

On Murder's Skirts

By TERRY ADLER

"But then why didn't they—the one who did it—why didn't he die the way Dr. Hubbard did?" "I imagine he must have held his breath while he poured the stuff on and then got out immediately, closing the door. There would have been enough of the gas generated so that anyone breathing it for, say, ten minutes would get a fatal dose."

"So Dr. Hubbard really was murdered?"

"The answer is yes. As it turns out, Bray wasn't talking through his hat. And that's why he paid for it with his life."

(Chapter 23)

"What do we do now?" Ellen queried.

"Now we find out who else has borrowed the key from the janitor recently."

"Well," she said, "you know I really think we're getting somewhere."

"What's the name of the janitor?"

"His name is Al Vail and he doesn't have a phone. But I have his address on file in my office."

"Good. Let's get it and get out of here."

As they turned to go he flashed the light around the room for a last look. On the seat of the late professor's chair near the desk lay a small dark object. Ruff went over and picked it up. He heard Ellen gasp and whirled around.

could see a slight tremor in them. "I see you're using the Luer-lock type of syringe, Doctor," said Ruff casually. "Mind if I take a look at it?"

"But I am surprised. I thought everyone uses them. Even in my country we have them." He sur-rendered the syringe without a protest.

Ruff squirted some of the fluid onto his finger. Ellen watched him with growing horror. He tasted it. It was plain common salt. Verek looked as if he thought Ruff was mad.

Verek turned to go and bowed to Ellen.

"Good night. It is good to see people happy. See, I almost forgot about the tragedy this morning. A pity—a real pity." He shook his head mournfully.

Ruff was struck with a sudden thought. "Tell me, Doctor, were you working on the guinea pigs last night?"

"Last night? But of course. Every night I have worked on the experiment."

"Tell me, Dr. Verek, did you by any chance come up to make an injection at midnight last night?"

"Exactly midnight? No. Last night I made injections at nine-fifteen and then again at twelve-fifteen, and at three-fifteen and five-fifteen. Ruff counted these off on his fingers as he talked.

"Was Dr. Bray here at twelve-fifteen when you came up?"

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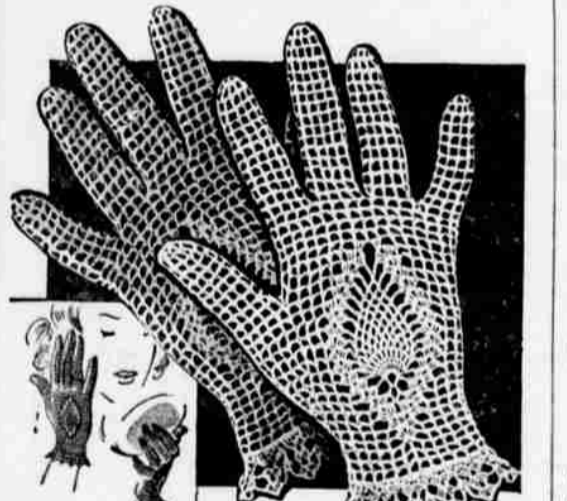


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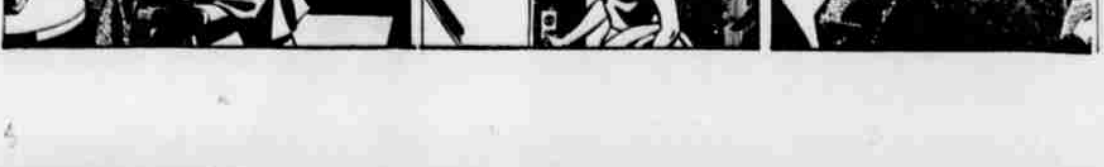
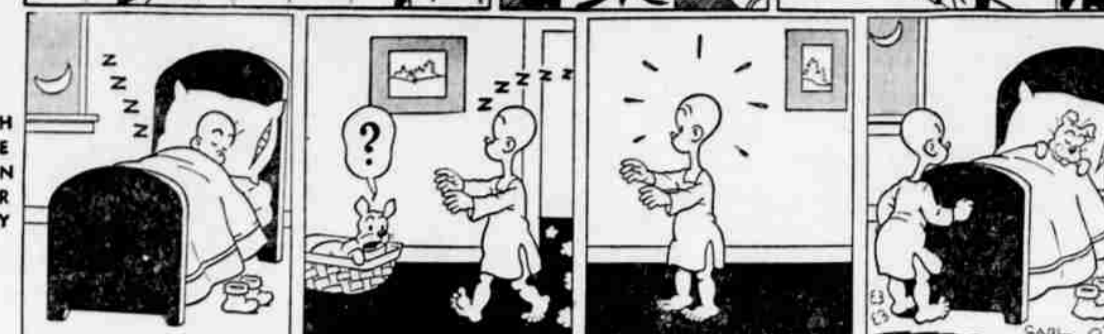
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Graders Sponsor Program

Amity — The eighth grade class, Amity grade school, will sponsor a variety program and pie social Wednesday evening at the grade school gym at 8 o'clock.

Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS

21. High pointed
4. French opera
- Soft murmur
- Swiss river
- Cornered
- Possessed
- Smoother
- Tolerant
- Beverage
- Bombshell
- Penicillin
- Comparative
- Ending
- Musical of 1939
- Climbing vine
- Winged
- Egyptian god
- Outboard
- Artificial language
- Vain
- Smooth

DOWN

1. Clarn
- Auricle
29. Cooperative groups
- Dutch geographer
- Newspaper
- Essential
- Of a Modigliani
- Season
- Belonging
22. Mature
- H. H. Stowe
- Affirmative
- The cream
- Impure

RAM CARPS GAP

SOLUTION OF SATURDAY'S PUZZLE

1. Vehicle on runners

2. Stingy voice

3. Line from shell or coral

4. Rowing implement

5. Island off South Julund

6. Forboding

7. Act of reaching a destination

8. Escape by trickery

9. Ireland

10. People-minded

11. Heavy breathing in sleep

12. Pronoun

13. Insect plant

14. Slender

15. Type measure

16. seaweeds

17. Tried the favor

18. Picked look

19. Brown boy

20. Source of indigo

21. Shy

22. Regret

23. Reign

24. Biblical king

25. Knobs

26. Jumbled type

ROOM AND BOARD

By Gene Ahern

I SAY ROBIN-- COULD YOU PERSUADE CHATMORE TO SEEK OTHER EMPLOYMENT THAN AS A CIRCUS CLOWN? IT'S A CAREER, HIS NOT SUITED FOR... AND BESIDES, THERE'S OUR DISTINGUISHED FAMILY NAME, WHICH HAS ALWAYS BEEN LINKED WITH THE ARTS AND SCIENCES!

YOU FORGET, ABOUT OUR SHADY SIDE OR THIN FAMILY TREE?... THERE WERE SEVERAL PUFFLES WHO IF THEY WERE AROUND NOW, WOULD BE WEARING WRIST WATCHES SO TO FEEL MORE NATURAL!

THE JUDGE IS A HIGH-NOSE PUFFLE