

THEIR ONLY CHILD Business Must Not Interfere with Him.

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Panel 1: A baby sits on the floor, playing a drum. A large megaphone is positioned behind him. A man sits on a stool, talking on a telephone.
 Baby: DA! DA!
 Man: CALL UP LATER - I CAN'T HEAR YOU NOW!

Panel 2: A woman in a hat enters the room.
 Woman: OH! ISN'T THAT CUTE! I'M GOING OUT TO THE BUTCHERS, DEAR, I WON'T BE LONG!
 Man: TAKE YOUR TIME DEAREST - HE'S HAPPY AS LONG AS I PLAY ON THE DRUM WITH HIM.

Panel 3: The man on the phone looks annoyed.
 Man: SAY, OLD MAN, THERE'S THE DICKENS TO PAY - OLD SQUEEZEM WON'T RENEW THAT NOTE OF OURS UNLESS YOU TELL HIM PERSONALLY YOU WILL BE RESPONSIBLE. HE'S WAITING FOR YOU AT HIS OFFICE - CALL HIM UP!
 Man: THAT'S EASY I'LL CALL HIM UP RIGHT AWAY.
 Baby: DA!

Panel 4: The man on the phone is still talking.
 Man: HELLO - HELLO! 6844 MAIN, YES, I WANT TO SPEAK TO MR. SQUEEZEM - HELLO! JUST HOLD THE WIRE A MINUTE!
 Baby: WOW!!

Panel 5: The man on the phone is still talking.
 Man: BABY MUSTN'T CRY - HERE BILL - JUST PLAY WITH HIM A SECOND!
 Man: HELLO, MR. SQUEEZEM? THIS IS MR. NEWLYWED - JUST HOLD THE WIRE A SECOND.
 Baby: KOOTCHY-KOOTCHY! DA-DA! DA-DA! 400!
 Man: WOW!

Panel 6: The man on the phone is still talking.
 Man: GEE WHILIKENS!!
 Man: DON'T CRY SNOOKUMS! NICE MAN'S WILL PLAY WIF 'OO. PAPA ONLY WANT TO TELEPHONE!

Panel 7: The man on the phone is still talking.
 Man: HELLO - MR. SQUEEZEM! YES - THIS IS ME - PARDON ME JUST ONE SECOND - SAY BILL TAKE PRECIOUS INTO THE NEXT ROOM!
 Man: ALL RIGHT!

Panel 8: The man on the phone is still talking.
 Man: HELLO CENTRAL - YOU CUT ME OFF - I WAS TALKIN' TO MR. SQUEEZEM - HEY - BILL YOU BETTER BRING HIM BACK!
 Baby: WOW!!

Panel 9: The man on the phone is still talking.
 Man: HELLO! IS THAT YOU - MR. SQUEEZEM - SAY HOLD THE WIRE A SECOND JUST A SECOND!
 Man: HERE HE IS!

Panel 10: The man on the phone is still talking.
 Man: NOW LITTLE MAN - YOU MUST LET PAPA TALK BUSINESS - BILL GET SQUEEZEM ON THE PHONE AND HOLD HIM A MINUTE!
 Man: HE JUST RANG OFF - HELLO - HELLO!!

Panel 11: The man on the phone is still talking.
 Man: THEY SAY HE GOT MAD AND LEFT THE OFFICE!
 Man: OH! LET HIM LEAVE!
 Baby: DA?

Panel 12: The man on the phone is still talking.
 Man: WHY - HOW DO YOU DO? WON'T YOU STAY FOR LUNCH!
 Man: THANKS! I WILL NOT!!
 Man: COME ON BABY ITS YOUR TURN
 Baby: DA! DA! DA! DA! DA! DA! DA! DA!