

**Rosie's BEAU**  
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I WANT YOU TO LOOK THESE BILLS OVER. THEN GO OUT AND COLLECT THEM. SEE?

YES, DADDY.

DAUGHTER. GO TO THESE ADDRESSES AND SEE IF YOU CAN COLLECT THESE BILLS.

WELL. THAT SCHEME WILL KEEP ROSIE AND ARCHIE AWAY FROM EACH OTHER.

OH. DEAR. I'M SO WORN OUT. I HATE TO GO OUT. YET DADDY WANTS ME TO COLLECT THESE BILLS.

I'LL DO IT. MISS ROSIE. I'M GLAD TO GET OUT.

MR. SMITH IS GOING TO COLLECT THESE BILLS FOR ME.

WELL AS LONG AS HE DON'T KNOW IT. HE MIGHT AS WELL TAKE THESE.

HE TOOK THEM AND DIDN'T KNOW.

YES. I HOPE HE DOESN'T FIND OUT I DECEIVED HIM.

GOOD-BYE.

## Bringing Up Father

DEAR. I WANT YOU TO GO RIGHT OUT AND BUY THIS BOOK CALLED "WHY WE ACT LIKE HUMAN BEINGS". READ IT AND BRING IT HOME.

MAGGIE. DO YOU STAY AWAKE NIGHTS THINKIN' UP THINGS FER ME TO DO?

YES. THIS IS THE BOOK. EVERY ONE IS CRAZY TO READ IT.

WELL. I'M NOT CRAZY AN' I DON'T WANT TO READ IT. BUT I HAVE TO.

HUH! HE MAY ACT LIKE A HUMAN BEING. BUT HE DON'T LOOK IT.

BY GOLLY. I THINK THERE ARE EXCEPTIONS TO THIS RULE.

NOW I KNOW IT.

AN' IT'S GITTIN' WORSE. I'D BETTER GO IN A RESTAURANT AN' READ.

BY GOLLY. I CAN'T READ WITH THAT JAZZ SOUP PLAYER.

WELL. IF ANY ONE IN THAT GANG IS ACTIN' HUMAN. I'M AGIN IT.

IF THEY'RE HUMAN I DON'T WANT TO BE.

THAT NEVER WAS HUMAN AN' NEVER WILL BE.

FORE!

BE YOUR AGE. YOU MAY HAVE THE BRAIN OF A FOUR-YEAR-OLD CHILD. BUT YOU DON'T LOOK IT.

I'VE SEEN ENOUGH WITHOUT READIN'.

