

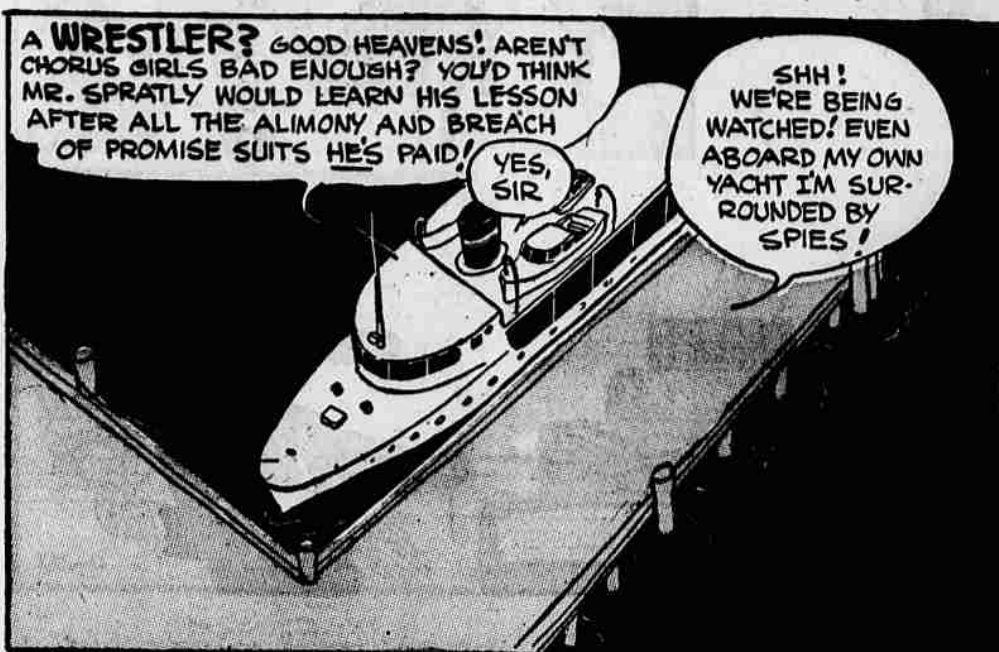
# CAPTAIN EASY BY ROY CRANE

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WHO'S THE OLD FOOL GOT ABOARD THIS TIME, SMITHERS?

SOME FEMALE WHO USED TO BE A WRESTLER, SIR



A WRESTLER? GOOD HEAVENS! AREN'T CHORUS GIRLS BAD ENOUGH? YOU'D THINK MR. SPRATLY WOULD LEARN HIS LESSON AFTER ALL THE ALIMONY AND BREACH OF PROMISE SUITS HE'S PAID!

YES, SIR

SHH! WE'RE BEING WATCHED! EVEN ABOARD MY OWN YACHT I'M SURROUNDED BY SPIES!

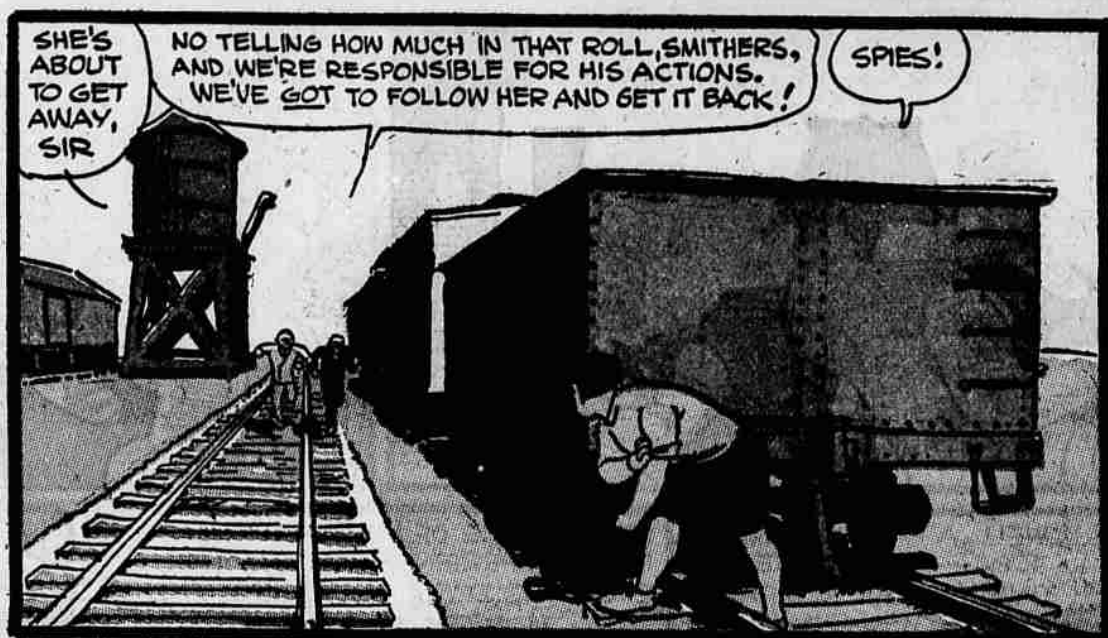
FOR DAYS I'VE BEEN TRYING TO BUY A SWAMP FOR MY FROGS. THERE'S NO ONE I CAN DEPEND UPON TO DO IT FOR ME BUT YOU, LULU BELLE. HERE, TAKE THIS MONEY. BUY A SWAMP



BUT, MISTER SPRATLY!

DO AS I SAY! HURRY!

GREAT SCOTT! HE'S GIVING HER MONEY!



SHE'S ABOUT TO GET AWAY, SIR

NO TELLING HOW MUCH IN THAT ROLL, SMITHERS, AND WE'RE RESPONSIBLE FOR HIS ACTIONS. WE'VE GOT TO FOLLOW HER AND GET IT BACK!

SPIES!

★ LICKETY WHAM! ★ KA' LUMBO! ★



MERCY! WHAT HAPPENED, SMITHERS?

JUDGING BY THE TRACKS, SIR, I'D SAY TH' LIMITED WENT BY



GEE! I JUST MET TH' NICEST MAN, EASY

RUMPH! YOU THOUGHT BULL DAWSON WAS NICE, TOO— AND WHAT A RASCAL HE WAS!



BUT MR. SPRATLY'S DIFFER'NT. HE'S RICH. HE'S DISCOVERED A WAY TO MAKE AUTO TIRES FROM STUFF WHICH OOZES OUTER FROGS

BAH! THE FELLA'S CRAZY!



NO HE AIN'T, EASY. HE'S A GENIUS!

GENIUS, MY NECK! YOU COULD NO MORE MAKE TIRES FROM A FROG, LULU BELLE, THAN YOU COULD BORROW A THOUSAND DOLLARS FROM A TOTAL STRANGER



WELL, JUST TO PROVE THAT ANYTHING CAN HAPPEN, LOOKA HERE— IT AIN'T ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS— IT'S \$16,000, AND HE DIDN'T LOAN IT TO ME— HE GAVE IT TO ME!



QUICK! FETCH A PAIL OF WATER, SONNY-- SUMPIN'S HAPPENED TO ME FRIEND!

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