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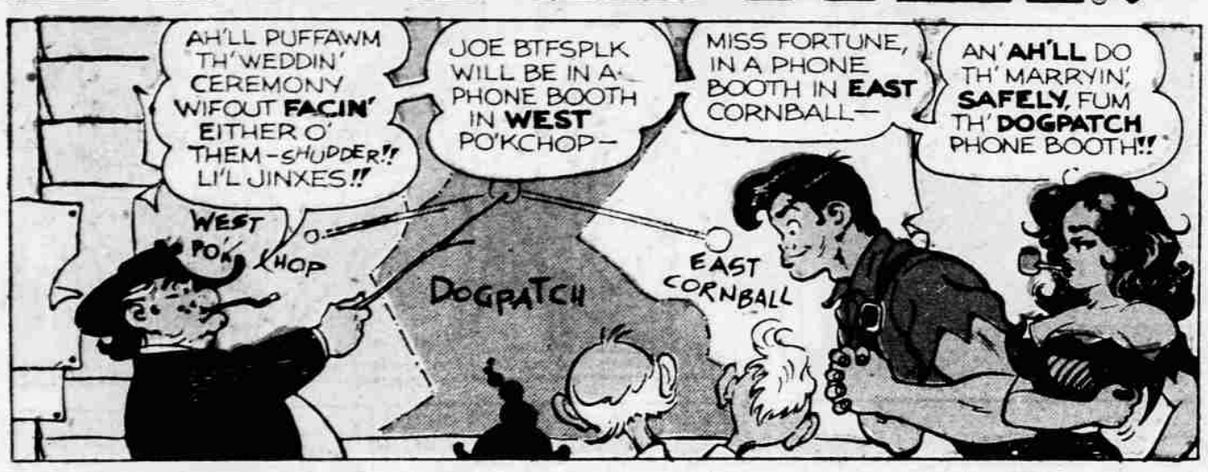
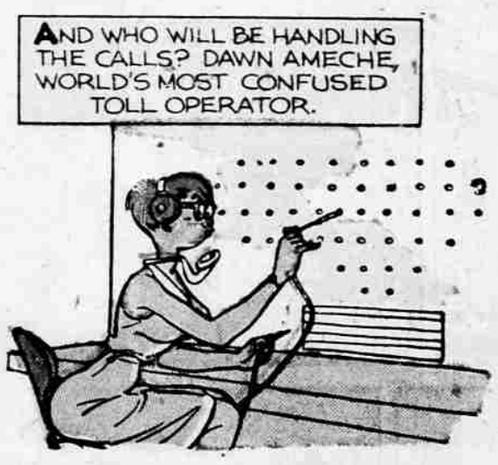


# Prince Valiant

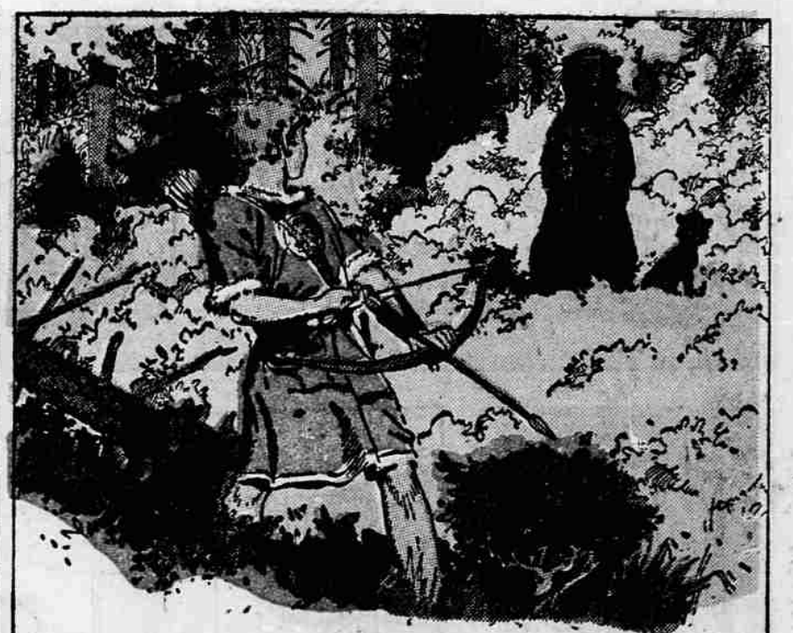
IN THE DAYS OF KING ARTHUR

BY HAROLD R. FOSTER

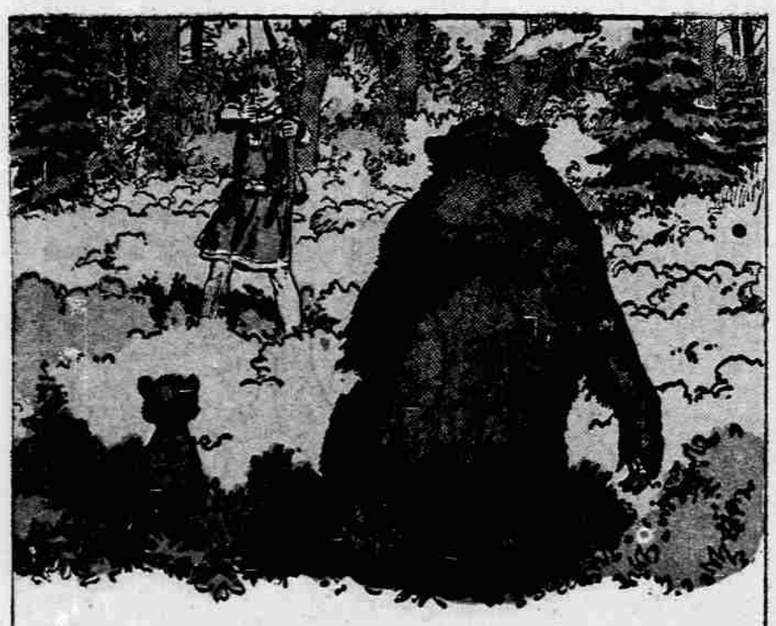
**Our Story:** TO SAVE SIR GAWAIN FROM GRIEVING TO DEATH, GARM THE HUNTER MAKES THE LONG JOURNEY TO THE INNER LANDS TO TAKE HIM TO HIS MASTER.

*"YOU ARE THE MOST STUPID, USELESS DOG IN ALL THE WORLD, BUT IF YOU CAN MAKE MASTER ARN ANY HAPPIER, THIS TRIP IS WORTH WHILE!"*

WHEN HIS DAY'S DUTIES ARE OVER, PRINCE ARN WANDERS AFIELD, LONELY AND HOMESICK IN THIS ALIEN LAND.



HE TRESPASSES ON A BERRY PATCH OCCUPIED BY A BEAR. USUALLY A BEAR WILL LUMBER OFF, BUT THIS ONE IS PROTECTING ITS CUB. IN THE DISTANCE ARN HEARS A HOUND GIVE VOICE.



ARN'S LIGHT BOW COULD NOT STOP ITS CHARGE, BUT AS THE BAYING OF THE HOUND GROWS LOUDER THE BEAR HESITATES...

...AND OUT OF THE WOODS GALLOPS SIR GAWAIN, QUIVERING WITH FEAR BUT WILLING TO FACE ANY DANGER THAT THREATENS HIS BELOVED MASTER. THEN GARM RUNS UP, SHOUTING, AND THE BEAR RETREATS.

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ONLY A FLEA-RIDDEN MONGREL, BUT HE HAS THE POWER TO BANISH A BOY'S LONELINESS WITH HIS UNSTINTING LOVE.

NEXT WEEK—
**The Council of Kings.**