Right Around HOME

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I GUESS MOTHERS-IN-LAW DON'T COUNT!

OH, FREDDIE! YOU DID REMEMBER!

SURE!

HIYA, MOM!

WELL, ARNOLD, SHE'S OUR CAT, SO I SUPPOSE THOSE ARE OUR KITTENS!

AND I'VE GOT EVERYONE SORE AT ME NOW FOR PASSING OUT KITTENS TO THE CHILDREN!

HOW COULD HE FORGET? SHE'S BEEN HINTING ABOUT IT FOR A WEEK!

WELL, I GAVE EDDIE PLENTY OF HINTS AND HE FORGOT!

I HOPE THAT'S HIS SIGNATURE I'M GETTING!

I'M GOING OUT TO PAY MY RESPECTS TO OLD MOTHER NATURE!

NO, ALICE! ONE EGG DOES NOT QUALIFY YOU AS A MOTHER!

JUST AN EXHIBITIONIST! THAT GUY SENDS HER FLOWERS TODAY AND BORROWS HER SHOE COUPON TOMORROW!

GEE WHITH, MYRTLE! I DON'T SEE WHY YOU WANT TO DRAG ME ALONG! SANTA CLAUS DIDN'T BRING 'EM TO ME!

YOU CAN BE SURE THAT HE WILL REMIND HER WHEN FATHER'S DAY COMES ALONG!

WHEN IT COMES TO THESE FAMILY OCCASIONS US OLD BACHELORS DON'T COUNT FOR MUCH!

THOSE WILD FLOWERS ARE VERY PRETTY, SLUG, BUT I STILL THINK YOUR MOTHER WOULD RATHER HAVE AN ORCHID!

IT'S FROM NUTTSY, AND HE SAYS TO GIVE HIS MOM A BIG SOUTH PACIFIC KISS AND TELL HER THAT HER BIG BOY IS JUST SWELL!

AND HE SAYS FOR ME TO KEEP AN EYE ON BOTH OF YOU!

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Tillie the Toiler

MISS JONES, WILL YOU TAKE THIS PARCEL OVER TO LIEUTENANT OLDER'S QUARTERS?

YES MA'AM

I'LL BET THIS IS A CAKE. IT'S ABOUT A CAKE'S SIZE AND WEIGHT

A PARCEL FOR YOU, MA'AM

OH, IT'S A CAKE FROM MOTHER COME IN

MMM. JUST LOOK AT THAT

IT LOOKS PERFECTLY LUSCIOUS

JUST WAIT TILL I GET A KNIFE AND I'LL GIVE YOU SOME. MY MOTHER'S CAKES ARE SOMETHING!

WHY, HERE'S AN ARTICLE CAUTIONING WAC OFFICERS AND ENLISTED PERSONNEL NOT TO FRATERNIZE.

WHAT DOES IT SAY?

ONE THING IT SAYS IS THAT THEY SHOULD NOT SHARE REFRESHMENTS.

MERCY!

I'M SORRY, BUT I GUESS I'LL HAVE TO LET YOU GO WITHOUT ANY OF THIS CAKE

I'M SORRY, TOO

OH!

GOSH!

OOOH

WHAM

GOOD GRIEF!

HEAVENS

WELL, I'M AFRAID I SHARED REFRESHMENTS WITH AN ENLISTED WAC! YOU GOT HALF THAT CAKE ON YOU AND I GOT THE OTHER HALF!

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