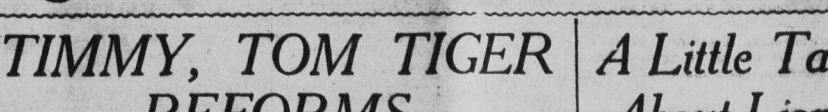


Answers to Letters



A Little Tale About Lions

In Britain we have no big, wild beasts to be afraid of. Our animals are all smallish, (except the Red Deer), and for the most part are afraid of us. But if you live in countries abroad where Lions and tigers are still to be found, you would have to be careful when you are out on your own.

went in lonely places for a while. A lion wouldn't eat you if he was young and active, and could get something larger, such as a zebra or a buffalo. But if he were old and weak, he would be very glad to see something so easy to pounce upon. I am sure you have a very good

tion what Lions are like. You see them in pictures, even if you seen them at the Zoo. Great, cat-like animals, with huge heads and thick manes. Some are silver and some have black manes. Mostly they are tawny-yellow, as the same color as the grassy where they live that you often

where they live, that you should see them quite a little way off seem to get all mixed up with bushes and dry grasses. Some of the cleverest hunters can hear splashing water, not twenty yards but they can't see him. This, of course, is very awkward for anybody who doesn't want to meet the Lion.

It makes it much simpler for the lion to come creeping stealthily at the mouse, because he knows he will not be surprised until the last moment, when he will pounce like a cat on a mouse.

right in the eyes, he doesn't
and he will turn tail and go.
But I shouldn't like to try, would
And it is also said that he can
out his footprints with his tail.
I shouldn't care to follow him
out if that is true!

The Lion and the Lioness

gether all their lives, and a kind to each other. The lion cubs and their mother play together; they are as harmless, pretty, and playful as kittens. The Baby Lions mew till they are enough to roar. The Lioness is fiercer than the Lion, and has no

but she is tremendously strong and very fierce. The Lion, as you know, is called the King of Beasts because he is so very large and powerful, partly because he has a noble and stately appearance and nobody ever calls the Lioness Queen. Perhaps she isn't quite

enough in her manners. She
on her back and pat her ma-
little playful slaps, in a kitten-
len; and I'm sure there's
queenly about that.

All day long, as a rule, the
family lie dozing and drowsy.
But at sundown they wake up

to each other, "Goodness, how I am getting!" And the little princes and princesses mewed loudly, "O Daddy! O Mummy! I want my supper!" Then the King and Mother Lion go out to hunt for food. But first they begin to sing. They put their mouths nearly to the ground and roar louder and louder.

the ground and roar louder, and
er, and louder—such a fearful
they make! The ground se
echo it and carry it on, so t
sound goes rolling along like
for miles, and frightens ev
who hears it. Then, if it is
and stormy night they go tro
pretty fast, but if it is brig

Father and Mother Lion meet their Lion friends as they prowl along at last there are quite a troop going down to drink at the river or lake. There, very likely they meet with two or three others and when they catch sight of

other they all start roaring at is not at all a pleasant way of "How do you do!" It's simply ening! And the Baby Lions lair begin to grumble, "Why do dy and Mummy bring us some eat? Most unkind of them to f like this!"

If you asked the Lions what they wanted for supper, they would tell you, "Anything, so long as it is something!" For though the lion is the best—antelope, or rhinoceros, or giraffe, or buffalo—they will eat anything that is meat, and mice, and locusts, and even lions. And now and then, out

greediness, a Lion will attack
ly porcupine and gobble it up.
quills stick into his throat and
him. It never answers to be
It isn't always possible to fight.
There may have to be a fight
first; and once there was a Lion
wanted to eat a wild ass! He

ed upon it, seized it in his
and was taking it off, when a
of wild asses, its friends, hear-
ful braying, and saw what
matter. They all rushed to-
on the Lion, and kicked him
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Puzzles

1—Four Word Square.

My first is a seasoning.
My second is a surface.
My third is something that should
 mended.
My fourth means to secure pos-
 sion.

2—What Am I?

My first a lady's name should be.
My next can draw fish from the sea.
My whole attracts a needle.

3—New Brunswick Geography

My first is a county famous for
tatoes,
My second a thriving King's Co
village,
My third an important railway
tre,
My fourth is a bay on the Fu
coast,
My fifth a busy North Shore tow
My sixth a cape on Northumber
Strait,

My seventh a point on Fundy Sho
My eighth a village near Moncton
My ninth one of our prettiest riv
My tenth a Sunbury County vill
My eleventh a big lumbering riv
S. All my initials taken together
the name of an important railwa
visional point.

4—Jumbled Names of Animals
N P A E L T E A H.
B A E R Z.

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 L C W A T I D.
 L O F W.
 S E O M O.
 O L B F A U F.
 E T R G I.
 O S H R E N C R O.

ANSWERS TO PUZZLES.
 1—Four Word Square.

S A L T
A R E A
L E A K
T A K E

2—What Am I?
Magnet.

3—New Brunswick Geography
Carleton.
Apolahqui.
Moncton.
Passamaquoddy.

Bathurst.
 Escuminac.
 Lepreau.
 Lutes Mountain.
 Tobique.
 Oromocto.
 Nepisguit.

4—Jumbled Names of Animals
 Elephant.
 Zebra.
 Camel.
 Monkey.

Giraffe.
Horse
Wild Cat.
Wolf.
Moose.
Buffalo.
Tiger.
Rhinoceros.

Riddles.

1. Hick-a-more Hack-a-more, on
King's kitchen door; all the King's
horses, all the King's men can't

2. Flour of England, fruit of
met together in a shower of rain
in a bag, tied round with a string
you can tell me this riddle I'll
you a ring?

4. I went to the wood and got
I sat me down and looked at it
more I looked at it the less I
it. And I brought it home be
I couldn't help it?

Jumbled Names of Boys.

GEN LARON.
LAD NDO.
RAGED.
GROMAN.
COSAR.

NO JH.
KANRR.
WEDRAN.
EBRTUMR.
TERBEHR.
ESSIA.
HEST.
BERUNE.
LECIC.

ANSWERS TO RIDDLES.

1. Sunshine.
2. Plum Pudding.

3. Needle and thread.
4. Thorn.
5. Answers of Jumble Name:
Algermon; 2. Donald; 3. Edgar; 4. Gan; 5. Oscar; 6. John; 7. Frank; 8. Andrew; 9. Bertrum; 10. Herbert; 11. Sias; 12. Seth; 13. Reuben; 14. —Sent in by Edrie Anderson.

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