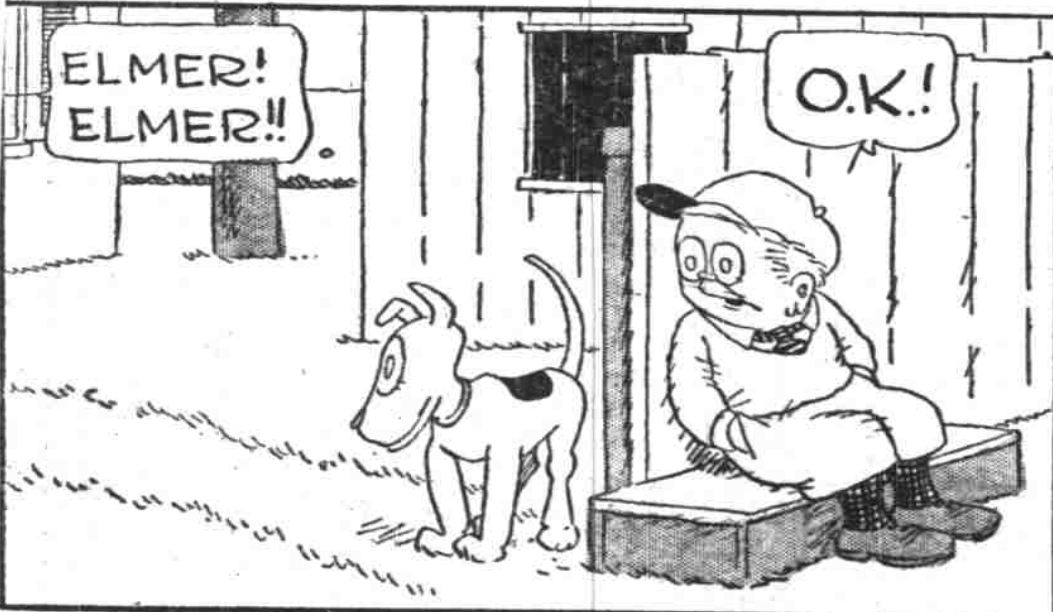
I DIDN'T TAKE IT OUT OF MY POCKET AND THE COAT WAS HANGING ON THE SAME HOOK IN THE CLOSET THAT I PUT IT ON LAST NIGHT

WELL, IT WILL SHOW UP, THEN



ELMER HAS BEEN WANTING A NEW KNIFE, MAYBE HE HAS TAKEN IT

BY GEORGE, THAT'S RIGHT



ELMER! ELMER!!

OK!!



DIDJA WANT ME, PA?

ELMER, DID YOU BY ANY CHANCE TAKE MY NEW KNIFE OUT OF MY COAT POCKET?



NO, SIR

ARE YOU SURE NOW YOU DIDN'T? ... THINK!!!



NO, SIR, I DIDN'T EVEN SEE IT

YOU ARE CERTAIN OF THAT? ... YOU KNOW YOU WANTED A KNIFE LIKE THE ONE THAT IS LOST



YES, SIR, I WOULD LIKE TO HAVE HAD IT, BUT I DIDN'T TAKE IT!

WELL, IT'S MIGHTY FUNNY WHAT BECAME OF IT, I AM POSITIVE I PUT IT IN THE POCKET OF THIS COAT AND IT'S NOT THERE NOW



MEBBIE YOU DON'T KNOW IT PA, BUT THERE'S A HOLE IN THAT POCKET

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