

# LI'L ABNER *The Young Liars* — by AL CAPP

YO' IS A BACHELOR LAWYER, CLARENCE SPARROW — BUT AH IS A — 598!! — HAPPILY MARRIED MAN!!

YO' KIN GIT AWAY WIF STUFF LIKE THIS — BUT NOT ME!!

ONE WILD FLING WONT KILL YO'!!

NO-BUT PANSY MIGHT!!

KIDDOS — THIS IS MAH BUDDY, LUCIFER ORNAMENTAL YOKUM!!

HE'S CUTE!!

YO' TAKE SOPHIA, AN' AH'LL TAKE GINA!! — WE'LL PAINT TH' TOWN RED!!

(—AH WONT INJOY MAHSELF — THEY'D BE DISLOYAL!! AH'LL JEST GO LONG FO' THE RIDE!!—)

SORRY, LADIES!! CAIN'T STAY — PORE LI'L PAPPY WILL BE LQNESOME!!

OH, WHUT A DULL DAY!! NOTHIN' HAPPENED TO ME!!

YORE DAY HAIN'T OVER, YET!!

BEFO' YO' KILLS ME, PANSY — DO ME TH' G-COMMON COURTESY O' TELLIN' ME WHY?

—BECUZ AH SEEN YO', AN' THET BACHELOR LAWYER, CLARENCE SPARROW—

—PAINTIN' TH' TOWN RED, WIF TWO GALS!!

BUT — ?? — CHOKE!! — UH!! — ER — THET WARN'T ME!! — THET WERE SOME HAN'SOME BACHELOR WHICH LOOKS LIKE ME!!

D-DON'T YO' BELIEVE ME?

O' COURSE AH DO!! — NOW, YO' INVITE THET PORE BACHELOR OVER FO' A FAMBLY DINNER — WITHIN TH' HOUR — OR TH' SLAUGHTER BEGINS AGIN!!

## Prince Valiant

IN THE DAYS OF KING ARTHUR

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Our Story: SUSSEX AND KENT HAVE BEEN SECURED AGAINST THE DANES AND SAXONS, AND PRINCE VALIANT MARCHES HIS KNIGHTS TOWARD CAMELOT, PEACE AND ALETA.

BUGLES SOUND AS FROM THE WATCH-TOWER SENTRIES SEE THE GLEAM OF HELMETS AND LANCE POINTS, AND ALL CAMELOT RUSHES TO THE BATTLEMENTS TO WELCOME THE RETURNING HEROES.

WITH GLAD CRIES WIVES, MOTHERS AND SWEETHEARTS RUN TO GREET THEIR LOVED ONES.

OTHERS MUST WAIT, FEARFULLY FOR THE WAGONS THAT FOLLOW MORE SLOWLY WITH THE WOUNDED.

AND THERE ARE STILL OTHERS WHO WAIT AND WAIT; THEN, LIKE THE GALLANT LADIES THEY ARE, WALK SILENTLY TO THEIR APARTMENTS THAT THEIR SORROW MAY NOT DIM THE JOY OF OTHERS.

VAL AND ALETA FIND NO WORDS TO SAY TO EACH OTHER IN THAT BREATHLESS MOMENT. THEY STAND VERY CLOSE AND HIS TREMBLING HANDS HOLD HER SWEET FACE UPTURNED TO HIS.

THEN VAL GOES BEFORE KING ARTHUR AND GIVES HIS REPORT. HE READS A LIST OF THOSE WHO EXCELLED IN BATTLE. THERE IS ANOTHER LIST BORDERED IN BLACK.

THE KING SIGHS HEAVILY. "THESE WERE AS BROTHERS AND SONS TO ME. THEY GAVE THEIR LAST MEASURE OF DEVOTION TO MY ORDERS. OH, VAL, IT IS NOT GOOD TO BE A KING!"

NEXT WEEK - The Lady Olivia.