

**LITTLE NEMO IN Lumberland** BY WINSOR MCCAY

1 DIGNITY IN A CHILD IS ADORABLE!

KING NEPTUNE'S DAUGHTER, AQUA, WANTS US TO VISIT HER AT HER CASTLE YONDER, AND WE MUST WALK OUT TO HER ON THE WATER.

YOU COULD NOT WALK FAR IF YOU DIDN'T HAVE THESE WATER SHOES ON, I'M TELLING YOU!

2 YES, PROFESSOR, DIGNITY IS A PRECIOUS VIRTUE IN A CHILD, VERY PRECIOUS!

WE MUSTN'T MAKE ANY WAVES, HE SAYS!

DON'T SLIP, WALK EASY! IF YOU MAKE WAVES, YOU WON'T GET FAR!!!

3 CAUTION THOSE CHILDREN NOT TO CAUSE ANY DISTURBANCE ON THIS WATER.

YES, BE CAREFUL! DON'T SLIP - THE LEAST RIPPLE WILL UPSET YOU AND WE ALL MIGHT DROWN!

OH! THERE THEY ARE! OUT ON THAT ICE, OR IS IT GLASS?

4 I LOOK OUT FOR HER MAJESTY'S EDUCATION, YOU WATCH HER HEALTH. WE HAVE TRAINED HER TO BE A PERFECT CHILD!!!

I WISH WE COULD HAVE FOUND FLIP AND HIS GANG THEY WOULD WANT TO MEET NEMO!

HEY, WAIT, WE'RE COMIN' WAIT FOR US!

5 A CHILD CAN BE AS DIGNIFIED AS AN ADULT.

IF THEY ARE CAREFULLY TRAINED THEY SHOULD BE MORE SO!!

SAY, NEMO, DO YOU KNOW IF WE CAUSE ONE TINY RIPPLE ON THIS WATER, WE'RE LOST!!!

GOSH! I THOUGHT THIS WAS A GLASS FLOOR!

6 I SET AN EXAMPLE BY ALWAYS BEING DIGNIFIED IN HER PRESENCE.

NOW, THAT'S ODD I DO THAT VERY SAME THING... I SARRY MYSELF IN A DIGNIFIED MANNER ALWAYS!!!

SAY, EH, PRINCESS, I HEARD A SPLASH. I SURE DID!

AW, YOU'RE NERVOUS. I DON'T BLAME YOU FOR I'M NERVOUS MYSELF, NEMO!

7 SOMEONE HAS CAUSED A WAVE HOW CARELESS! TSI! TSI! TSI! TSI! TSI!

OH! DEAR! WHAT HAS HAPPENED??

THEY MUST HAVE WATER SHOES ON!!!!

KO WHIM.

8 HAVE NO FEAR, GOOD FRIENDS BE CALM!!!!

OH, DOCTOR! - CAN'T YOU REMOVE THOSE WATER SHOES SO'S YOU CAN SWIM?

DOCTOR, ARE YOU HAVING DIFFICULTY GETTING, EH YOUR FOOTING AS IT WERE?

YES, THESE WILL NOT PERMIT ME TO GET INTO A SWIMMING ATTITUDE.

9 I HAVE COMMANDED THE LAGOON DRAINED AT ONCE. ALL WILL BE WELL.

THEY'RE HANGING HEAD DOWN BY THOSE SHOES.

10 I'M SO GLAD TO HAVE YOU WITH ME HERE EVEN IF YOU DID HAVE SOME LITTLE TROUBLE GETTING HERE COME TO THE CASTLE AND SEE MY BEAUTIFUL HOME

WE NEARLY GOT DROWNED WALKING ACROSS, BUT, WE'RE HERE!

SAY, YOUR MAJESTY, I WANT TO APOLOGIZE I AM TO BLAME FOR THIS AND I AM VERY VERY SORRY... I AM!!

I'M SURE I NEVER FELT SO MORTIFIED IN ALL MY LIFE I WAS HANGING HEAD DOWN

I CAN SAY I'M NOT PROUD OF THE MANNER IN WHICH I AM PRESENTING MYSELF TO AQUA!

11 I'M SORRY I LET NEMO EAT SO MUCH CAKE LAST NIGHT... HE'S RESTLESS AGAIN! UM!

