

# The Adventures of Dolly Drake and Bobby Blake in Storyland

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I AM MOTHER GOOSE"



WE HAVE HAD MOST BOOFUL TIME"



DOWN CAME A BIG WHITE GOOSE

**D**OLLY DRAKE and Bobby Blake had been traveling so long in Storyland that they began to feel a little weary, and to long for "Home and Mother." They were very glad to meet a tall old lady with a long pointed nose, dressed in a long red cloak and high peaked cap, who said:

"Well, Dolly Drake and Bobby Blake, how have you enjoyed your visit to me in Storyland? I am Mother Goose."

"We have had a most 'booful' time," answered Dolly, and Bobby just grinned and stood with one foot over the other. Mother Goose took them both on her lap, and they were feeling so lovely and comfy—till suddenly—Flip, Flap, Flop.

Down beside them came flying a great big white goose.

"Quack, Quack, Quack,  
Get on to my back,"  
he said.

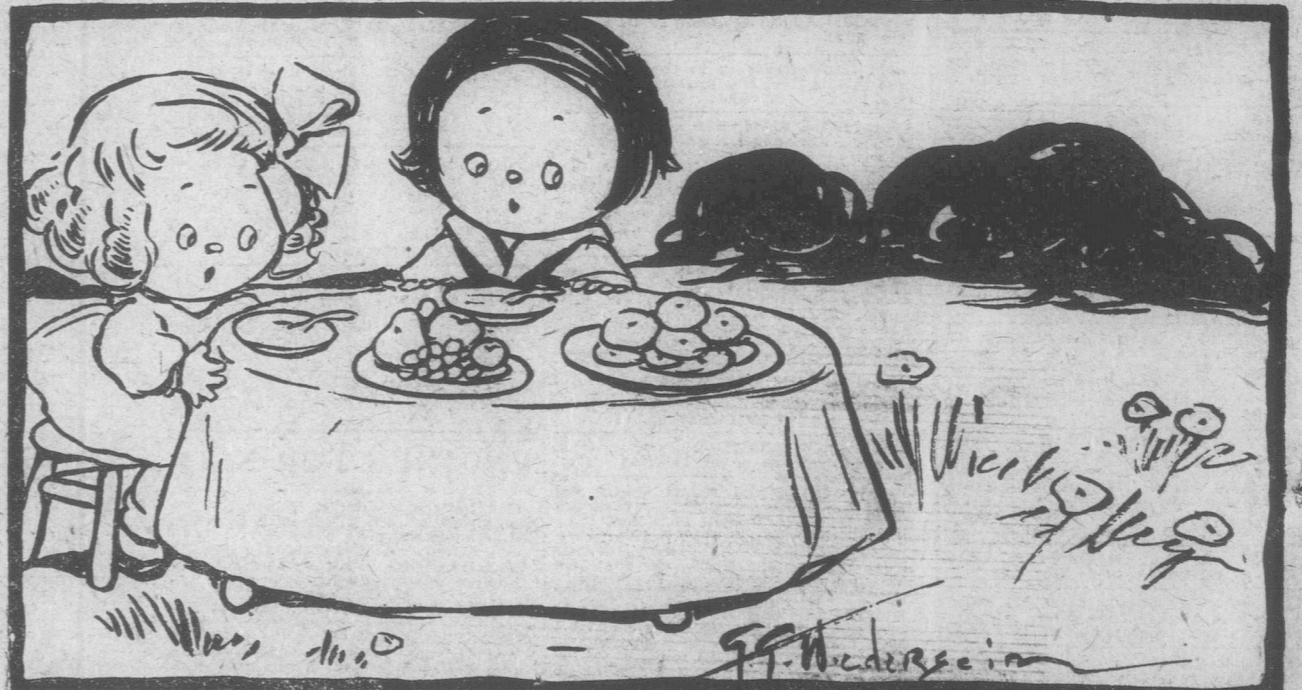
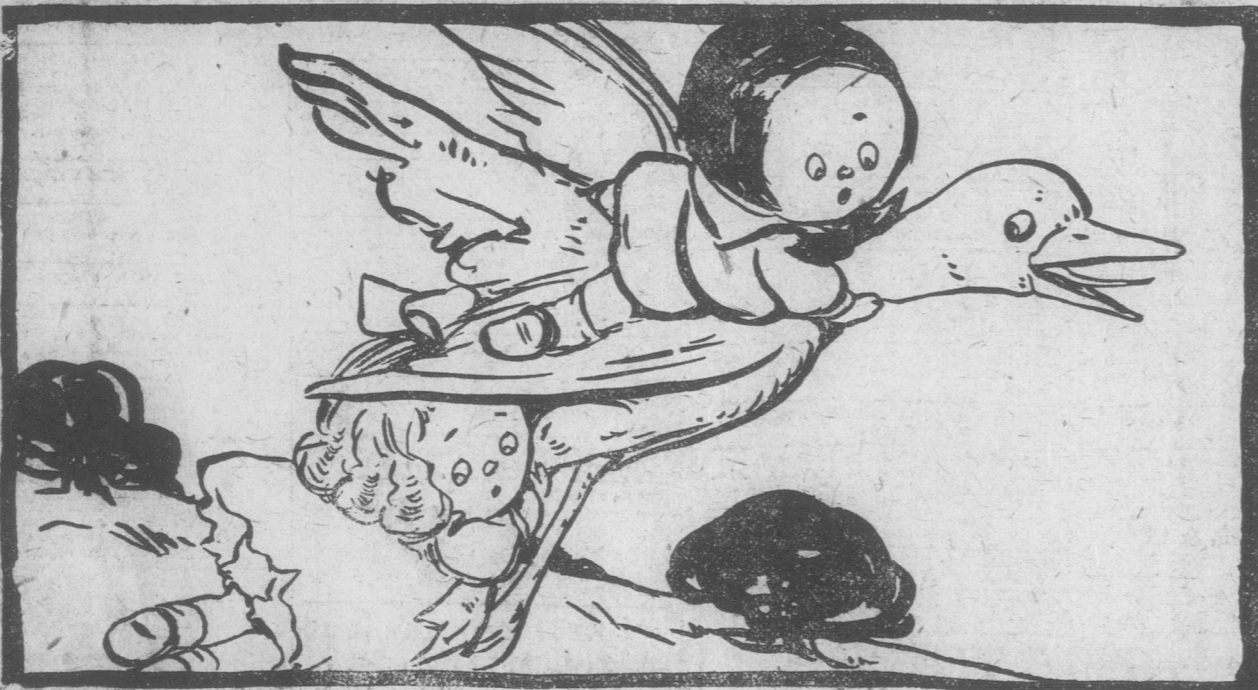
Dolly and Bobby clambered up on the big Goosey Gander's back, and Mother Goose kissed them both "goodby," not without difficulty, however, because her long pointed nose would get in the way.

So off flew the big white goose, Dolly and Bobby barely managing to cling to its slippery back. It seemed to grow slipp-rier and slipp-rier, till, at last, "Help! Help!" cried Bobby. "I'm falling." Dolly was clinging to one of the goose's long yellow legs. When bang! bang! down they both fell.

Bobby and Dolly sat up and rubbed their eyes and looked foolish—and where do you think they were? Sitting at the little tea table under the very apple tree where Mother Goose's invitation had been delivered to them. My goodness, but they were glad to be home again. And, strange to say, no one had even noticed that they had been away, visiting Mother Goose in Storyland.



MOTHER GOOSE BID THEM GOODBYE



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Another Terrible  
--Bodies of

Topeka, Kas., Jan. 2.—  
and 30 passengers, most  
were killed and as many  
ly injured in a head-on col-  
o'clock this morning. The  
of Alta Vista, between pas-  
No. 29, southbound, and  
on the Chicago & Rock I.  
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on the south-bound train  
into a ditch and several  
caught fire.  
Many of the bodies of  
were consumed by the fire.  
The injured are being  
peka on a relief train.  
The early reports state  
collision was caused by the  
ness of the agent at Vola.

Another Report  
Kansas City, Mo., Jan.  
phone message from Mr. F.  
says: "Twenty-nine Mex-  
coach on the south-bound  
burned to death. No one  
rescued of the fate of the  
on the north-bound train.  
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Topeka, Kansas, Jan. 2.  
the Rock Island railway,  
trains collided five miles  
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at 30 and injured at 40.

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New York, Jan. 2.—A  
London says the Daily  
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Burdette-Coutts as say-  
likely that her will con-  
quests to charity and the  
her fortune will go to  
William Lehman Ashm  
Burdette-Coutts, who is  
late Ellis Bartley, of Pl

Baroness Burdette-Coutts  
away in London on suc-  
garded as the world's gr-  
philanthropist.  
Baroness Angela Geor-  
Coutts was born April  
was the daughter of the  
ch Burdett, Bart., M.P.,  
Thomas Coutts, son of  
Coutts' Bank, the richest  
in the world. She was  
of the bank having in-  
interest in it when she  
age. Since then her char-  
was judicious giving. In  
Charles Dickens she visit-  
slums, and soon began  
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spent about \$2,000,000  
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late baroness. In 1839  
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Columbia, by endowing  
magnificent sum of \$15,000  
embraced both the col-  
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was afterwards subdivid-  
the diocese of Columbia,  
New Westminster. The  
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Vancouver Island and the  
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Westminster, England,  
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