

EVENING TIMES-STAR MAGAZINE PAGE FOR THE HOME

ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS

By Olive Roberts Barton

MISTER CROW HEARS FINE NEWS.



His wife met him at the door.

"I don't care whether it's honest or not," declared Mister Crow sourly, "but just as soon as Farmer Jones' corn is up, I'm going to take my wife and children to the cornfield on a picnic and eat all the nice juicy young sprouts of corn I can hold. And I'm going to tell them to eat all they can hold, too. So now there!"

"Shame on you, Mister Crow," said Mister Bags, the fairy storekeeper. "Why, pickles and porcupines! If all the birds felt the same as you do, there wouldn't be any corn left to grow up at all. And there wouldn't be any nice roasting ears next fall for the children to eat. And worst of all, there wouldn't be any corn to get dry and store away, so that the horses and cows and chickens and pigs and turkeys won't starve to death next winter."

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"Humph! What do I care!" cried Mister Crow. "You sound exactly like a lecture, Mister Bags, and I don't like lectures. And the cows and chickens may as well starve as me."

"But you won't starve. There are lots and lots of things for you to eat, Mister Crow," said Nancy.

"You sound just like a lecture, too!" declared the big black bird. "And I didn't come in to be lectured. I came in to find out if Farmer Jones had bought his seed corn yet for planting."

"Yes, he has," snapped Mister Bags. "And if you take any of it, I hope the scarecrow gets after you."

"Ha, ha, ha!" laughed Mister Crow, now in a very good humor because he'd found out what he came for. "The scarecrow isn't anything but some old sticks dressed up and that old gun he carries isn't worth a bean-shooter. It's only a stick, too. I'm a wise old crow, I am. You can't fool me. Ha, ha, ha!"

And he stumbled out of the door, still crying ha, ha, ha (which sounded like caw, caw, caw) and nearly knocked over Cutie Cottontail who had come in to buy a bag of candy.

"Oh, get out of my way," exclaimed Mister Crow, shoving him rudely. "Where are your manners?"

You can't blame Cutie for making a face at him behind his back, for the bad manners were all Mister Crow's—nobody else's in the world.

More good news awaited Mister Crow upon his arrival home. His wife met him at the door with the words, "What do you think, Christopher? Today as I was sitting on a fence beside the corn field, I thought I saw something green sticking up out of the mud. So I flew down and tasted it—and what do you souse it was! Corn! It's starting to sprout all over the field. By tomorrow it will be up as plain as day and we can take the children and have a picnic. I ate quite a few grains which came up easily, and they were the most delicious things I ever put into my mouth."

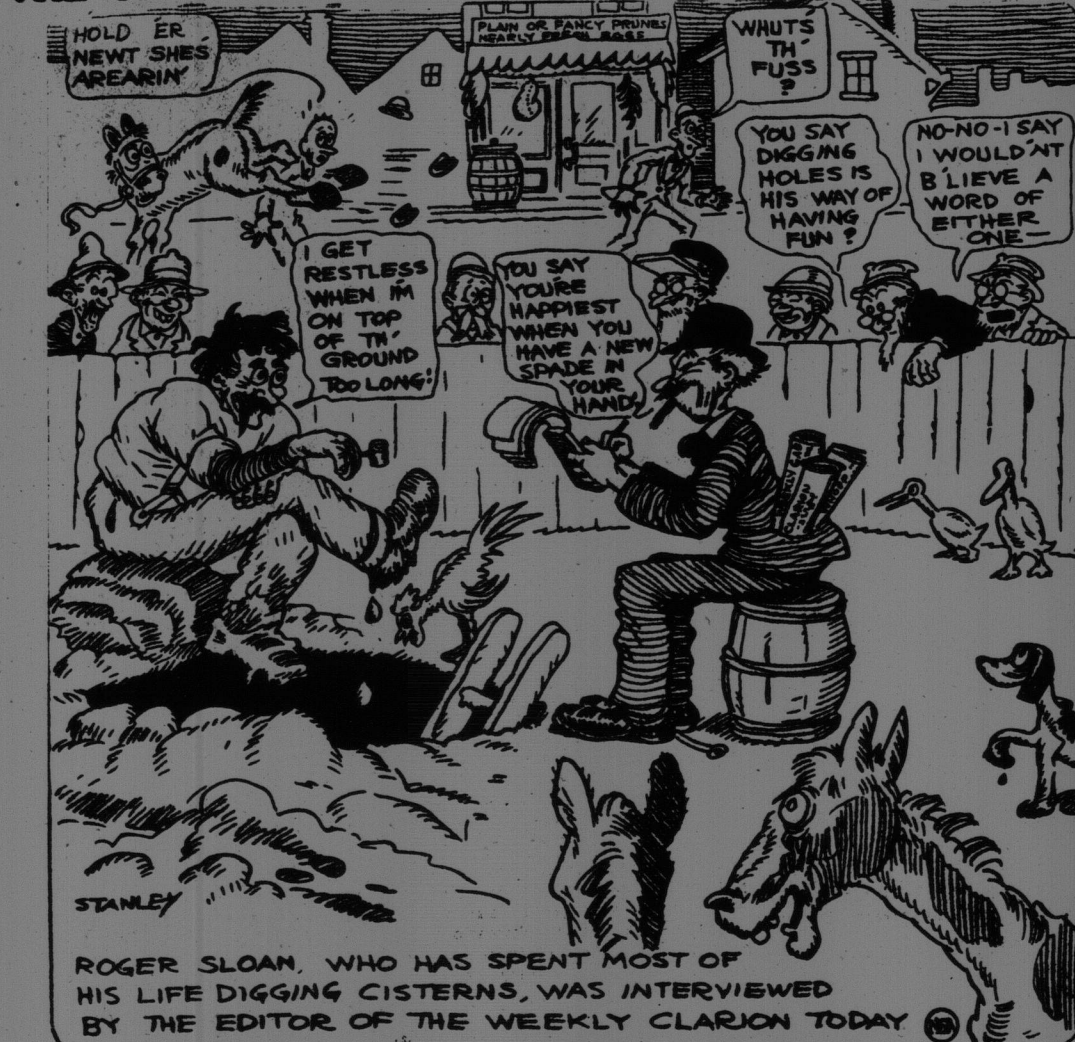
"Hooray!" cried Mister Crow, flapping his black wings and grinning until he nearly put his beak out of joint. "I'm going over this minute! It's not dark yet, and maybe I can get a bite or two. I'm nearly starved!"

Away he flew.

(To be continued.)

THE OLD HOME TOWN

By STANLEY



ROGER SLOAN, WHO HAS SPENT MOST OF HIS LIFE DIGGING CISTERNS, WAS INTERVIEWED BY THE EDITOR OF THE WEEKLY CLARION TODAY



"Even Wee Kiddies Should Have Plenty of Ice Cream" Says the Doctor

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Not Suitable

rommy (to butcher)—"Please, sir, mummy wants a sheep's head."—stutcher (thinking himself clever)—"There is only one head in this shop, and that is mine."—rommy—"I'm afraid that won't do, mummy wants one wiv brains in it."

Teaching "Bath Habit"

The scene presented in the Mann household when the "neck-and-ears" washing ceremony was performed was not materially different from that to be found wherever lusty lunged youngsters romped. The appearance of rag and brush was invariably the signal for walls and wriggling. Yet the lesson of cleanliness must be taught. Parents should make every effort to educate the children into enjoying their bath. A difficult and frequently unsuccessful task is this oftentimes when a boy in his teens is being dealt with. Regular bathing times can be associated with games in some cases, but it is preferable that the youngsters be taught to enjoy the bath for its own sake. If, as a little tottled, the baby is taught to love a clean body the task will be made easier in later years. Many parents wait too long before beginning the cleanliness education. When grown-ups themselves look upon the skin as a mere covering for the body, what can be expected of youngsters? The skin is an important organ, and not a mere covering. A clean skin carries off waste matter and a daily bath aids in the health of the skin. Get the growing children in the bath habit.

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The Meaning of "Good"

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Court Decision on "DUSTBANE" Patents

IN THE KING'S BENCH

The Honourable Mr. Justice Adamson

BETWEEN DUSTBANE MANUFACTURING COMPANY, LIMITED

Plaintiff.

ORLOFF NEWMAN and SADIE NEWMAN

Defendants.

This action having on the 10th day of October, A. D. 1923 come on before the Court on motion for judgment on behalf of the Plaintiff, and upon hearing Counsel for the Plaintiff and for the Defendants,

THE COURT DOOTH ORDER AND ADJUDGE:

That the Defendants, their servants, agents and workmen be restrained during the continuance of Letters Patent Numbers 88639, 95497, 102643 and 107575 from manufacturing, selling or supplying any sweeping compound manufactured according to or in the manner described in the specifications filed in the Patents Office at Ottawa, in the Province of Ontario, Dominion of Canada, in connection with said Letters Patent, of any of them or according to or in any manner only colorably differing from the same, or any of same, and generally from infringing the rights of the Plaintiffs in respect of such Letters Patent of any of them.

AND THIS COURT DOES FURTHER ORDER AND ADJUDGE that there shall be no damages to the Plaintiffs in this action or costs to either party.

Judgment signed the 12th day of October, 1923.

Approved as to form AUGUSTUS MILLS, Dep. Prothonotary

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Defendant's Solicitors.