

# THIS CURIOUS WORLD

FISH of the SEA...

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COLD WATER AREAS OF THE OCEAN SUPPORT THE MOST FISH, BECAUSE COLD WATER HOLDS MORE OXYGEN.

SOME FISH LIVE PERMANENTLY IN THE INKY DEPTHS OF THE OCEAN, WITH TONS OF PRESSURE ON EACH SQUARE INCH OF THEIR GROTESQUE BODIES.

SOME FISH LIVE ALWAYS NEAR THE OCEAN SURFACE AND SOME GLIDE INTO THE AIR ABOVE IT.

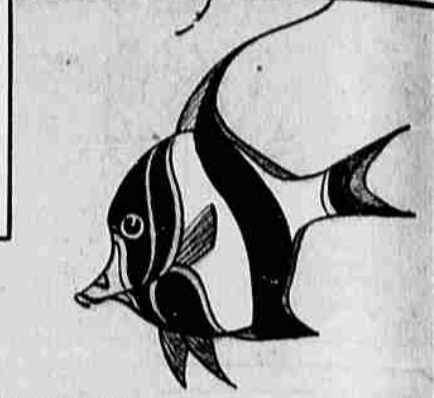
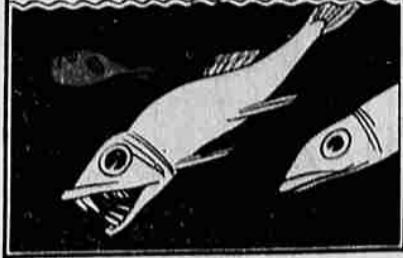


by WILLIAM FERGUSON

FISH RANGE IN SIZE FROM THE 45-FOOT WHALE SHARK TO A TINY LITTLE INHABITANT OF THE PHILIPPINES ONLY TWO-FIFTHS OF AN INCH IN LENGTH.



TROPICAL SEAS HAVE THE MOST BRILLIANTLY COLORED FISH AND THE GREATEST VARIETY... BUT NOT MUCH IN TOTAL BULK.



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AND, CONTRARY TO PUBLIC OPINION, FISH DO NOT DRINK... AND THEY DO SLEEP.

## RIGHTERONG?

FOR CATSUP, DON'T ASK!

by FERBY



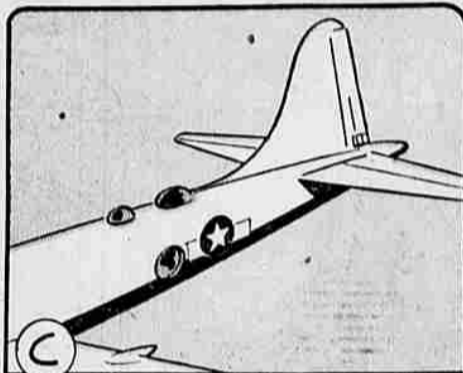
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I'M TH' REAL DECOY!

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DUCK DECOYS ARE CALLED LAME DUCKS.



A SUPER-FORTRESS HAS SIX MOTORS.



GENE STRATTON PORTER WROTE "LADDIE."

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## FRECKLES and his FRIENDS

by GLOSSER

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WE SAVED YOU A \$5 FINE, SO HOW ABOUT DONATING HALF OF IT TO THE RED CROSS?

OKAY... YOU WIN!



IT'S WONDERFUL! YOU TWO HAVE RAISED \$55 ALREADY TODAY! HOW ON EARTH DID YOU DO IT?

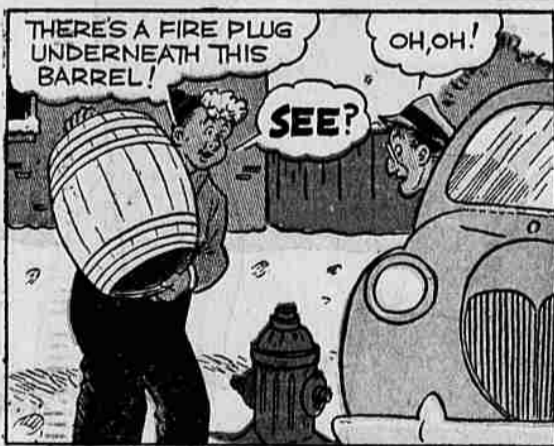
WE HAVE A SYSTEM!

AND WE'LL BE BACK WITH MORE DOUGH!



HOW DO YOU FIGURE YOU SAVED ME A \$5 FINE?

DO YOU REALIZE WHERE YOUR CAR IS PARKED?



THERE'S A FIRE PLUG UNDERNEATH THIS BARREL!

SEE?

OH, OH!



IF THE BARREL WASN'T HERE, THE COP WOULD SEE YOU PARKED NEAR THE PLUG... AND PRESTO, A TICKET!

HMM... YOU'RE RIGHT!



I'D LIKE \$2.50 FOR THE RED CROSS IN PAYMENT FOR HIDING THE FIRE PLUG!

OKAY... IT'S WORTH IT!



HOW ARE WE DOING, PAL?

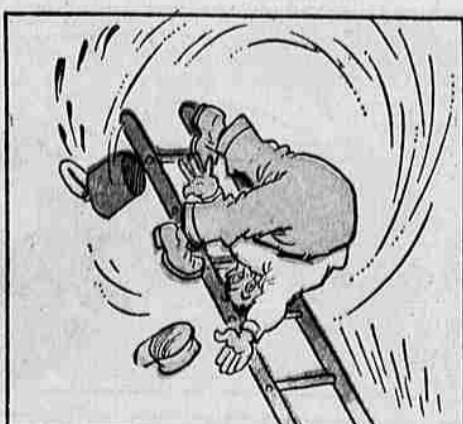
SWELL, MR. FOLEY! AND THANKS FOR LENDING US THE BARREL!!



THE POOR GUY! THAT LADDER IS HEAVY, AND HE HAS TO KEEP MOVING IT ALL THE TIME!



THERE OUGHTA BE SOME WAY TO MAKE IT EASIER FOR HIM TO MOVE THE LADDER! I'VE GOT IT!!



SURE IT MOVES EASIER... BUT ROLLER SKATES AIN'T PRACTICAL!!

