

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

The "HARDSHIPS" of RATIONING!

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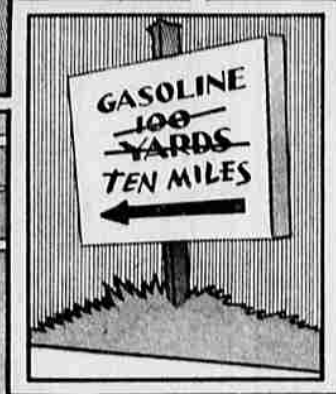
THERE'S WHERE I HAD MY OLD AUTO TIRE SWING! WE TURNED THE TIRE IN FOR SCRAP AND CUT DOWN THE TREE FOR FUEL.



NOTHING TO EAT BUT GRASS! HAVEN'T HAD A GOOD OLD TIN CAN IN MONTHS..



GEE, IT'S LONESOME! NO ONE EVER THROWS SHOES OR ALARM CLOCKS AT US ANY MORE.



FIVE YEARS AGO I SLIPPED ON A BANANA PEEL AND BROKE MY ARM! WISH I HAD THAT BANANA NOW.



IMAGINE! THEY EVEN TOOK BACK THE COAT I WORE ALL LAST SUMMER.



OH, YEAH?



WHAT FUN IS IT CHASING A CAR THAT CREEPS ALONG LIKE A SNAIL.

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

by *Glosson*



WHICH ONE OF YOU OWNS THAT BROWN MEATGRINDER OUTSIDE?

I DO! WHY?



A COP IS PUTTING A TICKET ON IT! IT'S PARKED TOO CLOSE TO A FIRE-PLUG!

GOSH! THAT'LL COST ME THREE BUCKS!



MAYBE YOU CAN TALK HIM OUT OF THE TICKET, FRECK!

LET ME DO IT, FRECK!



WHY SHOULD YOU DO IT?

YOU'RE TOO SERIOUS-MINDED, AND I CAN APPEAL TO THE COP'S SENSE OF HUMOR.



IT'S NOT MY CAR, OFFICER, BUT I BET YOU HAVE A GOOD SENSE OF HUMOR!

SO WHAT?



I TOLD MY PAL I COULD TALK YOU OUT OF GIVING HIM A TICKET..... AND I EVEN MADE A BET THAT I COULD!



YOU DID?

YEP! AND IF I LOST, I SAID I'D PUSH A PEANUT DOWN ELM STREET WITH MY NOSE!



THAT WOULD BE PRETTY EMBARRASSING, WOULDN'T IT?

IT SURE WOULD!



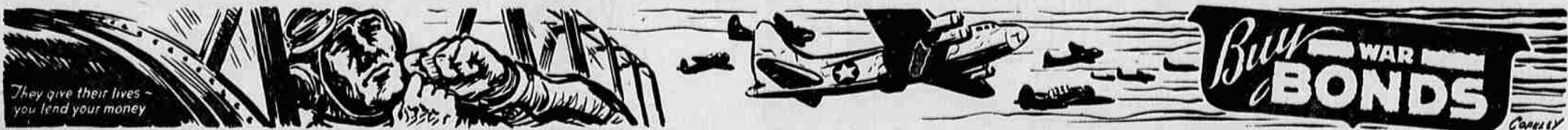
AND EVERYBODY'D LAUGH AT YOU! WELL, I'M GONNA PROVE I HAVE A SENSE OF HUMOR!

SWELL!



WOULD YOU LIKE IT PLAIN OR SALTED?

HOT PEANUTS



They give their lives - you lend your money

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