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THE NEARSIGHTED

MR. MAGOO AND WALDO

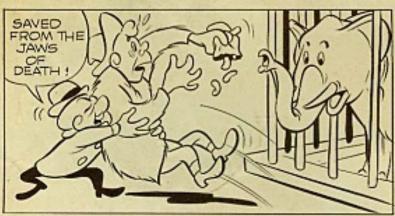


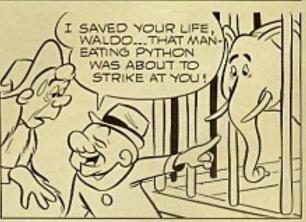






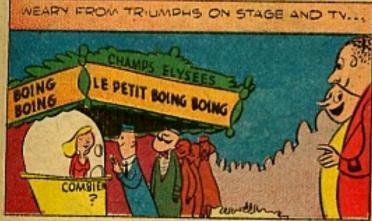






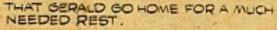
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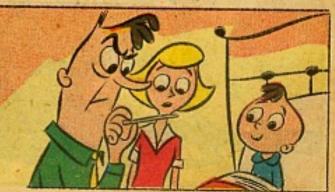








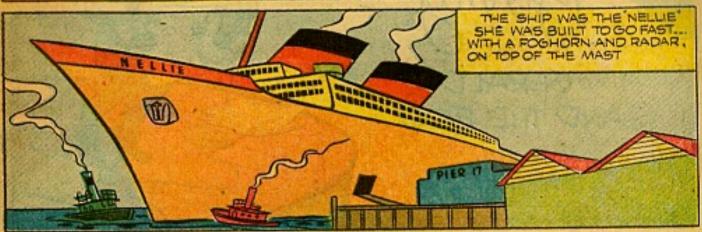




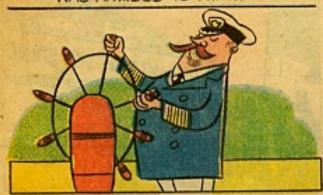


THAT WOULD CARRY THEM SWIFTLY ACROSS THE BIG MOAT.





THE AMBITIOUS CAPTAIN WAS ANXIOUS TO WIN ...









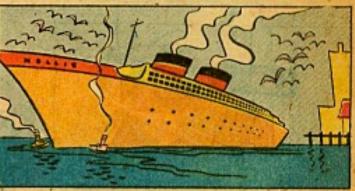




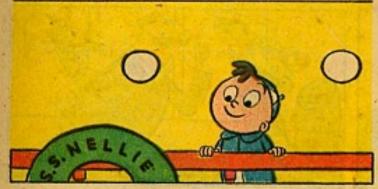
THEY HAULED UP THE GANGPLANK AND PULLED OUT OF THE DOCK ...



ON FRIDAY THE THIRTEENTH AT JUST TWELVE O'CLOCK.



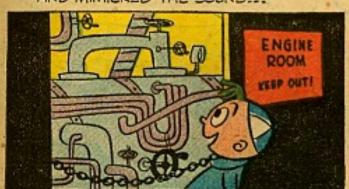
THOUGH GERALD DIDN'T SAY HE WAS THRILLED BY THE RACE;

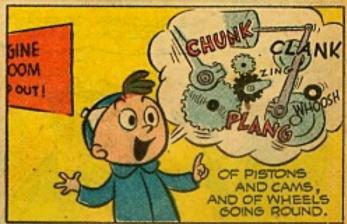


HE WAS SURE THAT THE "NELLIE"
COULD WIN THE FIRST PLACE.

TO THE ENGINE ROOM

HE STAYED NEAR THE ENGINES AND MIMICKED THE SOUND...







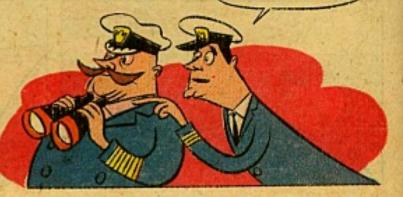
WELL MAKE IT FOR SURE!

WHEN OUT ON THE WATER A FOG BANK APPEARED...

SAID ENGINEER SCOTT

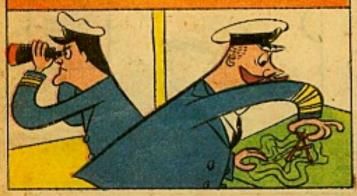
ITS JUST WHAT

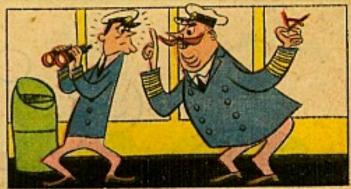




CAPTAIN MEKINLEY MADE A CHECK OF THE LOG

THEN TURNED TO THE CHIEF .

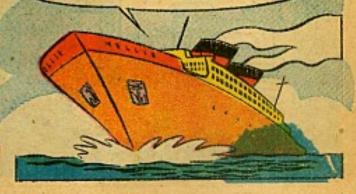




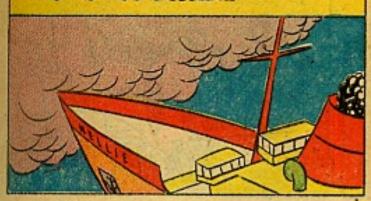
THE RECORD'S IMPORTANT ...

WE'LL BLOW THAT OLD FOGHORN AND KEEP UP OUR SPEED!



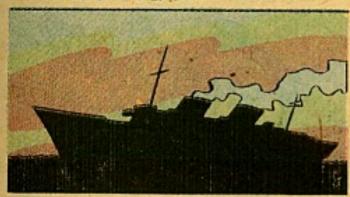


50 THE NELLIE PUSHED FORWARD AS FAST AS SHE COULD



NERVOUS ... HE KNOCKED UPON WOOD

AS THE FOG BANK GREW CLOSER ...



HE HAD NEVER SEEN FOG YOU COULD CUT WITH A KNIFE!

THE CAPTAIN WAS

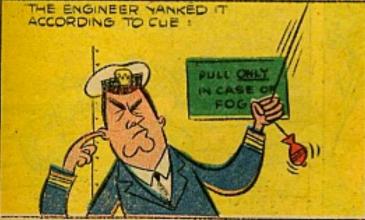


HE TURNED TO HIS HELPER. THE CHIEF ENGINEER:



NOW BLOW THAT OLD FOSHORN UNTIL IT GETS CLEAR.





THE FOGHORN RESPONDED ...



"VOOP-OOP" WENT THE BLAST ALL OVER THE PLACE ...



GERALD Mc BOING BOING, THE PASSENGERS FOUND...



THREE MINUTES OF SILENCE WITHOUT ANY BLAST



THE VOOPING CONTINUED AN HOUR OR SO ...

WARNING ALL SHIPS OF THE BLUE-RIBBON RACE!



WAS DELIGHTED TO HEAR THIS ENCHANTING NEW SOUND.







THE CAPTAIN WAS FRANTIC AND SAID WITH A FROWN :







SLOWED DOWN THE ENGINES ... THEN STARTED TO CRY .



SAID CAPTAIN MCKINLEY

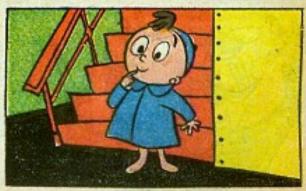


THE PASSENGERS GRUMBLED AND CURSED THE BAD LUCK ...



WHEN WORD GOT AROUND THAT THE WHISTLE HAD STUCK.

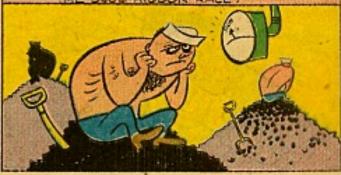




THE GLOOMINESS SPREAD TO THE MEN DOWN BELOW... NO EXTRA ICE CREAM WAS A TERRIBLE BLOW.



WHAT A HORRIBLE THING FOR A CREWMAN TO FACE ... THE PROSPECT OF LOSING THE BLUE-RIBBON RACE .



THE SADNESS CONTINUED WITH NEVER A LAUGH ...





THEN ALL OF A SUDDEN AT A QUARTER TO FOUR...



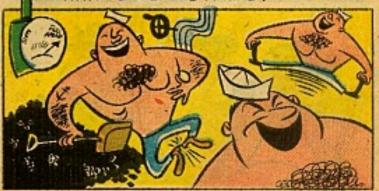
CAME VOOP- ODOP AGAIN



THE CAPTAIN WAS JOYFUL ... SCOTT STOOD ON HIS HEAD ...



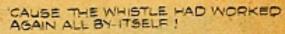
THE ENGINE ROOM ECHOED WITH 'FULL SPEED AHEAD!"



THE MANTLE OF GLOOM WAS NOW PUT ON THE SHELF ...

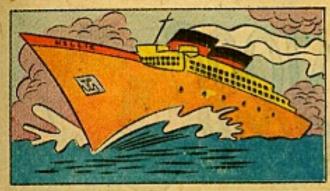


FASTER AND FASTER SHE PLOWED THROUGH THE BRINE





THE GOOD VESSEL "NELLIE" WAS MAKING UP TIME!



THE FOG BANK GREW THINNER AS BLUE SKY WAS LOGGED ,



BUT THE FOGHORN KEPT SOUNDING AS IF IN A RUT



AND IN NO TIME THE SHIP WAS COMPLETELY UN-FOGGED .



WAS THE WHISTLE STUCK OPEN NOW ... RATHER THAN SHUT ?



THE CAPTAIN'S BINOCULARS

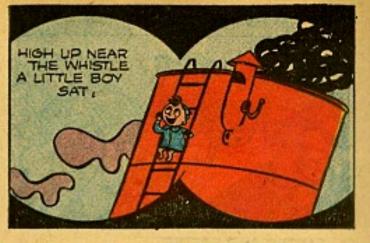




"THREE CHEERS FOR MCBOING BOING," EXHORTED THE CROWD...



THE SPEEDY SHIP, NELLIE, SOON PASSED AMBROSE LIGHT...



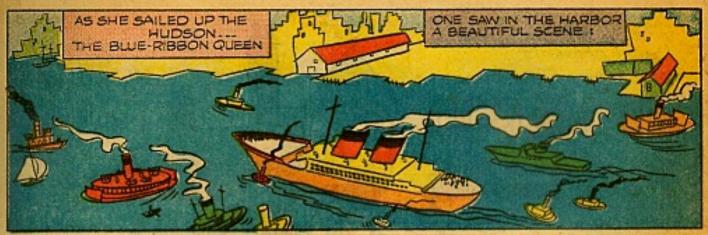
HE MAKES LIKE IT DOES WHEN A FOG WARNING BLOWS.

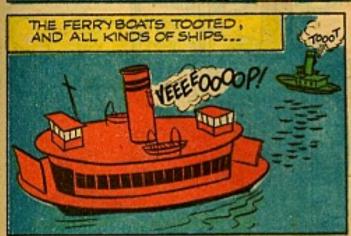




THE OLD RECORD SMASHED BY A DAY AND A NIGHT.



















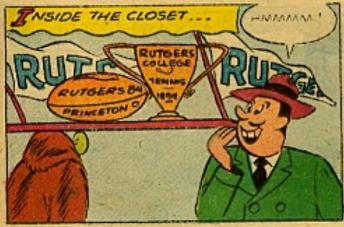
















































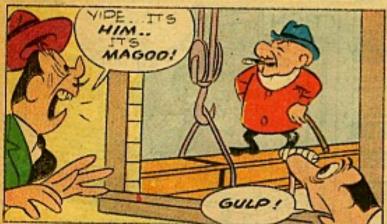






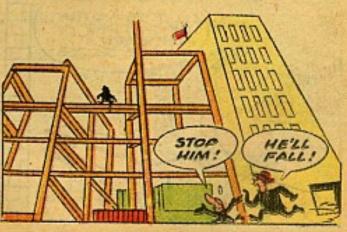






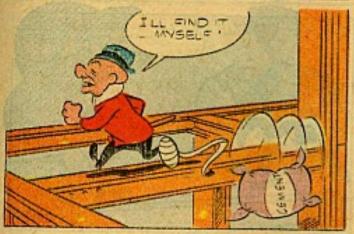






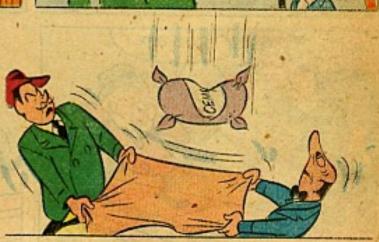








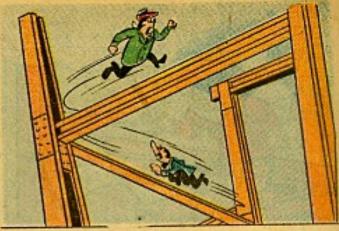






































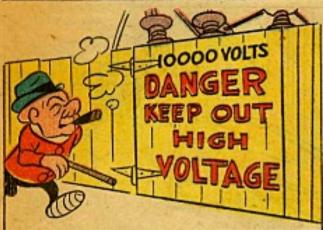








































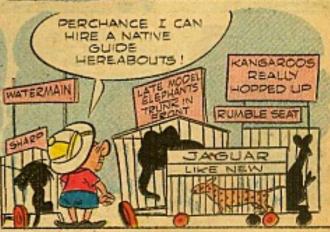












































































































































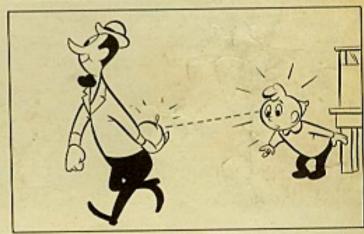
Gerald Mc Boing Boing

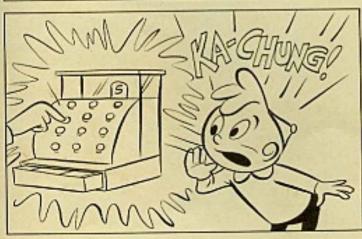














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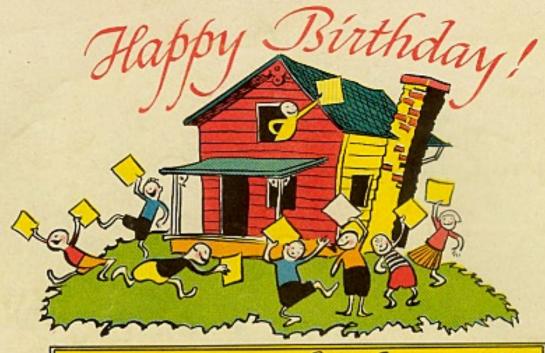












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