

Little Orphan Annie

WHY NOT PUT A CHRISTMAS SEAL ON YOUR LETTER? IT'S A MIGHTY SMALL WAY TO DO A MIGHTY BIG JOB.....



I HEARD YUH BRAGGIN' TO YOUR PAL 'BOUT SEEBIN' 'CAPTAIN' KROK SAW THAT CAT WALK--THEN YUH SAID YUH SAW ROCKY START OUT ON IT BUT GO BACK!

YOU'RE CRAZY! I NEVER SEEN NOTHIN'-- I NEVER SAID NOTHIN'-- I WAS A HUNNERT MILES AWAY DAT NIGHT--



THEN I HEARD YOU SAY YOU SAW KROK COME BACK TO SEE WHY ROCKY HADN'T FALLEN IN-- AND YOU SAW KROK FALL IN!

NA-NA! YER OUT O' YER HEAD-- I WAS IN ALBANY DAT NIGHT! I GOT WITNESSES!



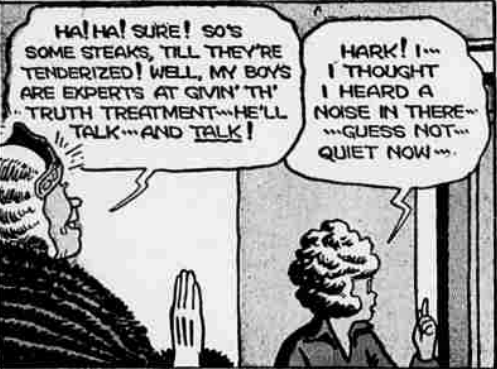
YOU HAVE MORE THAN WITNESSES NOW, CHUM--YOU'VE GOT US--AND NO WITNESSES!

RUN ALONG NOW, ANNIE! THIS MAY TAKE A FEW MINUTES!



HOW TH' BOYS MAKIN' OUT? HAS OUR WITNESS STARTED TO SING YET?

NO! AND I'M AFRAID HE WON'T! HE'S AWFUL TOUGH!



HA! HA! SURE! SO'S SOME STEAKS, TILL THEY'RE TENDERIZED! WELL, MY BOYS ARE EXPERTS AT GIVIN' TH' TRUTH TREATMENT--HE'LL TALK--AND TALK!

HARK! I-- I THOUGHT I HEARD A NOISE IN THERE-- GUESS NOT-- QUIET NOW--



AH-- HAS EVERYTHING BEEN EXPLAINED TO YOU, MY FRIEND!

YEAH-YEAH-YEAH! IT SURE HAS, LADY! I WANTA SPILL ALL I KNOW TO TH' DISTRICT ATTORNEY!



GOOD! AND OF COURSE YOU REALIZE YOUR STATEMENT WILL BE ABSOLUTELY VOLUNTARY!

YI! YOU SAID IT, LADY! ANYT'ING TO GIT AWAY FROM DESE GUYS--COPS WILL SEEM LIKE SWEET NOISE--MAIDS AFTER WHAT I BEEN T'ROUGH!



AS TO YOUR NO DOUBT CRIMINAL RECORD--(THE FACT YOU WERE PLANNING TO ROB THE BARGE)--HO-HO! BOYS WILL BE BOYS! THE D. A. WILL BE VERY FAIR--IF YOU TELL TH' TRUTH!

I'LL TELL TH' TRUTH, LADY! I'LL BLOW ME TOP TO DAT GUY! JUST DON'T LET DESE BIRDS GIT ME AGAIN!



BUT, ANNIE! YOU SAY THIS MAN REFUSED TO TELL WHAT HE SAW? HOW CAN ANYONE BE MADE TO TELL, IF HE DOESN'T WANT TO?

GEE! I GUESS YOU'D MAYBE BE S'PRISED!

SO THEY'VE TAKEN HIM TO THE D. A., EH?



COURSE THAT WAS ONLY AN HOUR OR SO AGO--AND IT'LL DEPEND ON TH' D. A. BELIEVIN' THIS THUG'S STORY--

HM-M-M--APPEARS AS HOW YOUR WITNESS HAD THE RING OF TRUTH IN HIS VOICE--



ROCKY! OH, ROCKY! YOU--YOU'RE FREE!

YES--I'M FREE! LENA--OH, MY LENA!



HOW ARE YOU, SONNY BOY?

I'M FINE, THANKS--



NOW YOU SHOULD ASK ME HOW I AM--



BUT I DON'T CARE TO KNOW--

You'll Be Surprised --

When you look around the house and find the many things you have no use for that someone else will pay money to get. Those old suits, a scooter bike, a pair of ice skates, the old trunk, that old chair of Aunt Martha's or that old picture frame surrounding the long forgotten features of Uncle Zeb--oh, there's hundreds of things that could be turned into cash just by inserting a small Capital Journal classified ad.

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