GASOLINE ALLEY
By King
HOME FROM SCHOOL, JUDY?
YES, POPPY, AN' HERE'S MY REPORT CARD.
IT ISN'T SO BAD. I'LL GET YOUR GLASSES SO YOU WON'T HAVE TO HOLD IT SO FAR AWAY.
I GOT A NICE LOT OF VITAMINS THIS TIME.
HOW DO YOU MAKE THAT OUT?
SEE THERE— B, C, TWO D'S AN' AN F.
SO YOU HAVE. BUT IT APPEARS TO ME THAT YOU ARE DEFICIENT IN VITAMIN A.
WHAT DOES THAT MEAN?
THAT MEANS THAT YOU NEED MORE A'S TO BALANCE YOUR REPORT CARD.
THEY'RE LIKE COFFEE, POPPY. THEY'RE HARD TO GET NOWDAYS
DO VITAMINS COME IN ICE CREAM SODAS?
YES, BUT DON'T CHANGE THE SUBJECT. VITAMINS COME IN VEGETABLES, MILK AND ORANGE JUICE.
THEY COME IN MOST FOODS, IN PILLS AND IN CAPSULES. NOW RUN ALONG.
AN' IN BOTTLES, TOO?
YES, IN BOTTLES. THIS IS A HAIR TONIC I'VE BEEN USING. IT CONTAINS VITAMINS AND WILL GROW LUXURIANT HAIR, IT SAYS HERE.
YOU'D BETTER LET ME PUT IT ON FOR YOU, POPPY. THERE'S A SPOT YOU'VE BEEN MISSIN'!