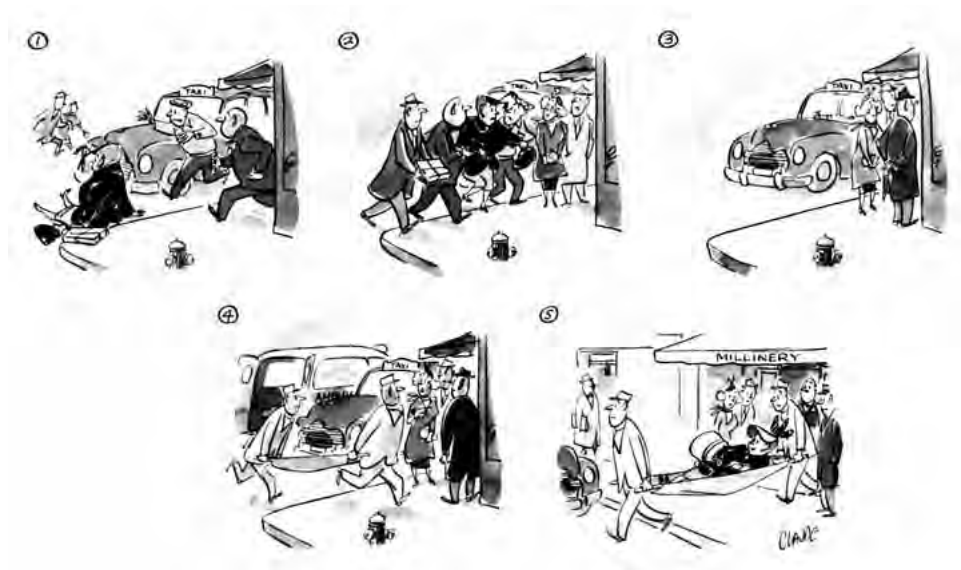




"Would you prefer Mendelssohn's 'Wedding March' or 'Lohengrin'?"





“You mean I should cut out all brands?”



"Oh, hello, dear."

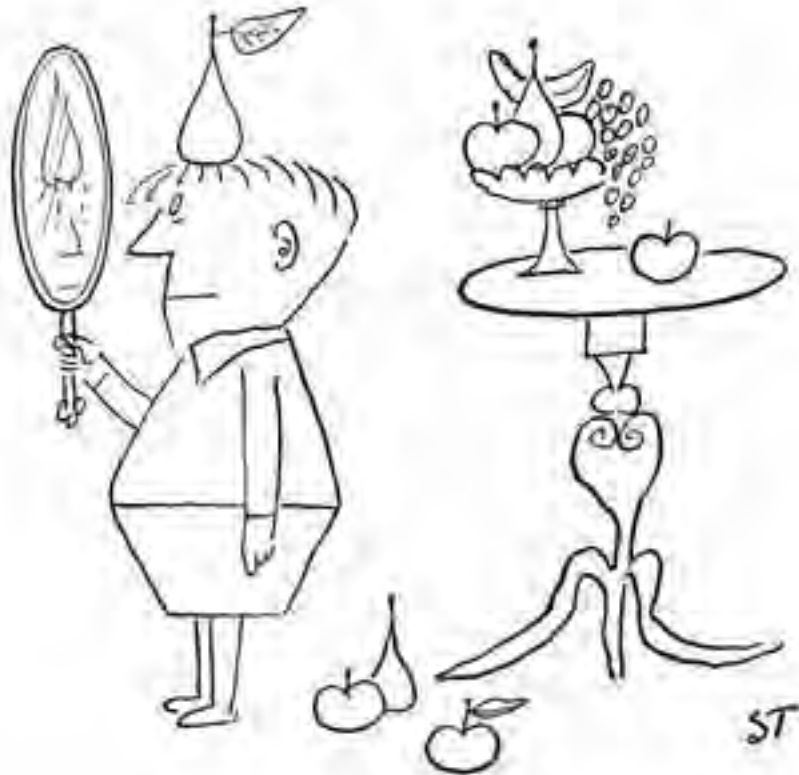


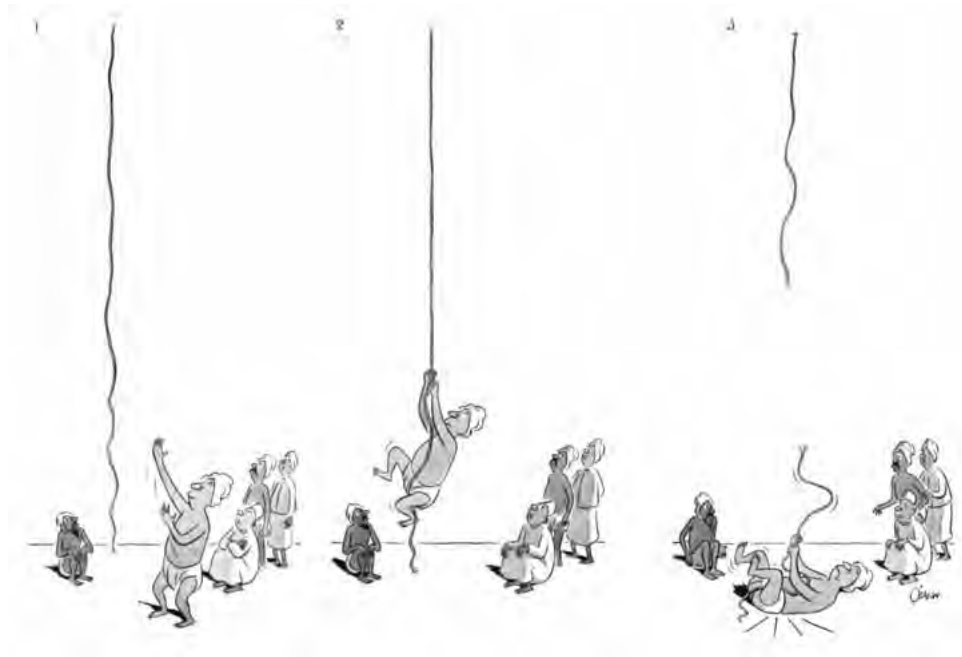


"Four Bromo-Seltzers."



“Would the ninety-day warranty have covered that man over in New Jersey, for instance, who put a bullet through his set?”







*"I figure if I do hit pay dirt, one scoopful will
pay for the whole danged contraption."*





"You don't have to say a word."





"I'm afraid she's just not going to work out here."



“Do you want to pay three dollars for a sitter to have a quiet evening with Roy and Jane tonight?”



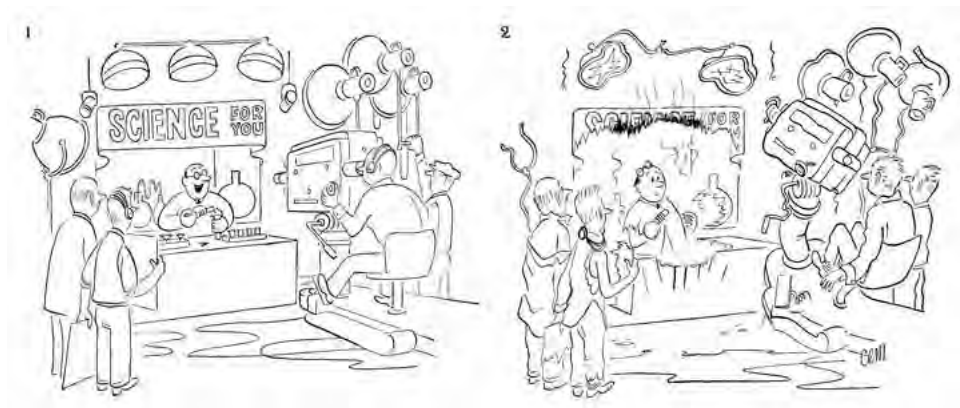




*"I'll give you the raise, but I want you to promise one thing.
When you walk out of here, look mad."*



“Well, he brought me home in one piece. Now are you satisfied?”





"I'd starve first!"



*“You’ll notice, ladies, that no matter how I twist
and turn my hair is held securely in place.”*



*"Little Bear to plane.
Little Bear to plane.
Start seeding."*

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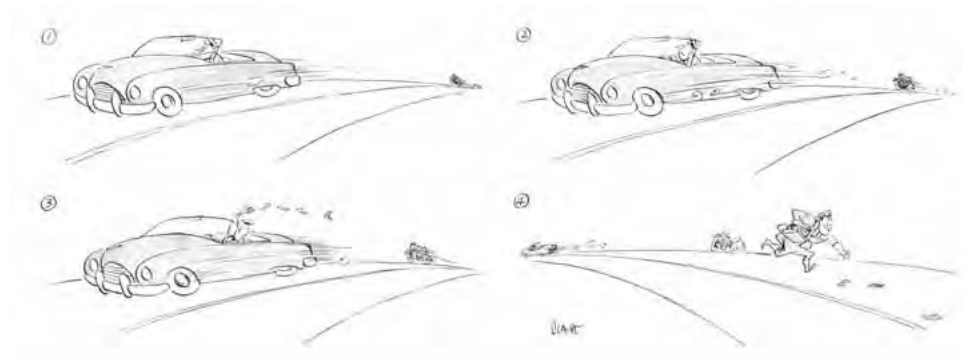
“Which would you rather she went every time she took a step—‘squeak’ or ‘quack’?”



*“Oh, for heaven’s sake! We’ve only just got here,
and you’re worried about getting back already.”*



“Listen, Mac. These ain’t the bookstalls on the Seine!”





“Is this to go or stay?”

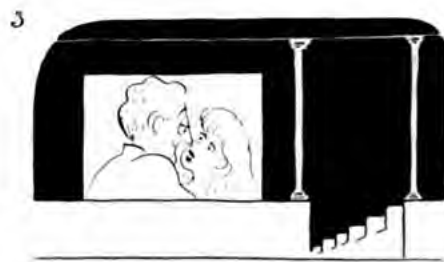


"We were sitting watching it one night several months ago when a tube blew out or something. John picked up a magazine, I opened a book . . ."



"Is this the one with the four-burner stove?"

1953





“Speak up! Speak up! How do you expect me to hear you?”



"That will be all, Mrs. Goodwin."



*“Asteroid number 278 crossing Jupiter’s orbit on a vector
of 37.5 degrees? Good Lord, that means I’m late
for my luncheon appointment!”*



DREAMS OF GLORY
White God

William Steig (1/17/1953)

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“Oh dear, I thought they were still in the experimental stage.”





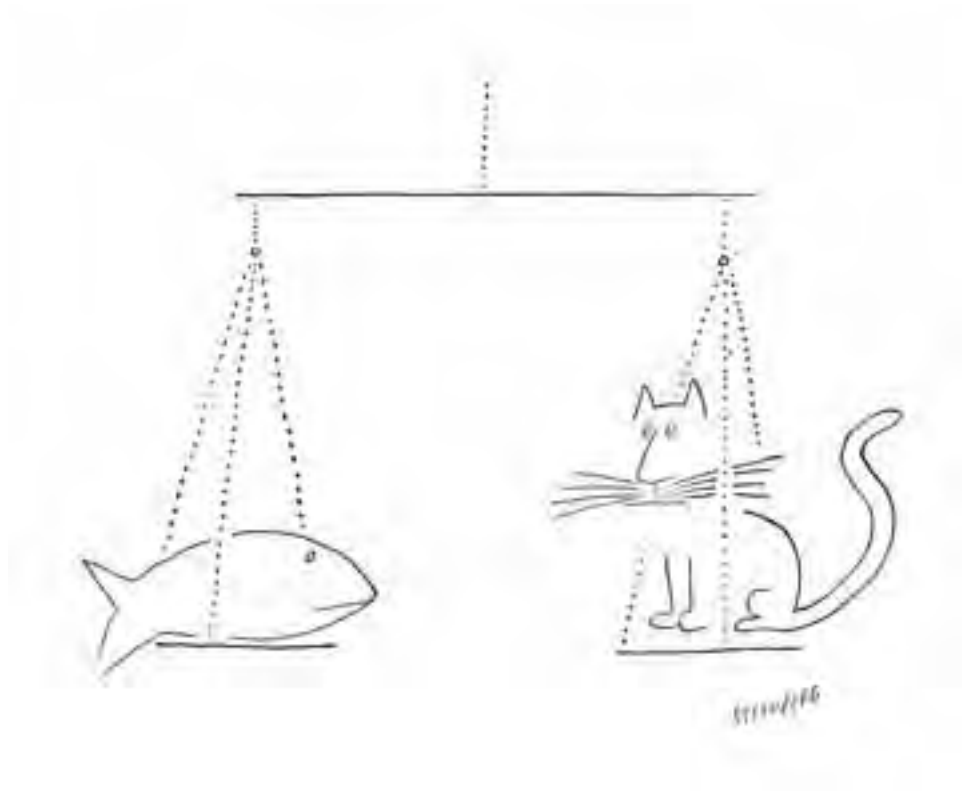


"The size of my tip depends on whether Howie bites."





“Here’s a list of the tenants who have agreed to the voluntary fifteen per-cent rent increase.”





"I wonder if I might have a—er—glass of water."



“Why, the last I heard from him he was up in Saskatchewan someplace.”

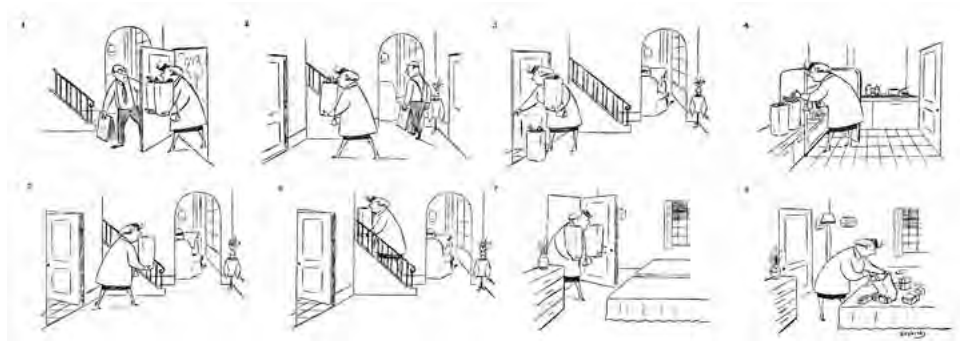


“... and anyone hitting me will have the round taken away from him.”





"When you finish that, Travers, I'd like to have a word with you."





"Do you have a wax that slows them?"



*"I'm in love with your secretary, Mr. Norton,
and I want her for my secretary."*



"They seem toasty enough to me."





"Now don't tell me you had anthropologist for lunch."



*“Let’s think of it this way—you’re the panel
of experts, and I’m the quiz master.”*





“... and now Corsair introduces the bantam-size cigarette for those who only have time for a few quick puffs.”

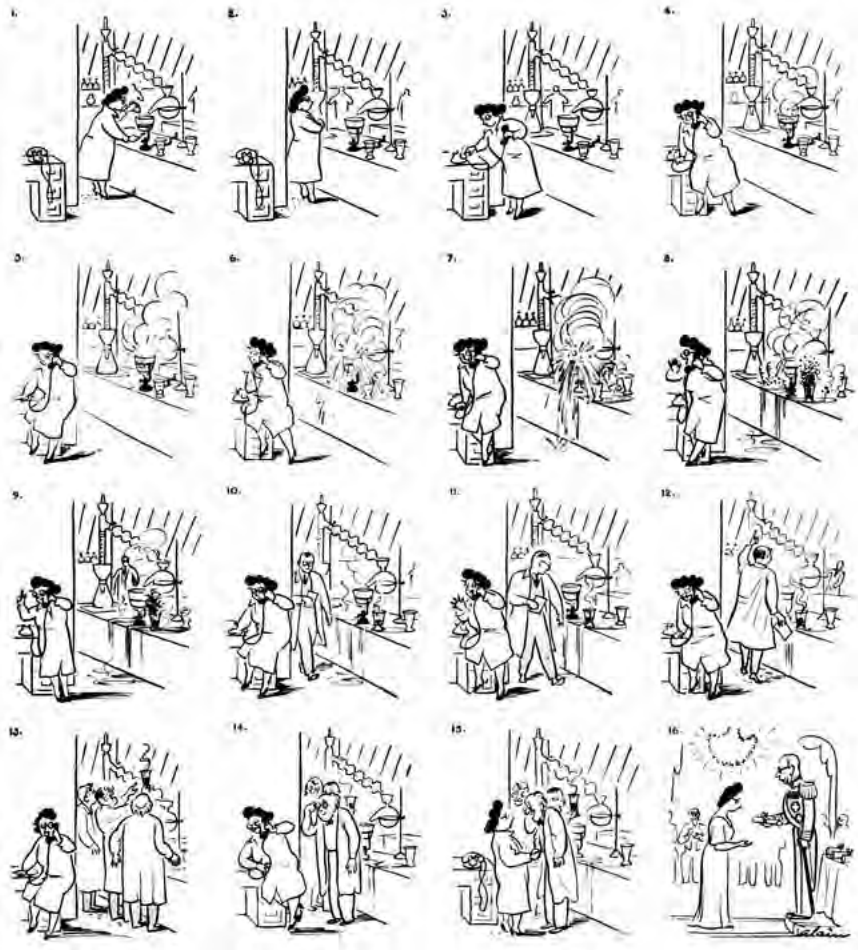




“First, I think you prop it up some way or other on a little stand.”



"You see, Kelly, in a way I'm a prisoner here myself."



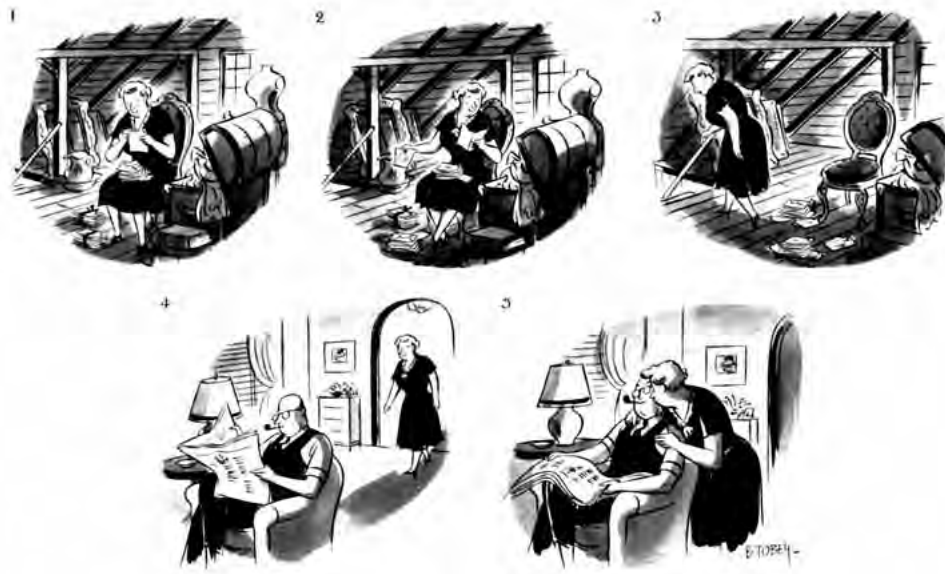


“If you think you’ve had a tough day, wait till you hear what happened to Young Doctor Malone.”





“Andante! Andante!”





"You know, it's a funny thing. With the new administration sort of feeling its way, and everyone wishing it well, I find myself running into awkward silences these days."

1953

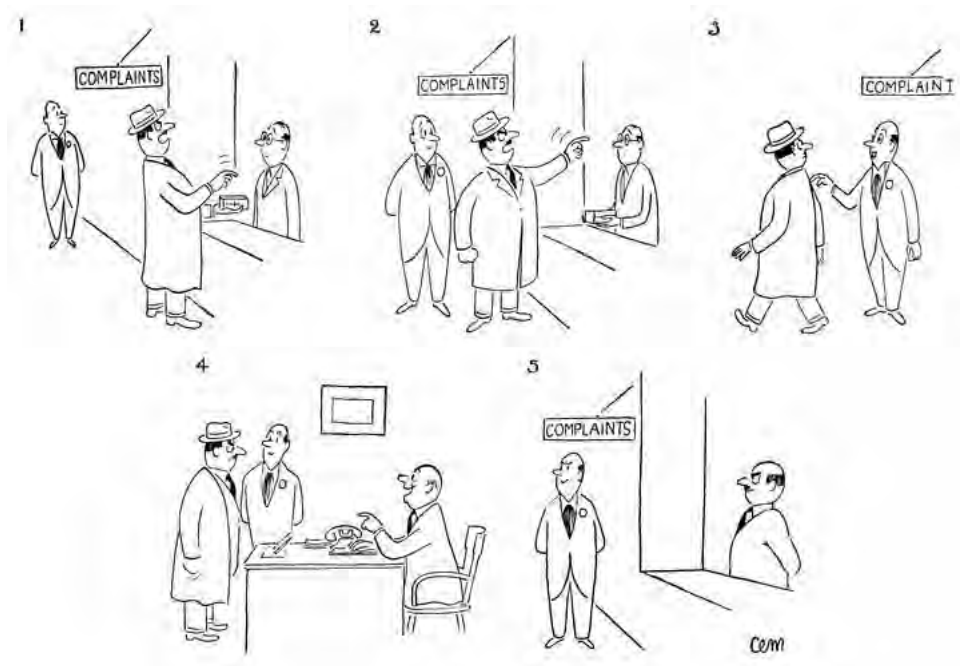




“You sure you haven’t heard anything on there about trouble at the Zoo?”



"In a minute! In a minute!"





"I'm from Studio B next door. Could I borrow a cup of sugar?"



“Like I said, Professor. Moon-men; ergo, moon-women.”





*“We’ve uncovered a whole mass of new evidence, Wilkins.
Unfortunately, it proves conclusively that you’re guilty.”*



"My mother was a fish, and I don't know who my father was."





"I didn't say twelve o'clock. I said noonish."





“ . . . and so remember, if you want a soap that’s kinder to your skin, a soap that washes cleaner, a soap that costs less, there is only one soap . . . ”



“Now then, where is it you feel bad?”







"The feeling is mutual, punk!"



"I'm getting better. I can keep it in the alley almost all the way now."



*“Now comes the maddening part—rolling them in
little balls to make them crinkly.”*



*"I haven't had a raise
in six years."*



"Those bums! Why, the Philharmonic could outplay them the best day they ever had!"



“Boy, if this keeps up, maybe school will be closed tomorrow, too!”



*“Gaudeamus igitur, Juvenes dum sumus;
Post jucundam juventutem, Post
molestam senectutem Nos habebit humus.”*

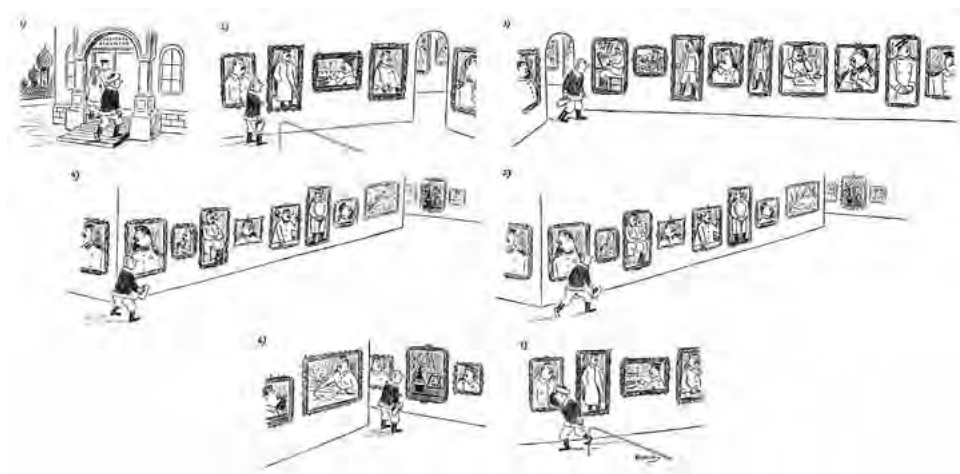


*“Well then, if the artist has no place in
modern society, why don’t you wise up?”*



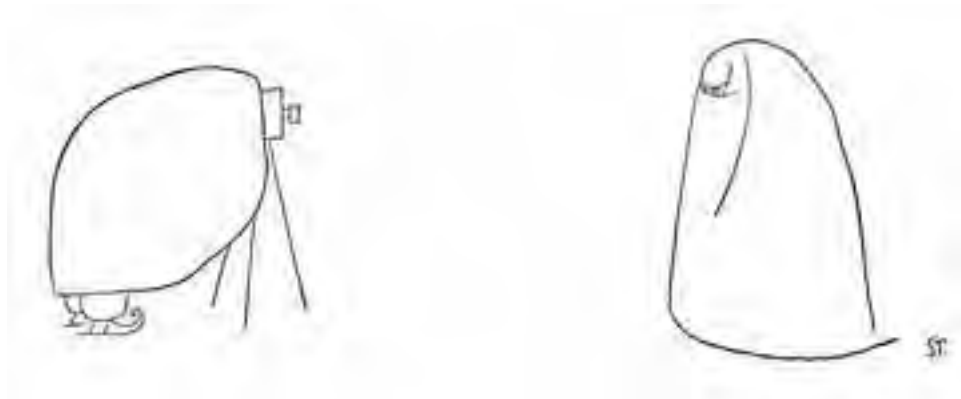
*"After all, it was his brains that got us out. The
least we can do is cater to his whims."*







“My campaign was going very well. I had every reason to hope that the voters of my state would return me to the Senate. Then one day I made the mistake of saying, ‘Let’s look at the record.’”





*“Matter of fact, Brayton, I’ve inaugurated
a little wage-control law of my own.”*



"I'm sorry, sir. You just missed the floor show."



“Now the same letter as Charles Boyer would dictate it.”



Robert J. Day (2/21/1953)

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"Well, he seems to be winning your mother over, anyway."



"Oh, please continue. You amuse me."





*“Would you care to step in here and
see how it looks in the dark?”*



“What? That again?”



"Her damn doll was thirsty."



*“You consume the five-dollar minimum your way
and I’ll consume it my way.”*





*“Then it’s agreed that we adopt Running Elk’s proposal to plow
the first quarter’s profits back into exploratory drilling.”*





DREAMS OF GLORY
Jujitsu

William Steig (2/28/1953)

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"Earth! Boy, are we lost!"



“Well, if you’re so damn fed up, why don’t you abdicate?”





“That reminds me of another terrific chapter in my life.”

1953





"You're fired! You, Preston, that is."





“One more question. That’s real silver-blue mink, isn’t it?”





*“All I ask is as much rope as you give all
those gangsters and racketeers.”*



"I want you to know if I make good at second base, it's because I've tried to model myself after you in every possible way."



“Can I help it if we’re married?”

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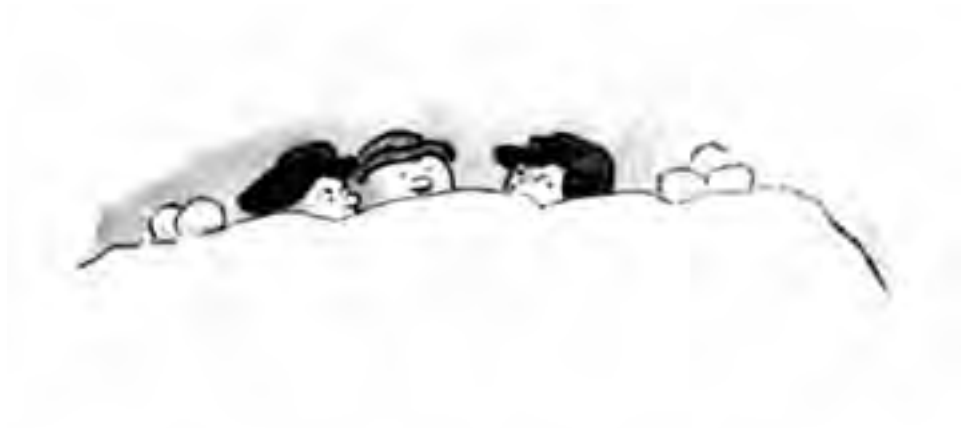
SNOW (1 OF 6)



"Oh, boy!"

SMALL FRY

SNOW (2 OF 6)



Zero hour

SMALL FRY

SNOW (3 OF 6)



Snow-eater

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SNOW (4 OF 6)



Full load

SMALL FRY

SNOW (5 OF 6)



All bundled up

SMALL FRY

SNOW (6 OF 6)



Trick riders

*"It's Oglub's boat all
right, but it doesn't
look like Oglub."*





“Now let’s decide which we like best—‘Remember, folks, Klenodent contains anethol.’ or ‘Klenodent contains less anethol than any other leading tooth paste.’”





“You can’t exactly blame her—on a four-day cruise.”



*"Every time I think I've sunk as low
as I possibly can, I sink lower."*



Eldon Dedini (3/7/1953)

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"I think you deserve one, too, Horace, but you know our policy."





"Mike Gordon! This is my lucky day!"

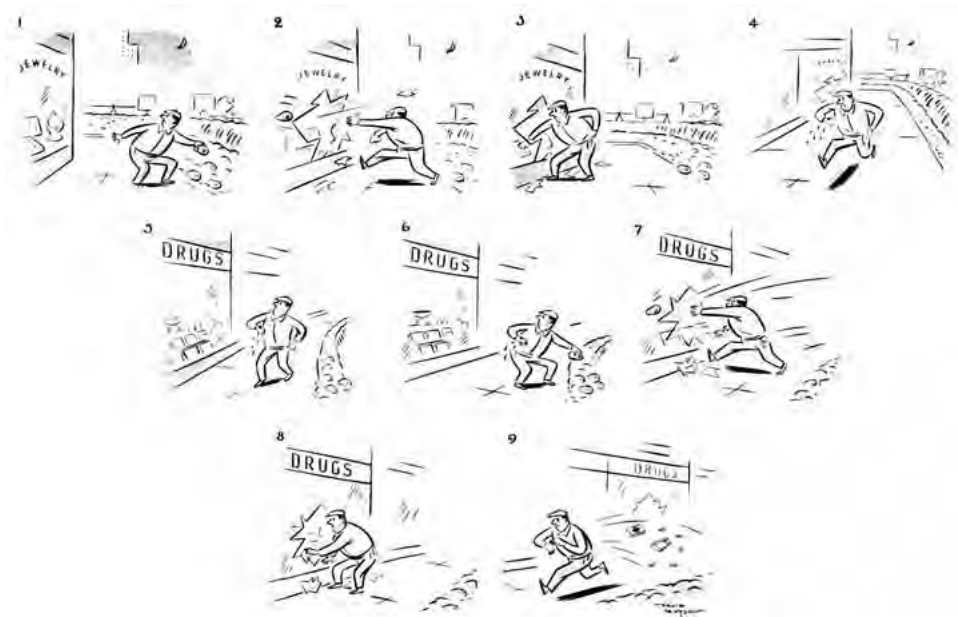


"I'll say this for Harry. He's a good provider, he doesn't run around, and he's never struck me except in self-defense."





"Saw a robin today."





*"Kids our age don't smoke, of course, but I'll tell you one thing.
When I grow up, my cigarette's gonna be Comets, the milder, less
irritating, longer-lasting smoke."*



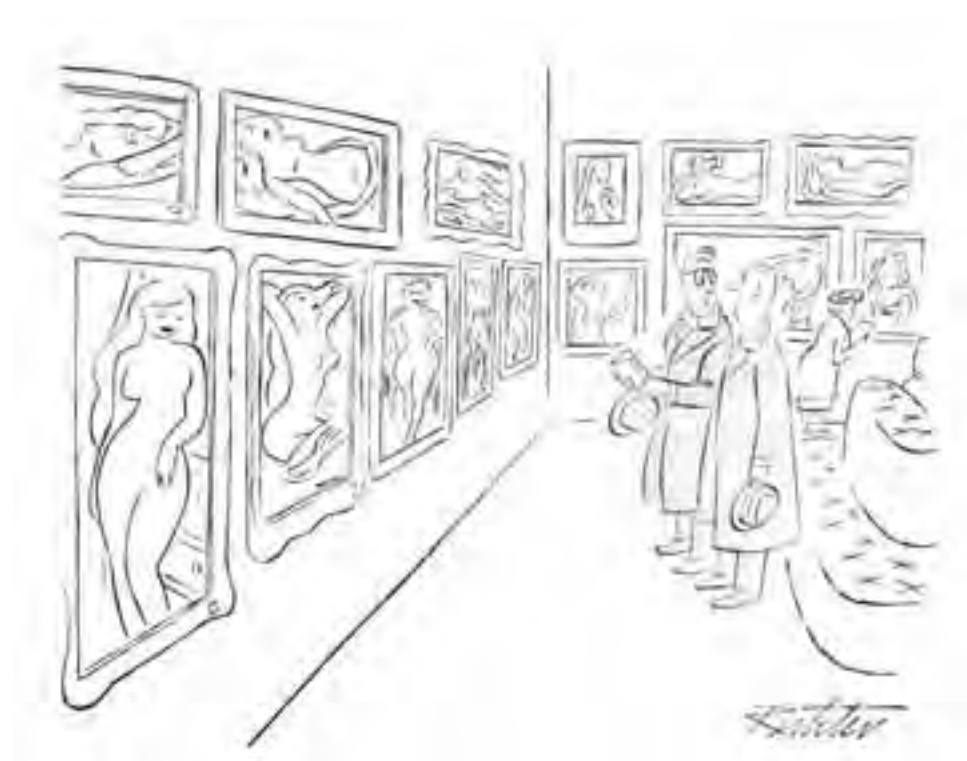
"You weren't? Oh, I'm sorry—there must be something wrong with my speedometer."



"I said you don't know how lucky you are!"



"I hope you realize this isn't the usual analytical empathy, Miss Lupton. I really go for you."



“Technically nobody can touch him—but he has nothing to say.”







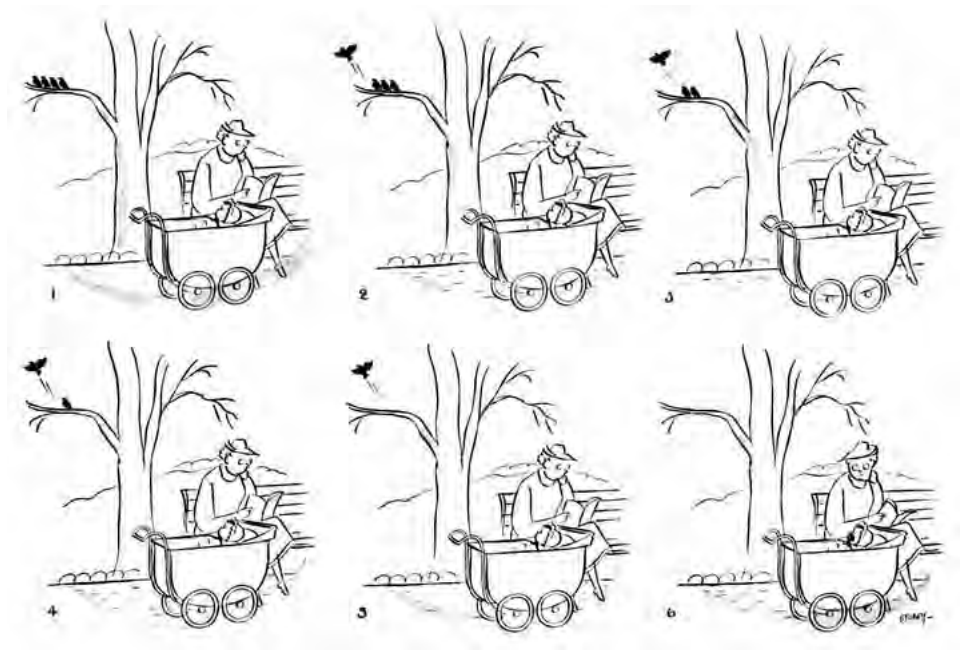
“And there it was, buried exactly where you told me.”







"Delmonico's—and hurry!"





*"I think it's only fair to warn you. There's
a story behind every single item."*



“Would you mind settling a little argument? How many feet of shale rock are we on?”



“Do I irritate you? Do you ever wish you could shut people like me off without leaving your comfortable chair? Well, here’s good news, folks. Now you can, by simply sending for this handy remote-control device . . .”



"Our creditors are certainly in a pretty pickle."

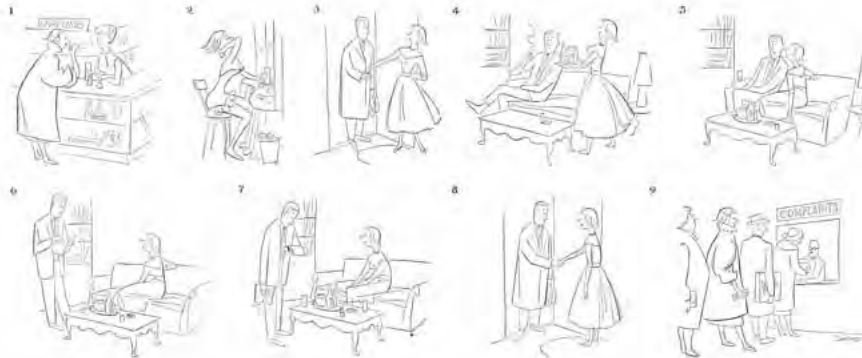


“Boy! What a stinker I’m going to be next year!”



"I always thought it was the Democrats that made them look so grumpy."

1953





"Kindly take us to your President!"



“Where’s the other one?”





“Your Honor, I object!”



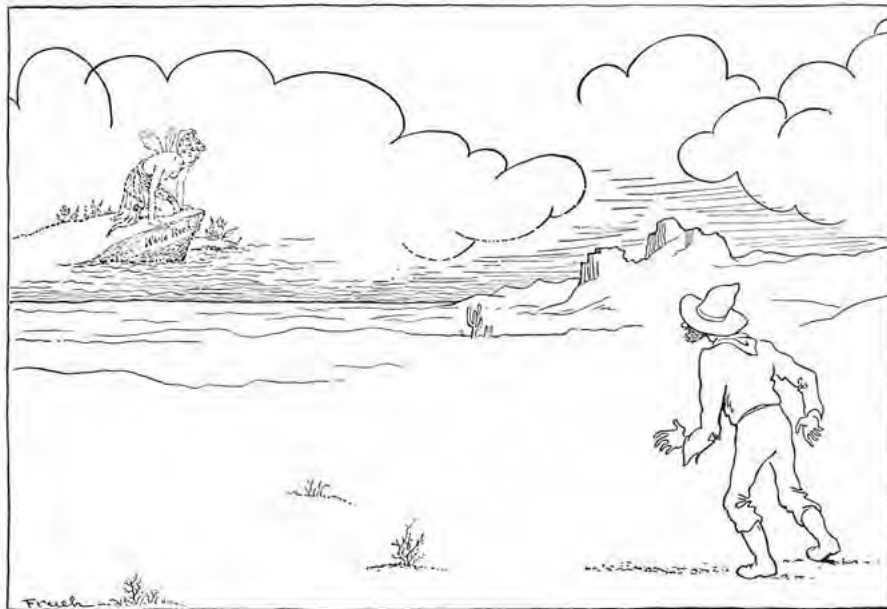
*"In the book, she was wearing a chartreuse taffeta
with matching gloves."*



“O.K., smart guy—move along!”



“Well it’s no wonder they had to raise the price of cigarettes.”





"I thought you packed the trinkets."



“Drain it!”



*“Let’s look at it this way, Mrs. Hayward.
It’s like putting the cart before the horse.”*



"Mrs. Wallace made me take them. She said they were as much ours as theirs."



*"Steinway piano is really tops,
A dandy grand for classical or pops.
Keeps in tune much longer, too.
Steinway piano is the make for you."*



*"Brooks Atkinson said it was awfully good, but
he didn't seem to like it much."*



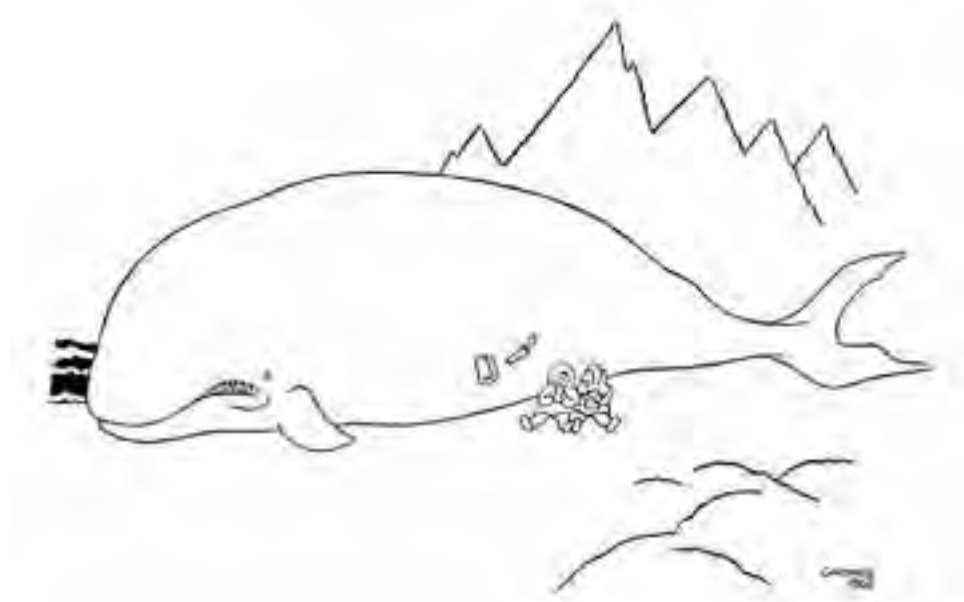
DREAMS OF GLORY
Going Down with the Ship

William Steig (3/28/1953)

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“Oh, no!”



“Are you sure it’s me you love and not just my whale?”





"Spring!"

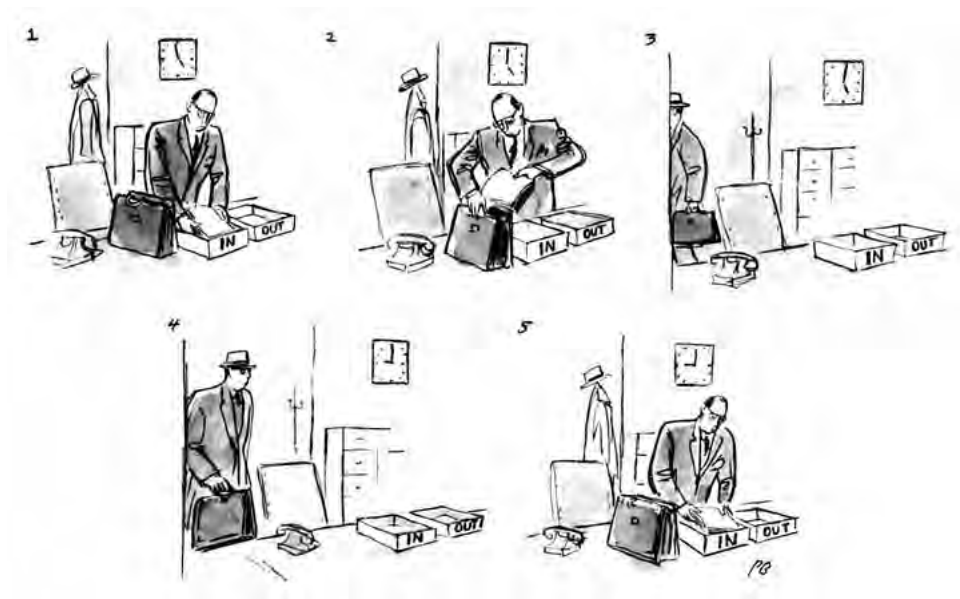


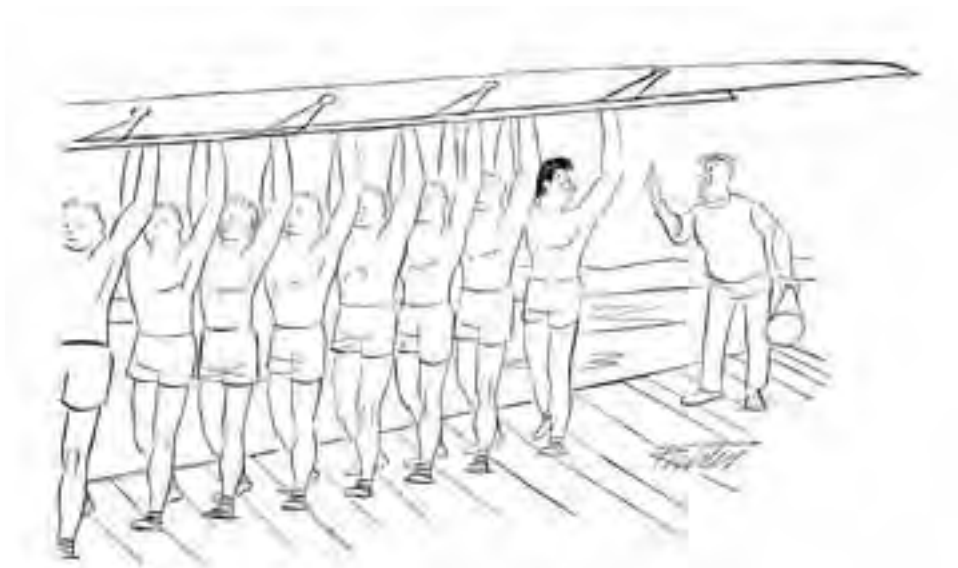


"I'm afraid I haven't been much help to you, Miss. I'm awfully sorry."



"That's the man! I'd know him anywhere."





“Oh, McGregor! Could I have a word with you?”



“How’s this? ‘Buy it, try it, you can’t deny it, Royal Beer’s the best.’”





"Remember, now—you've got to show him who's boss."



“What the hell do you think you’re doing, Mac?”



*“Go easy with this one. That Johnson kid
dropped in a marshmallow bunny.”*



"A motion to eat out has been made and seconded."



"But I want something I'll see on every Tom, Dick, and Harry."

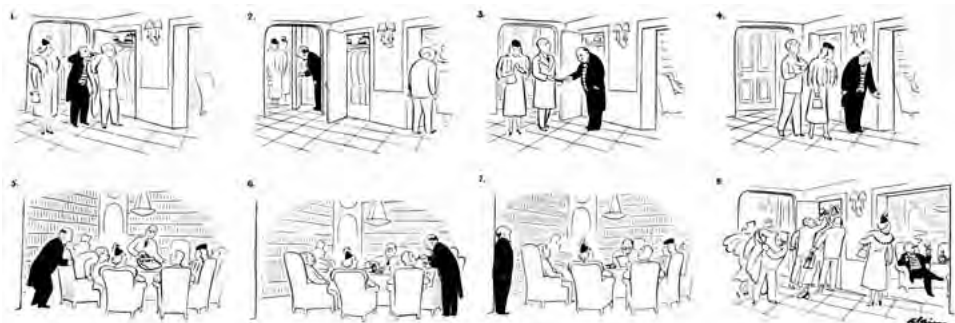


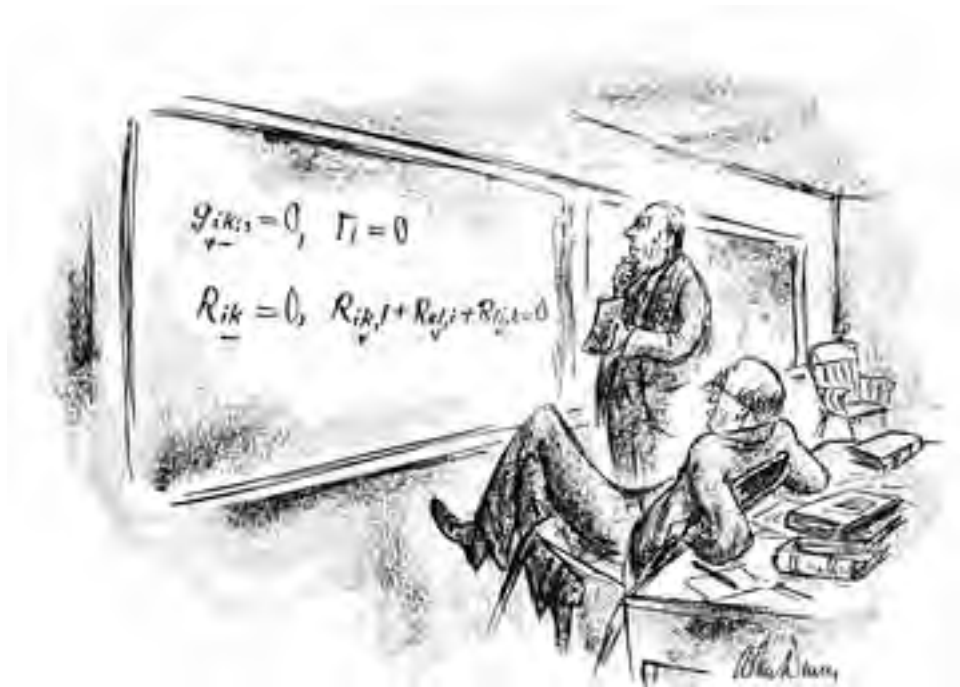
"I wish you were just half as sickening."





*“Tonight at ten—Voice of America—
Rosemary Clooney—pass it on.”*





"By George, you've got to hand it to him. This really wraps it up!"



"It's a painting we've never grown tired of."

1953

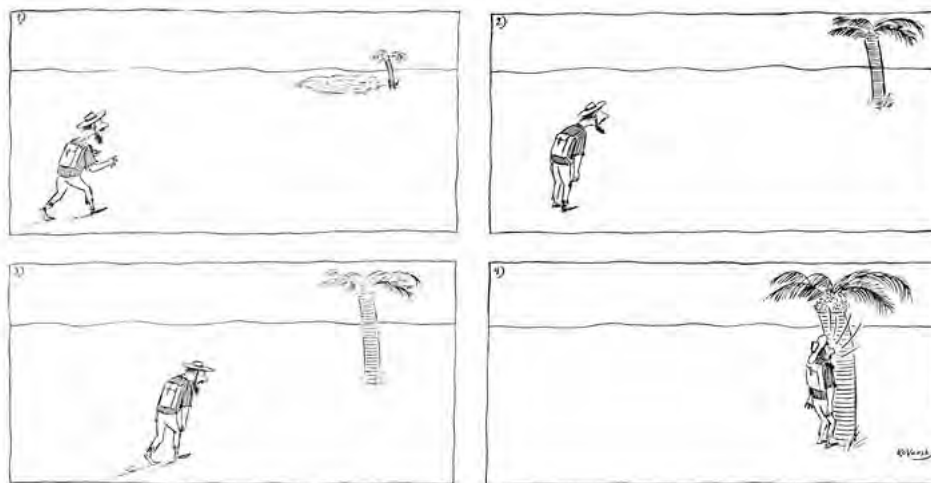


“Don’t pay any attention to that clock. It’s always slow.”





“Go ahead, go to Sam’s Market! Let him suffer for a while!”





"We've already done this room. I remember that fire extinguisher."



"It's a little routine I have with myself. I pretend I'm on the outside looking in."



*"Dad says goodbye too, Son, and wishes
you the best of luck in your new job."*





"Where's Miss America 1973?"



"I found these on the course while I was playing."



"Sure it's a lot of money. But let's never forget one thing—it's counterfeit."



*"For a finishing touch, how about our admitting
that we didn't invent the telephone after all?"*



"Happens every payday."



"I backed up last time."



“Well it happened this way. I was out prospecting for uranium when suddenly my Geiger counter started clicking, and there, coming toward me up the road, was the girl who was to become your mother, wearing a white dress, a straw hat, and a radium-dial wristwatch.”





"I'm sure they don't expect us to tip."



“Well, can’t win ’em all!”

SMALL FRY

PARK PLAYGROUND (1 OF 6)



Hooligans

SMALL FRY

PARK PLAYGROUND (2 OF 6)



Tomboy

SMALL FRY

PARK PLAYGROUND (3 OF 6)



Past-master

SMALL FRY

PARK PLAYGROUND (4 OF 6)



Accident

SMALL FRY

PARK PLAYGROUND (5 OF 6)



Big Sister

PARK PLAYGROUND (6 OF 6)



Neophyte



“What do you do for escape?”



“Remember now—first he marries us, then we leave.”





*"Never mind about its being only 10
P.M. in Honolulu. It's 3 A.M. here!"*







“No question about it, gentlemen, there’s a crying need for just such an investigation as you propose. But the plain fact is we’re all out of senators.”



"Just when do I get endowed with all thy worldly goods?"



*"Jest a-streakin' through space,
Mighty lonely space,
Jest a-thinkin' of you
At the rocket base."*

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3)





"My next prediction . . ."



"He's had enough."



“Oh, dear! They’re starting to grumble at fifteen per cent.”



*“Tell you what—I’ll toss you for it. Heads we’ll name it
Simpsonia tuberosa, tails it’ll be Schwartzia tuberosa.”*



"To tell you the honest truth, I was getting a little stale."



Robert Kraus (4/25/1953)

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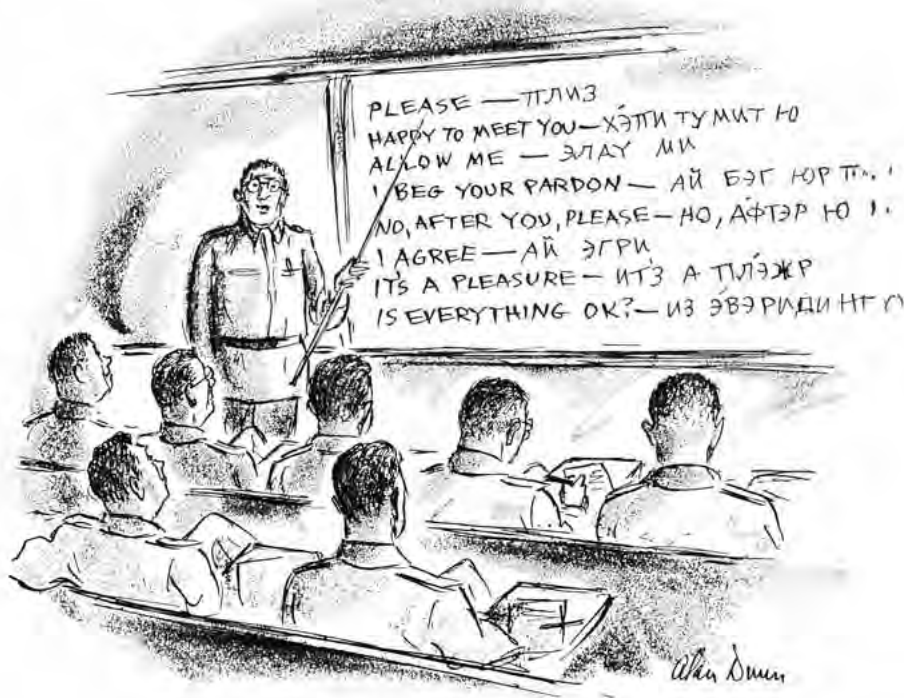


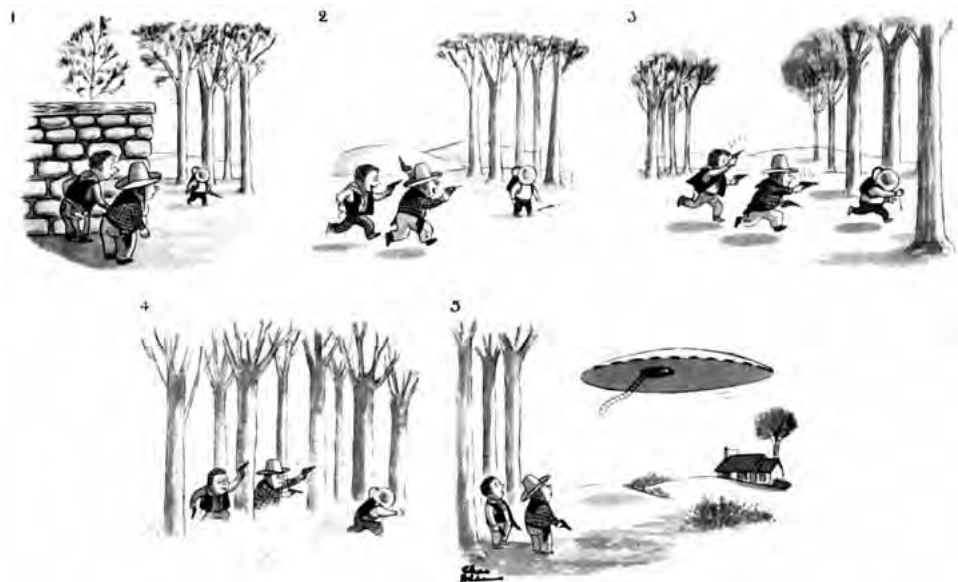
*"They're all good clocks. It just depends
on how much you want to save."*



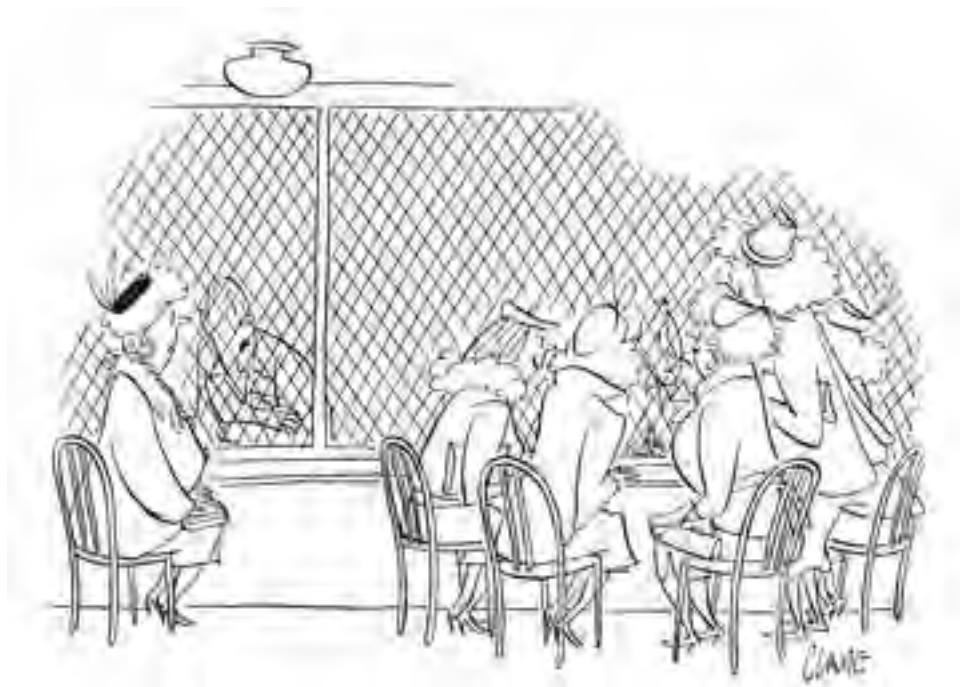


“Say, isn’t that Mrs. Wilson?”







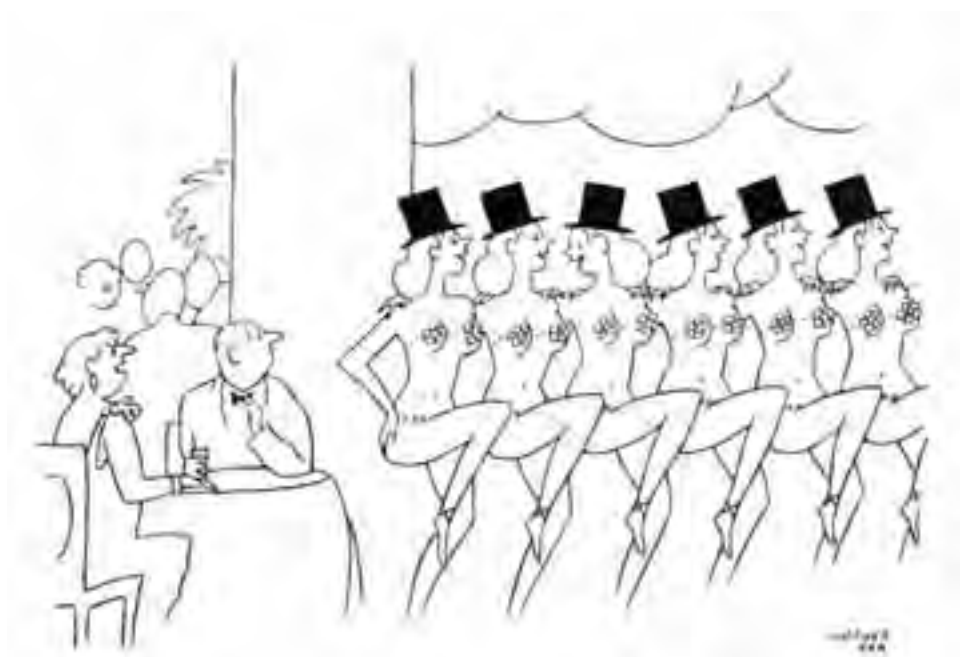


"They all are. That's what he's in for."



"I also ordered a little sign that said 'Please.'"

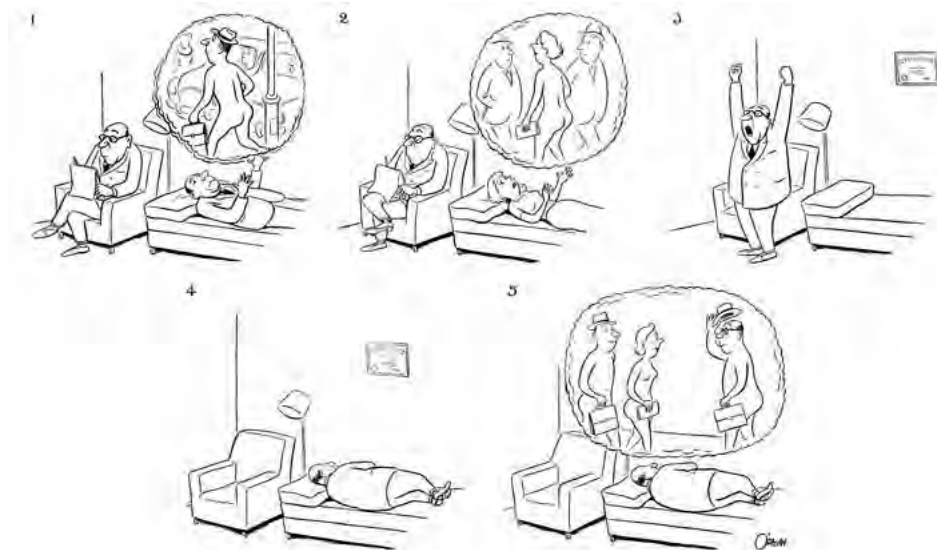




“Well, she apparently knows you.”



“Can you give me my position?”





"Stop right now before you spoil it."







*“Now maybe you can understand six dollars
an ounce for perfume.”*



"Frankly, the contestant sending in the most box tops stands the best chance of winning."





"Well, goodbye weatherman!"



Anatol Kovarsky (5/9/1953)

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“No, no, let them lay, Jones, let them lay!”

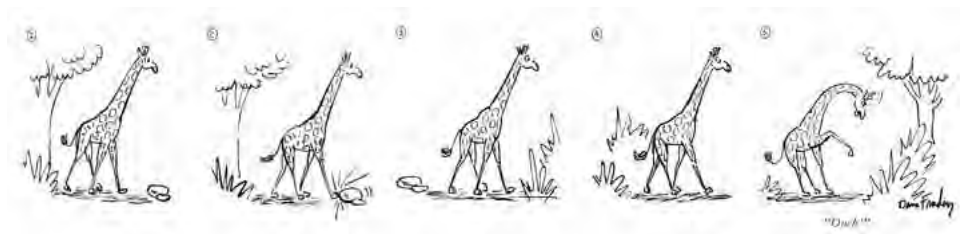


“Mr. Thompson, please! I’m a Democrat.”

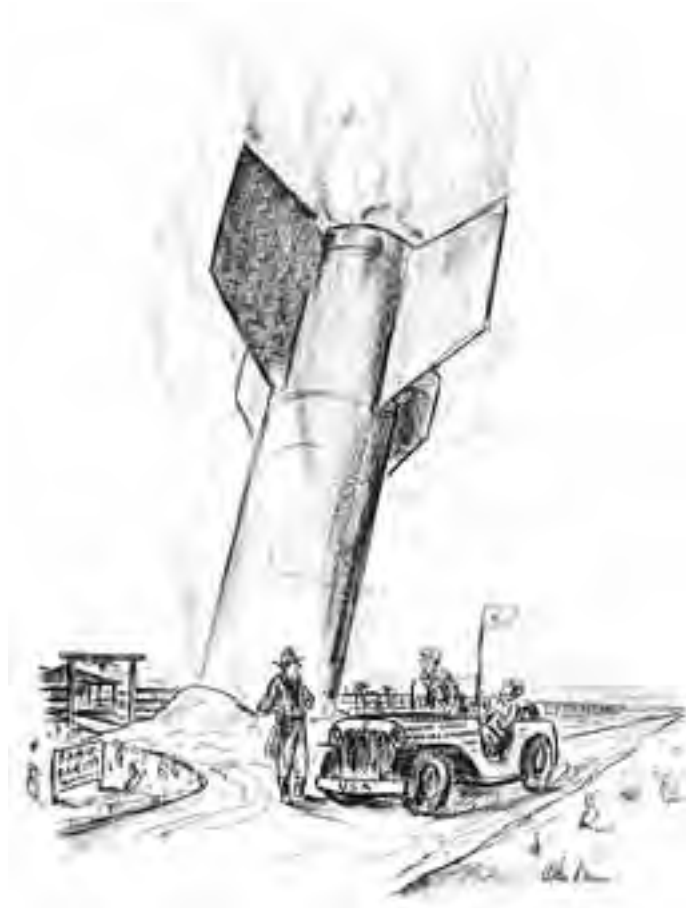


“... and we also wish we could find guilty whoever is responsible for the meals we’ve been having.”





"Ouch!"



"I'm afraid we owe you an apology."



“Where are all those friends you sit up with when they’re sick?”



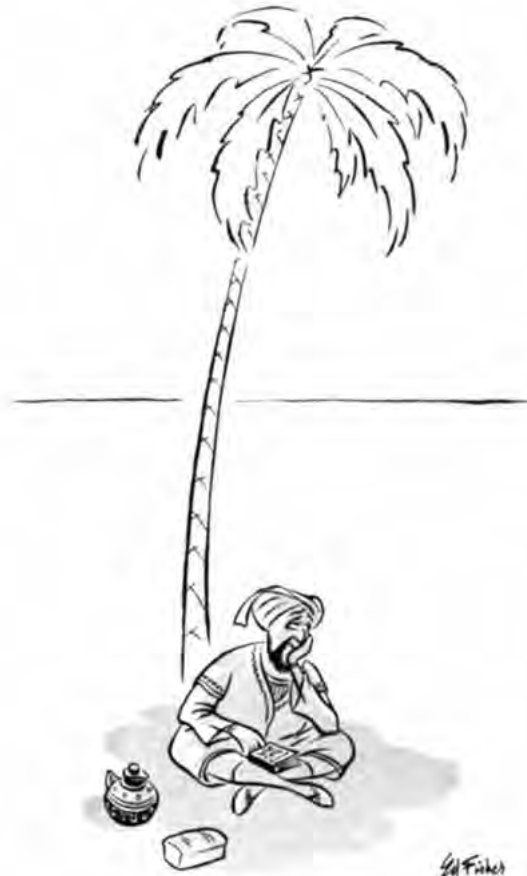
"You're through here, Meadows. Clean out your desk, get your money from the cashier, and turn in your trench coat."



"If you really loved me, you'd at least try to escape."



"He's certainly got your number!"





"Death ray, fiddlesticks! Why, it doesn't even slow them up."





“Mr. Chairman, when I accepted assignment to this committee, it was with the distinct understanding that the hearings were to be televised.”



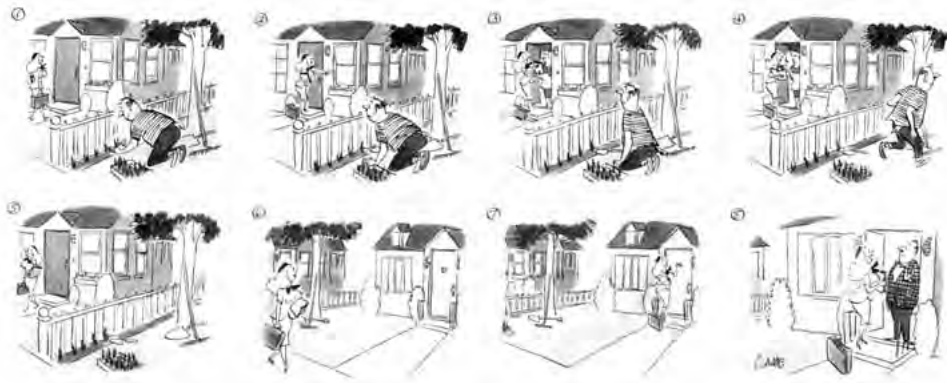


“Give the Edna Ferbers an especially good dusting.”





"It's delicious. What happened?"





"Coming from Connecticut, this must make you feel right at home."



“Does this by any chance refresh your memory?”



*“Girls, I’d like you to meet the Reverend Dr.
Hopkins, your summer replacement.”*



"They're called the commissar of beasts."





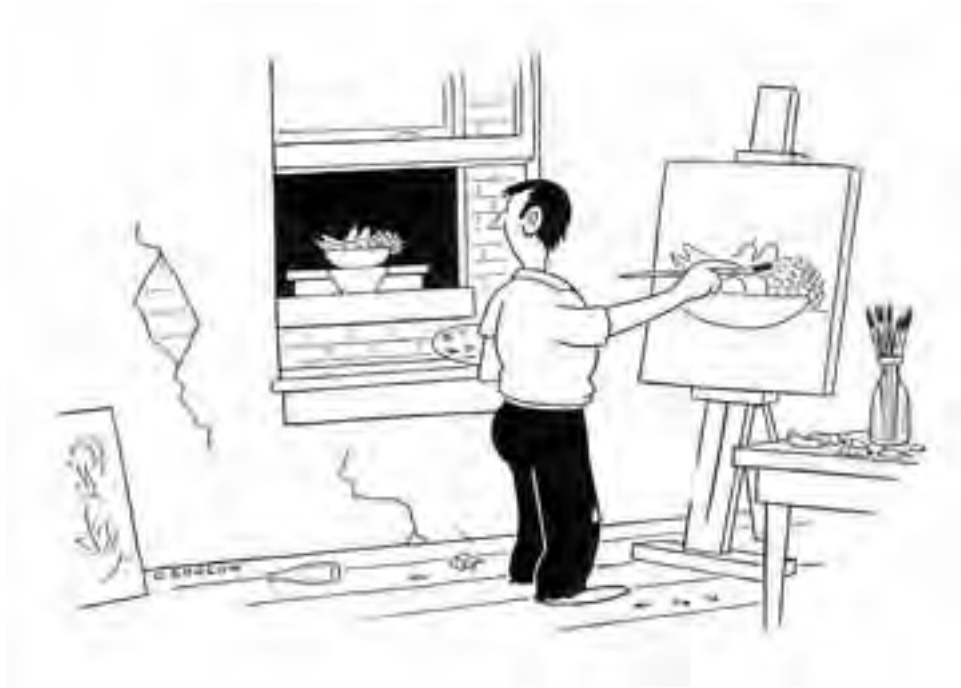


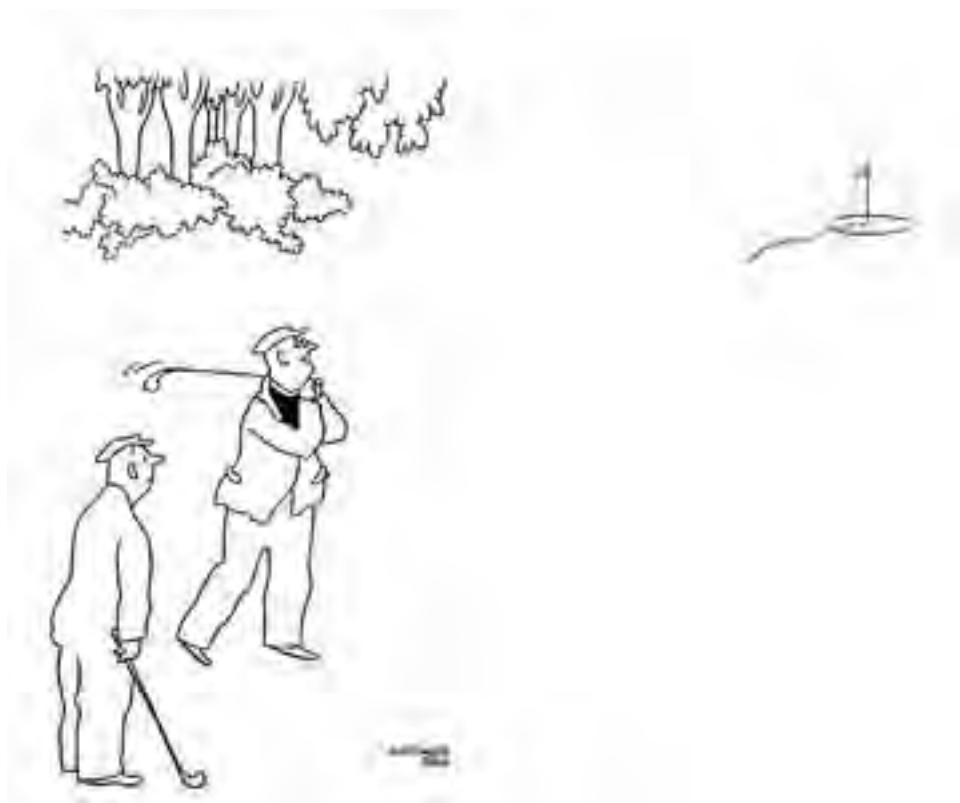
“Come, come! One of you must be next.”





"First class here, tourist at the other end of the island."

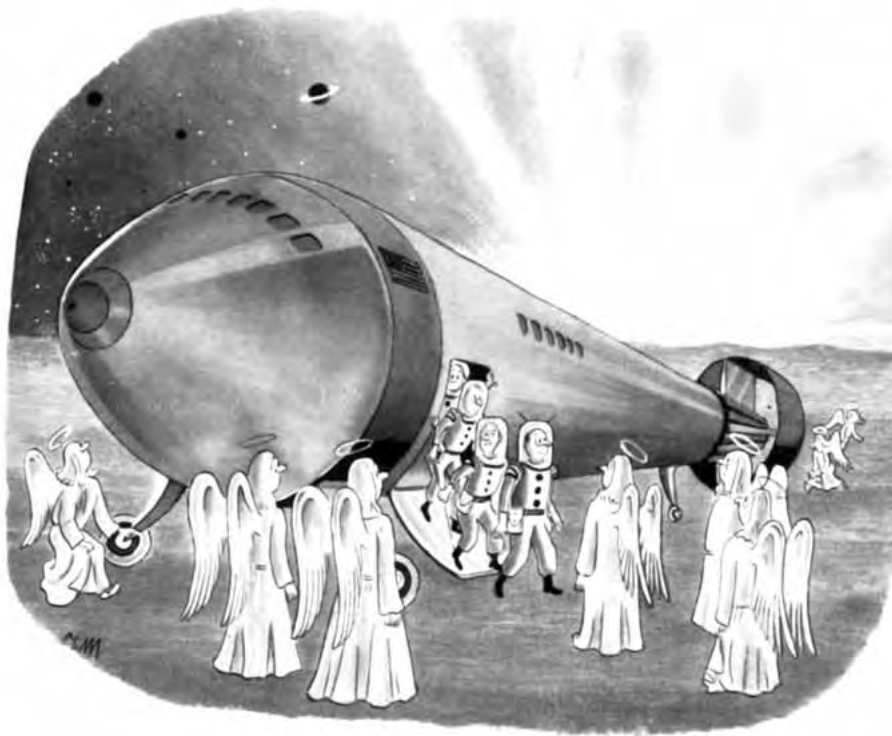




“My! Will miracles never cease!”



“For heaven’s sake, Charlie, give him the quarter.”



SMALL FRY

NURSERY SCHOOL (I OF 7)



Art

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NURSERY SCHOOL (2 OF 7)



Special Project

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NURSERY SCHOOL (3 OF 7)



Nap time

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NURSERY SCHOOL (4 OF 7)



Engineering and architecture

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NURSERY SCHOOL (5 OF 7)



Nature study

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NURSERY SCHOOL (6 OF 7)



Percussion orchestra

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NURSERY SCHOOL (7 OF 7)



Rhythms



“What do you mean mine are upside down?”



"Damn it, Henderson, that was supposed to be a coffee break!"



"I'm sorry, sir. That isn't my restaurant."



“Now for you folks who like to step into the kitchen for a snack during commercials—be sure to try Kwik-Spred, the smooth, flavor-packed cheese spread in the handy glass jar . . .”





"I've just about resigned myself to your getting twenty years."



*"You'll notice that old Thompson makes quite
a thing of his fifty-one per cent."*



“Oh, hurry it up, Alice. After all, they’re not going to be looking at you.”





“Me friend . . .”

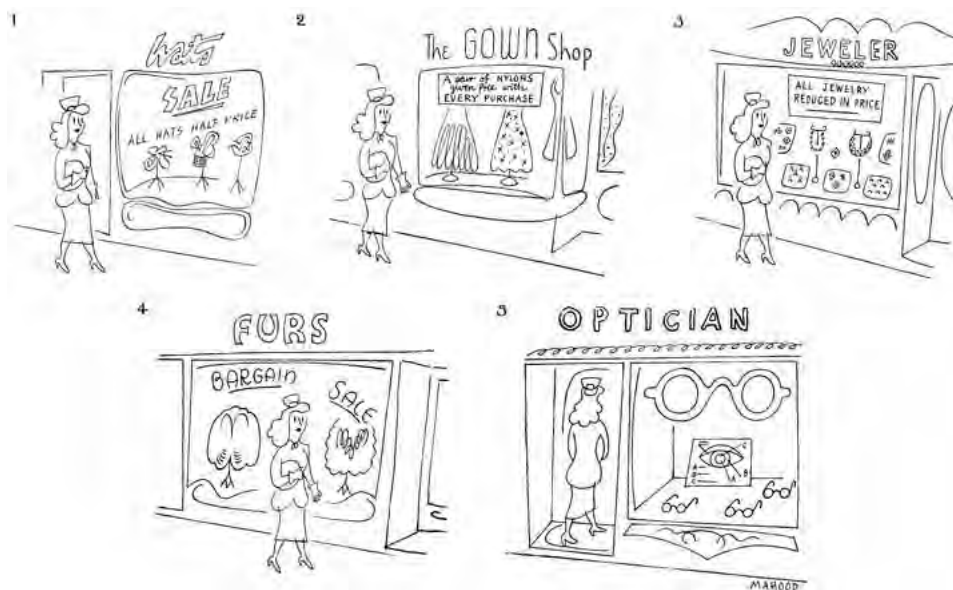




“And why don’t you love me, if I might ask?”



"It was a nice commission. They let me eat the dove."





*"I've dug up one thing in my investigations so far, Chief.
Your department head is looking into you."*



*“... a beer that’s right ... a sheer delight ... day or night
... kite ... bright ... try it tonight ...”*



"At least in a movie you might be sitting next to someone."

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"I'm afraid he got the better of the deal."



“See, I told you they couldn’t do any worse than say no.”





"Want to know something, Dad?"



"May we try the dinette for size?"



*"It's certainly refreshing to find someone who's
interested in something besides sports."*



“Say, George, can I borrow your car? Have to pick up Grandmother at the station.”

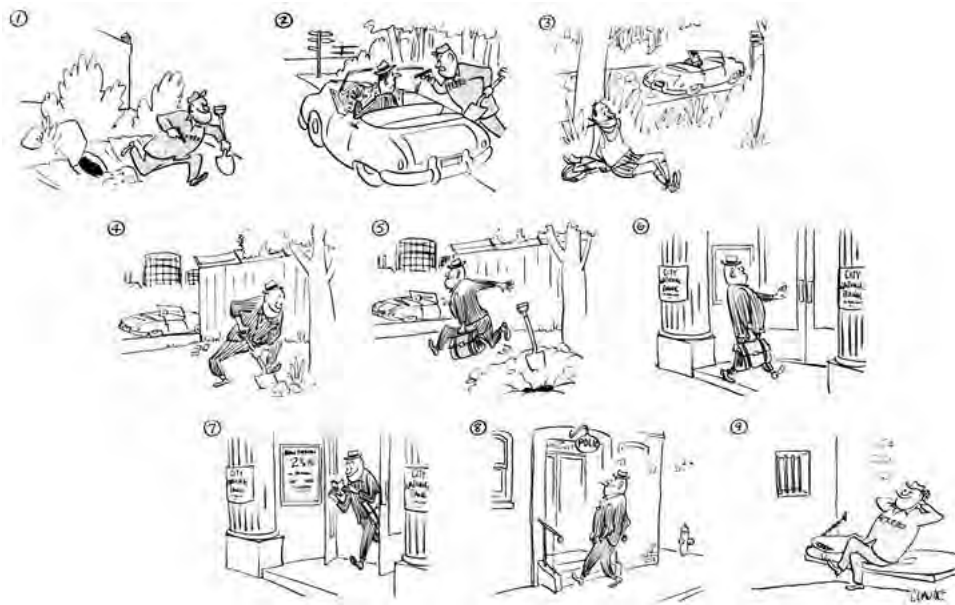




“It was at Potsdam, I think, or maybe it was Yalta—one of the most wonderful soufflés I ever tasted.”



“Yes, sir! That boy and I are going to be great pals.”

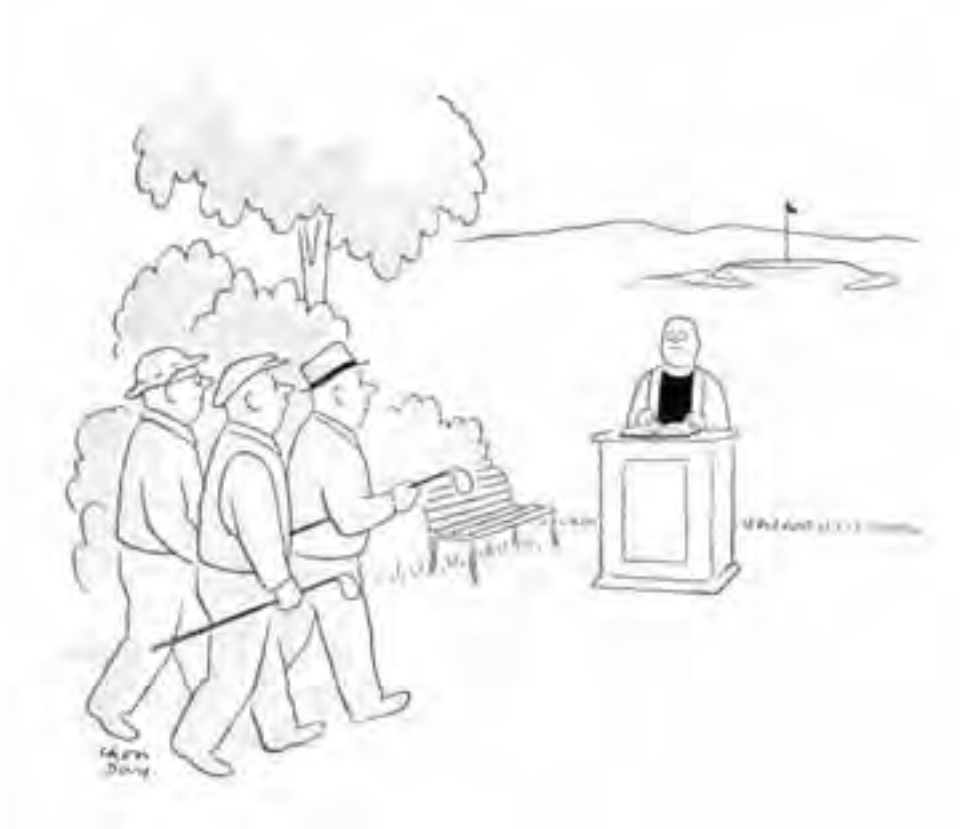




*“Why, Captain Morley, you decided not to go
down with the ship after all!”*



"I'm afraid we're stymied. He absolutely refuses to accept custody."





"The agreement, as I remember it, Mr. Plitz, was for room and board and telephone privileges."



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"I give up, Robert. What does have two horns, one eye, and creeps?"





“Where’s the dough?”



“Generally speaking, your novel is quite good, but everyone here feels that the New Orleans bordello scenes lack authenticity.”





*"The gentleman on the next bench wonders if you'd
care to join him in a little drink."*





"There she goes—ninety days to the day."





"That's the kind of man I'm going to marry."



“For a freshman senator, he’s had tremendous recognition—‘Meet the Press,’ ‘Youth Wants to Know,’ and now I understand he’s going on ‘Capitol Cloakroom.’”









“Say, why don’t we stick up this place?”



"Oh, oh! I've got a hunch we're in for trouble."



George Price (6/20/1953)

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"I think we can be congratulated on our foresight in voting ourselves these increases, thus assuring to the corporation our continuing loyal services."





“In the box behind me, a little to the left. A salt-and-pepper tweed with matching scarf that’s really a dream!”





"You haven't said a pleasant word in two days!"





"A four for me."



"I mean six."



"It's the way I've always dreamed of it—just you and me, a million miles from everyone. Then I ruin everything by forgetting my cigarettes."





"Just think, dear—we're abroad!"



"What ever in the world is that?"



"Maybe I'd get somewhere if you'd stop nagging and start inspiring."

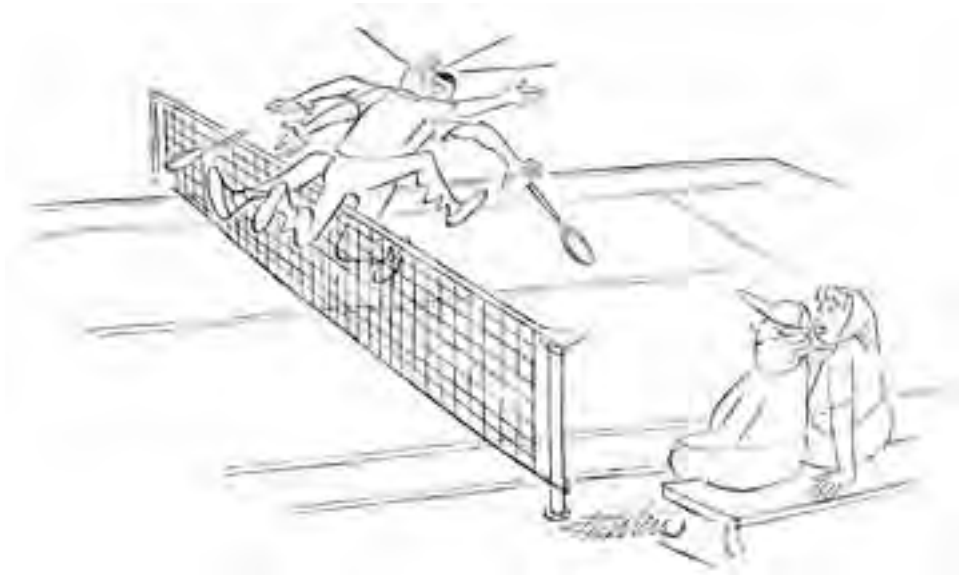




"I'm sorry, sir. All sales are final."



"Can I be honest with you?"



“Harry can never remember whether it’s the winner or the loser who’s supposed to jump over the net.”



“Oh dear! It isn't just some damned-fool advertisement.”

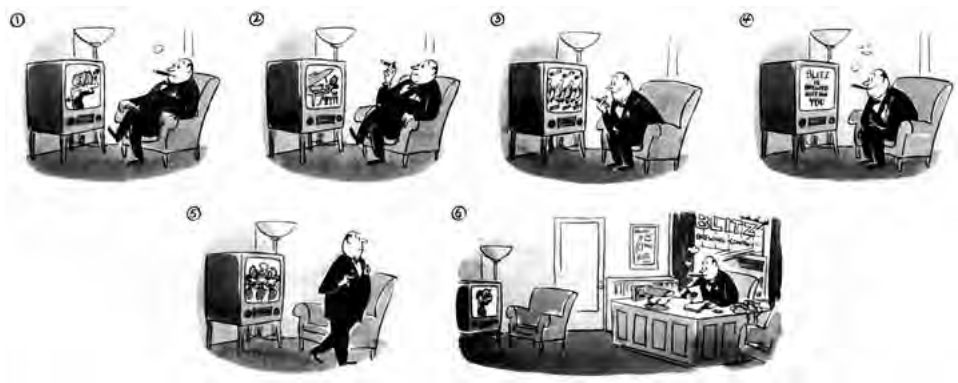




*“Now stop fretting, dear. If you did have one,
it would just get in your way.”*



*“Good grief, man, didn’t you even stop to consider
divorce as a solution to your problem?”*





“But, dear, these people are our friends.”



"Know what I think? I think you're way ahead of your time."



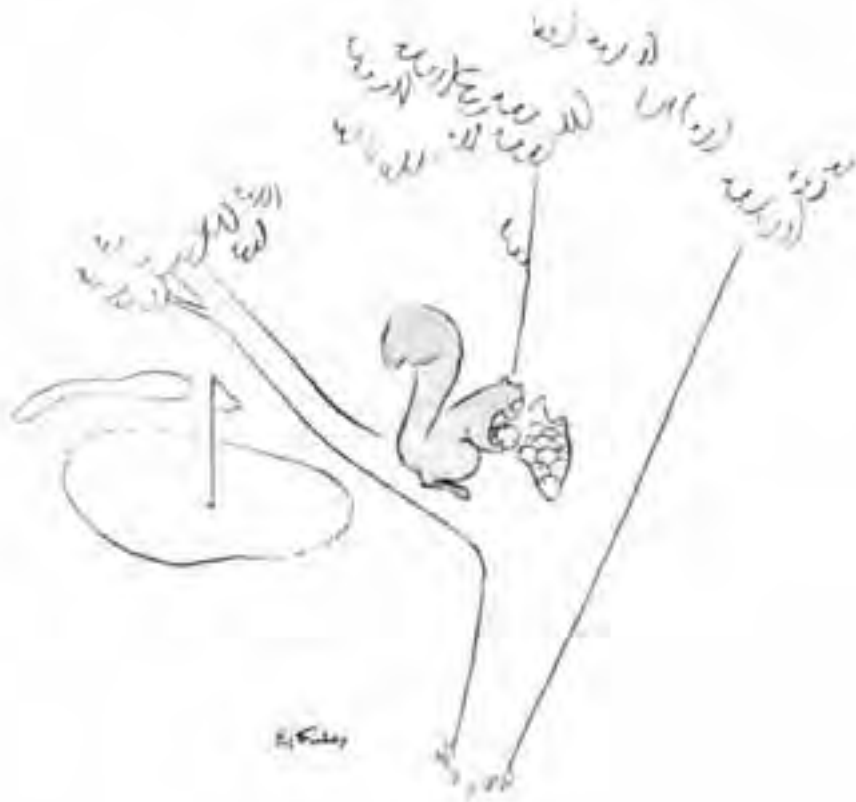
*"Let's run through the points in favor. First,
it's accessible. We got here—right?"*

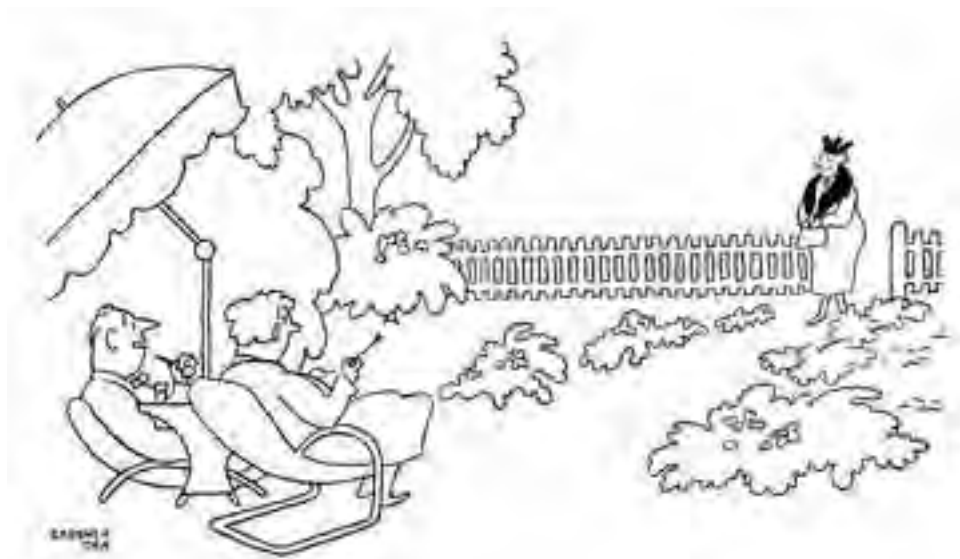




“And what if the Coca-Cola people don’t want it?”

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"Well, now for the news behind the news."



*"I'm sick and tired of you people in long-range forecasting
forever changing your vacation schedules."*

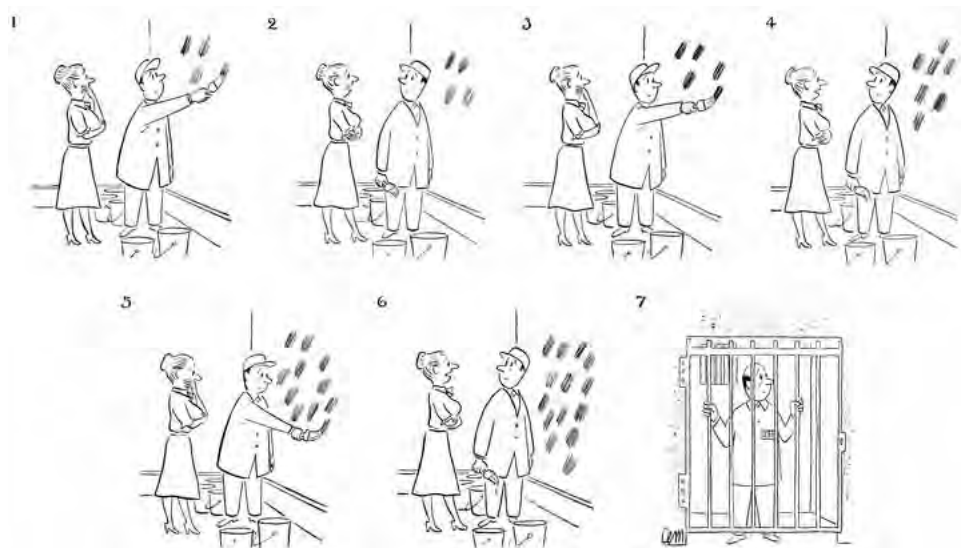


"That's odd. The salesman seemed comfortable in it."





“Well, really!”





*“So we have to move! Am I supposed to be
in charge of the tides or something?”*



"We've lost our tour."



“Un-American, eh?”





“My goodness, Mr. Foster, what happened to all the others?”





"I think he's had enough."





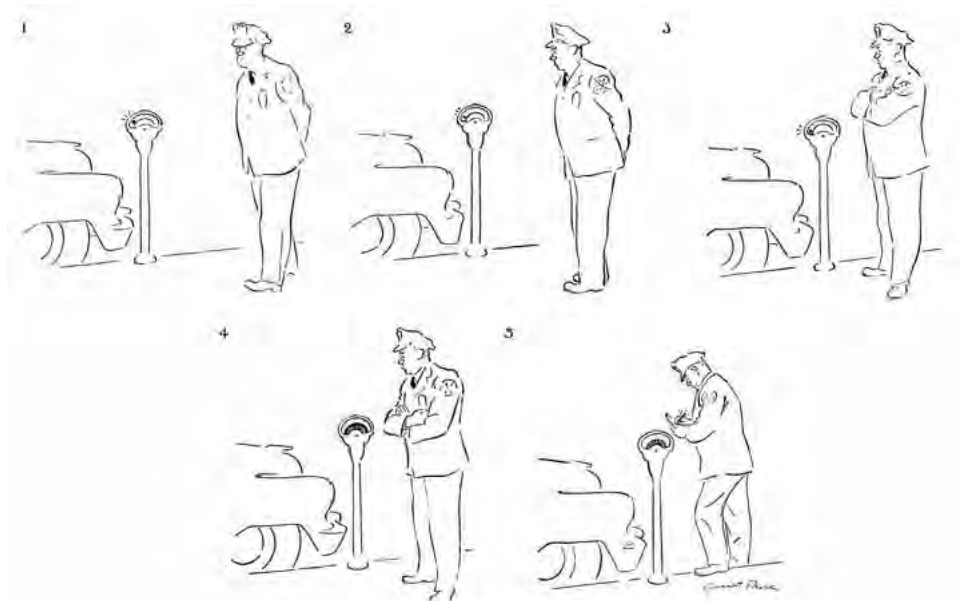
"You did hurt me!"



"We'd like to hire an all-girl quartet."



"Try f11 at 1/50."





“And so we say goodbye to beautiful New England.”





“Oh, Donald, I do hope you’re going to make me a good husband.”



*"I beg pardon, but am I correct in thinking that the
scent you're wearing is Invitation?"*



*“... at the Astor, ‘Stalag 17;’ at the Roxy, ‘Gentlemen Prefer Blondes;’
at the Music Hall, ‘The Band Wagon;’ at the Paramount, ‘The Charge at
Feather River;’ at the Mayfair ...”*

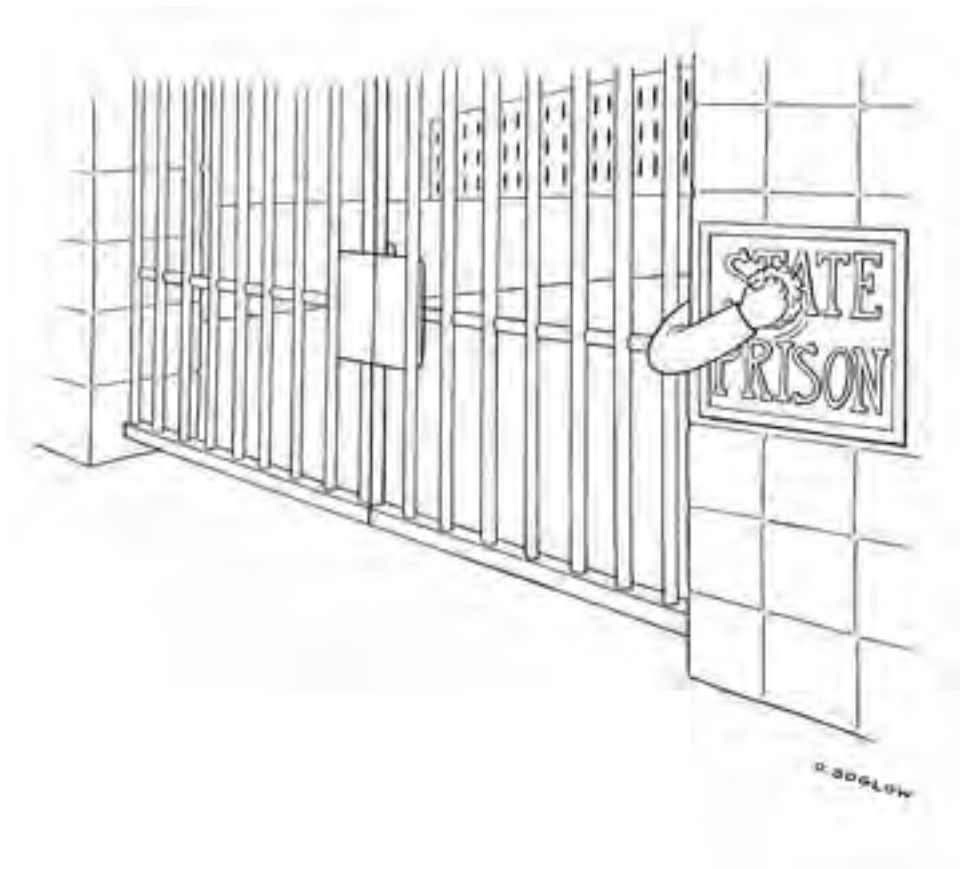


Saul Steinberg (7/18/1953)

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"I'm not coming back next year."





“Darling, this is Bob Burton. I just lost the house, you, and everything else to him in a poker game.”



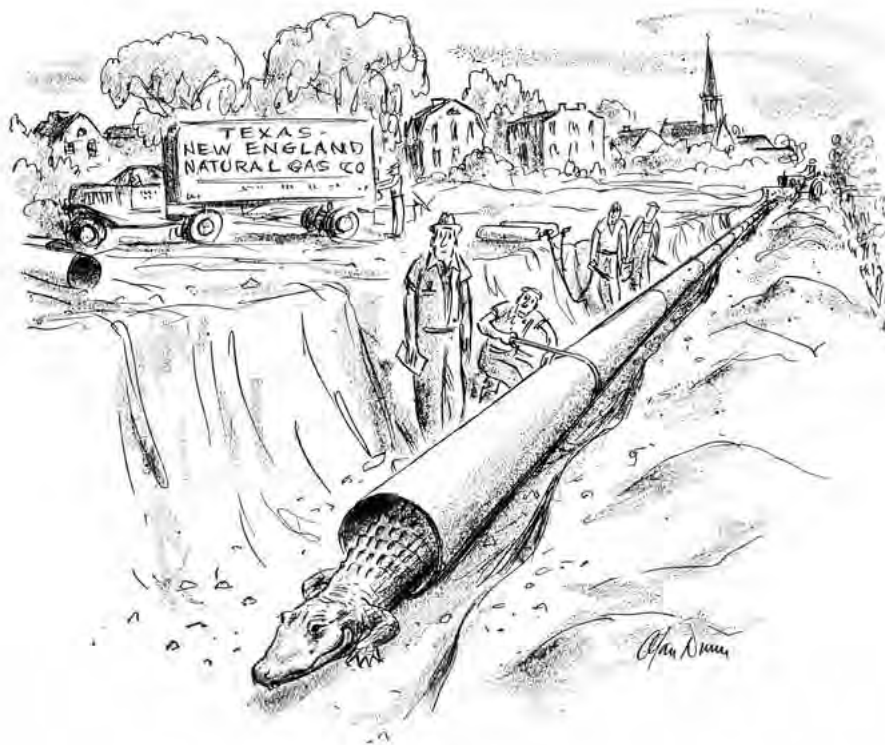


“Will you catch four or five more, dear? The Baxters just dropped in.”





"To all department heads: 'Don't slap me on the back. I'm sunburned. M.J.W.'"





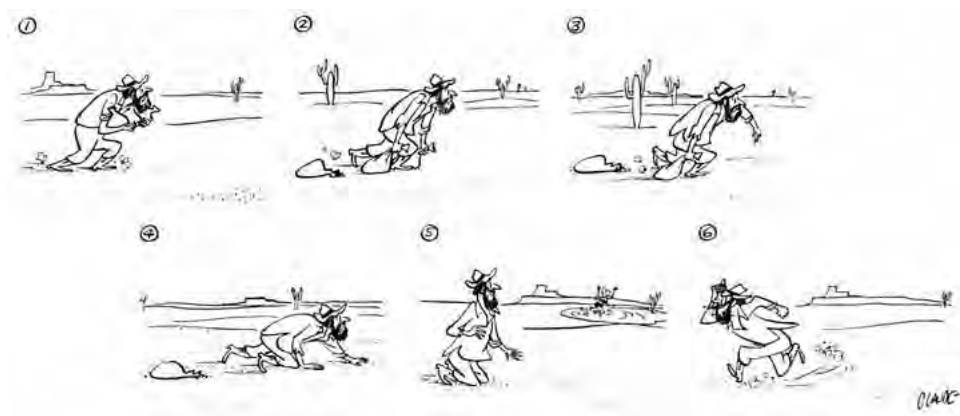
"How's the barbecue chicken?"



“Well, if it doesn’t pay, why don’t you go into something else?”



"Now, this one isn't worth a cent over eight hundred."





"I played on Notre Dame."



"What's management's side of the story?"



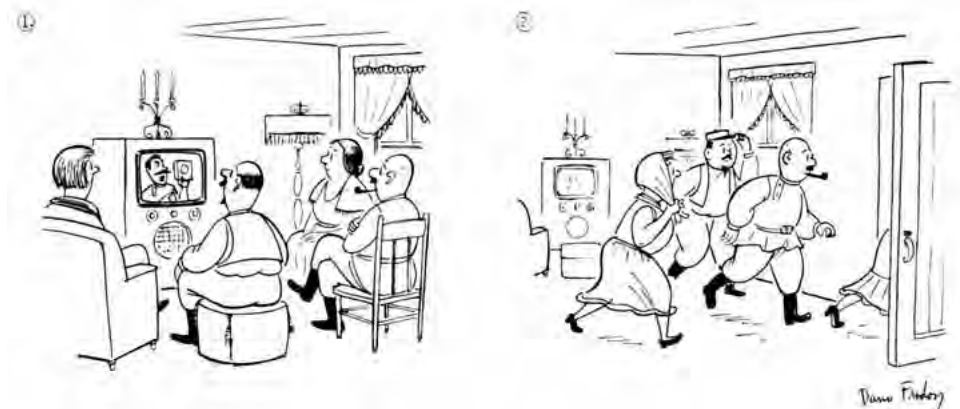


"Let's just squeeze this one on for size."



“You know the trouble with the beach? You can’t tell who people really are.”





*"And so, Comrades, rush right
down to your local commissary and
buy a box without delay."*



“Shouldn’t there be bars or a moat or something between us and him?”







"You look so cool I could murder you."



“Ladies and gentleman, and distinguished guests . . .”





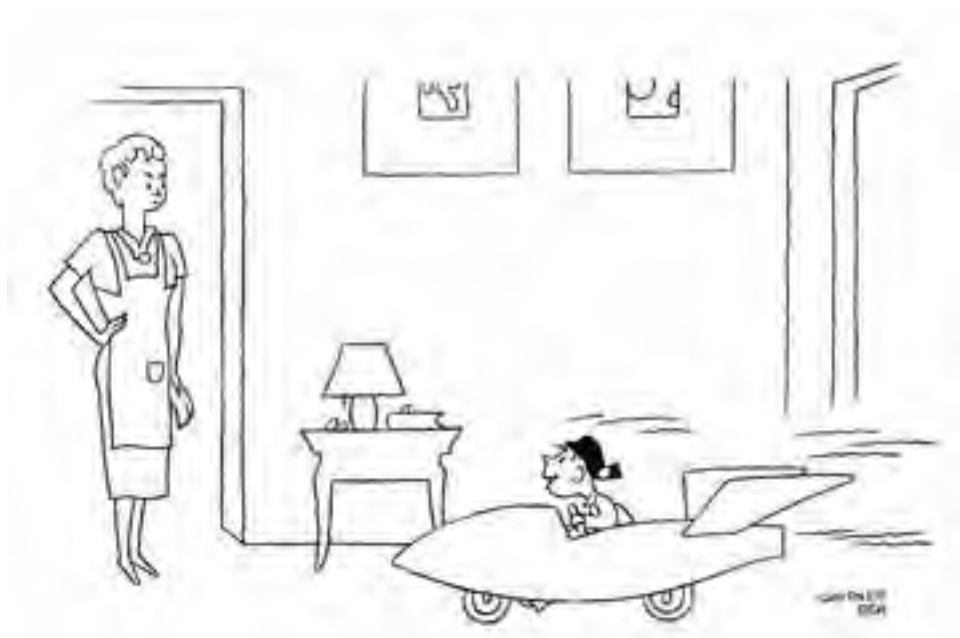
"Damn it, Alice, can't you leave well enough alone!"



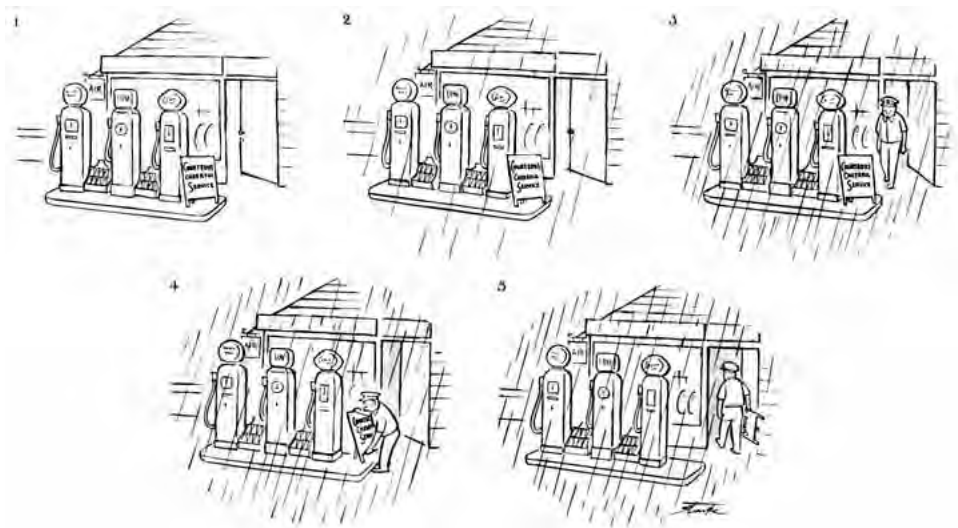
"It certainly makes one realize how insignificant you are."



"Hya, Hon. I'm a baseball fan."



“Sorry, I can’t hear you, Mom—this job’s supersonic.”





“Oh, dear! He’s furious!”



Robert J. Day (8/1/1953)

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"How was the cake?"



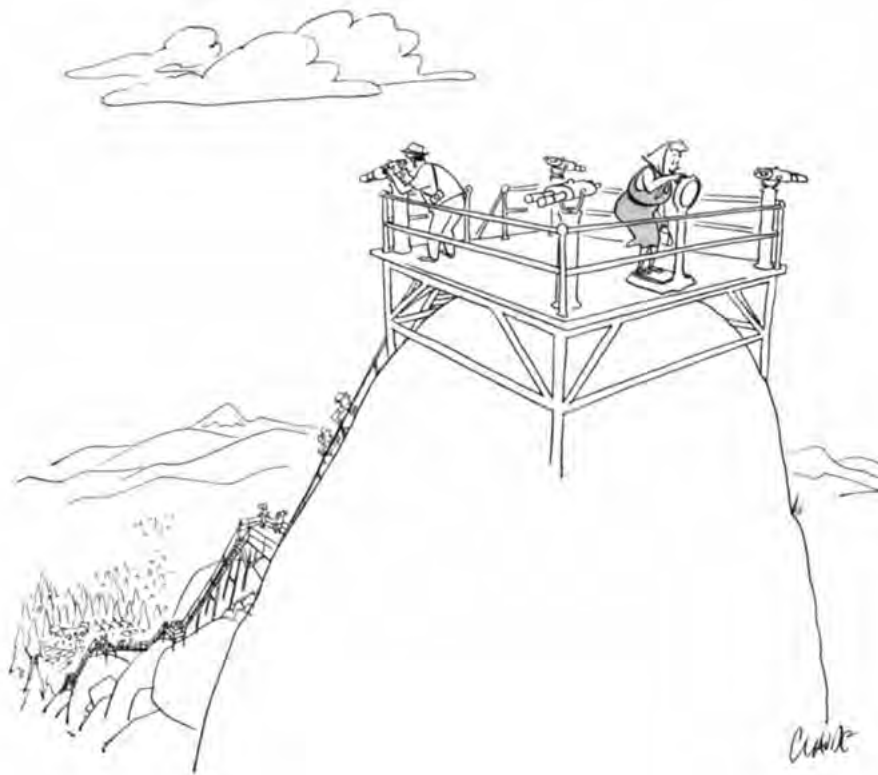
“Oh, Dad likes you O.K. He Just thought the electric bill was a little steep last month.”



"I'm not interested! . . . How much is it?"



“Sleep!”





“Où est le feu?”





"Sure, go right ahead and interrupt. The man only gets ten thousand dollars an hour to entertain me."





"You give me a kind of religious feeling."





"A gentleman across the street phoned to present his compliments and wonders if you would have dinner with him tonight."



"Good heavens, man, your heart is breaking!"







*"You've got to remember that what it
does to you isn't important."*







*“Just a minute! Professor Einstein here
will explain the whole thing to us.”*



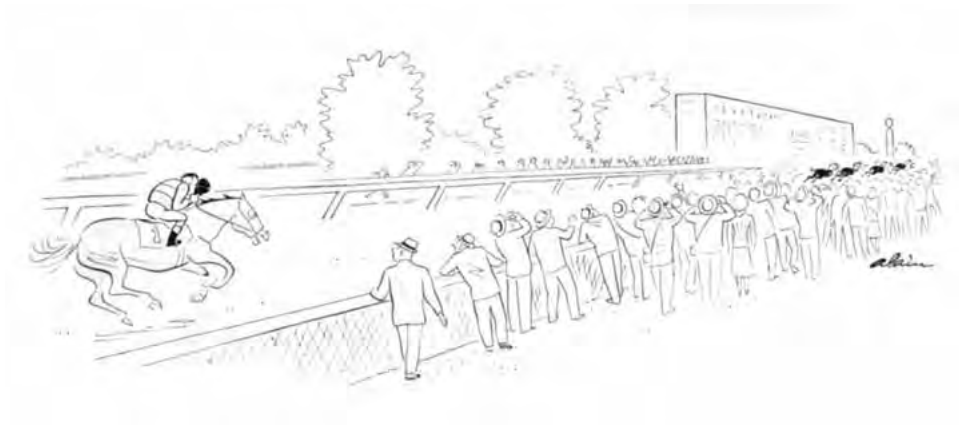
"I admire a man who has the courage of his convictions, Jenkins, but don't let me see you around here again in those damn shorts!"



“Next time the speedometer is about to turn over another thousand miles, maybe you’ll keep quiet about it!”



"I've always thought of a ranch house as having more yard space."





“Of course, with the cheaper arrow, if it falls to earth you know not where, you’re only out thirty-eight cents.”



*“Grab a mitt. The world situation won’t deteriorate any faster
because you get in a little one o’ cat.”*





“Damn it, Miss Martin, I’m talking to myself.”





“Remember, now, you promised—no television.”





"I'm going nuts. If one says 'Yes,' the other says 'No.' If one says 'No,' the other says 'Yes.'"



“Try to make this one picture you don’t cut the heads off in!”



"Say! Why don't we just print our own Lucky Bucks?"



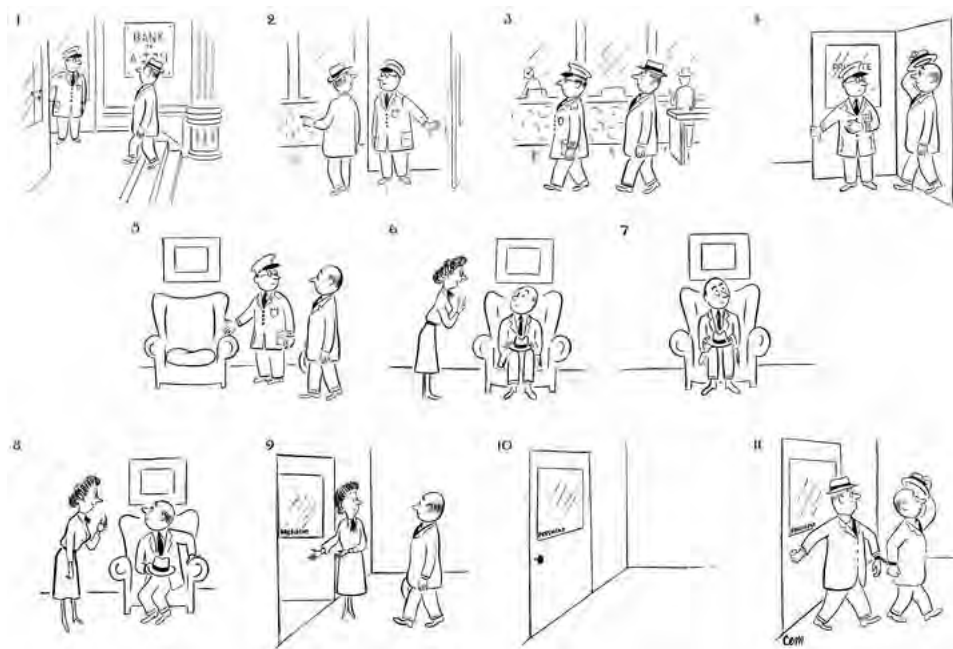
Robert Kraus (8/22/1953)

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"The same as his."







"Marge, look! Fellows!"





"I'll bet Captain Video never went around death-raying his mother."



“Now just say the first thing that comes into your mind.”



"You do too have 'Harper's Bazaar'!"



*"You know what? I'm beginning to
wonder if he is Duncan Hines."*



"This is for you, dear."





"You are not going to bring that out here!"





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"They're willing to renew after all!"



“Well, you don’t look happy.”





"Godspeed, Pedro."

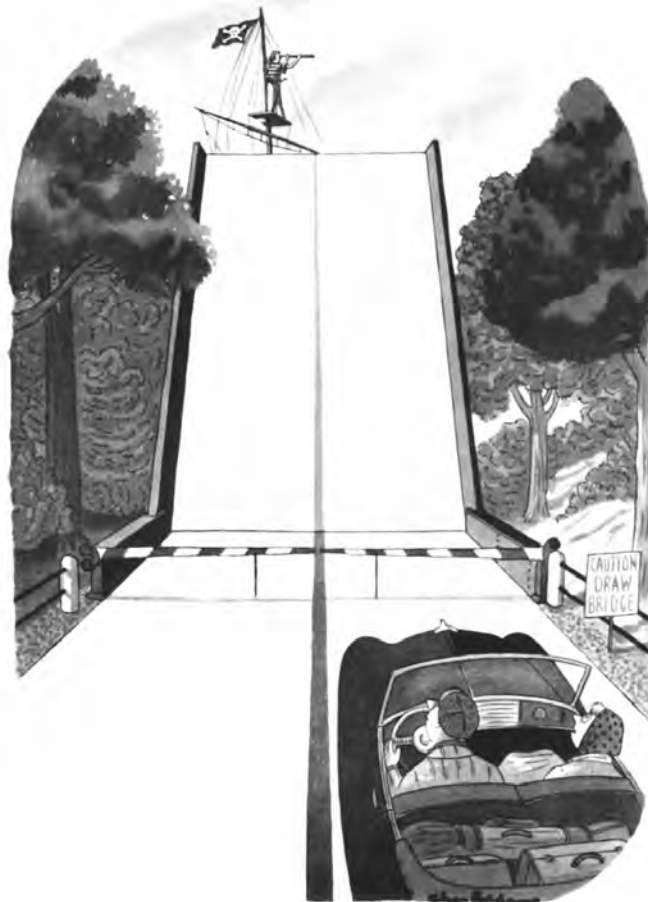




"I think it's high time she chose between them."



*"Sometimes I wonder if we're ever going to get any
pleasure out of our picture window."*





"Martha, I can't find a damned thing!"



*“Yes, sirree, it’s easy to see who didn’t eat his Snappos this morning.
Snappos, that energy-giving, muscle-building cereal . . .”*



*"Nope, I can't say I ever heard of any place around here called Mars.
Nearest place to here is Dry Gulch, New Mexico."*



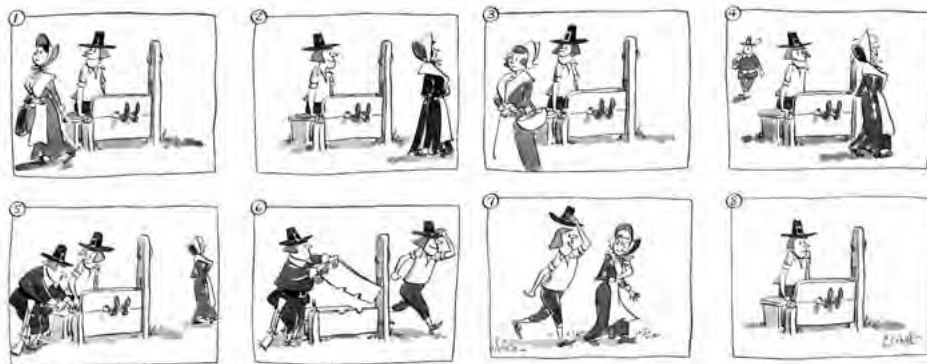
“The tall one by the diving board is Larry Soames. He said he was an architect. The one in the blazer is George Martin, who claimed he was a chemist with du Pont. The one standing next to him is a fellow from Flushing who told us he was getting out of law school next year.”

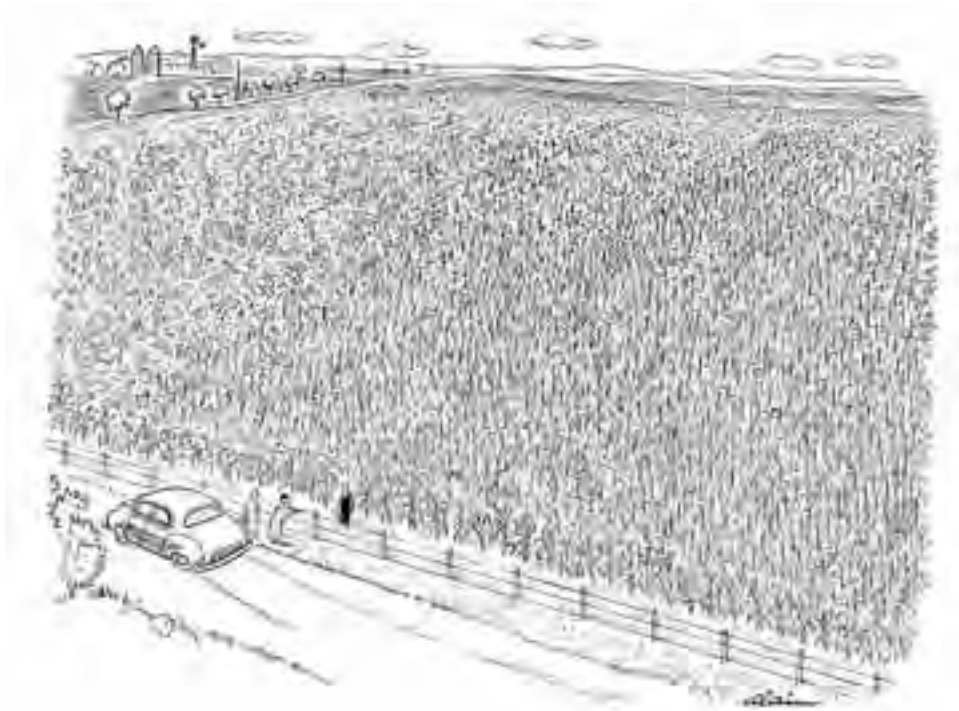






*“Suppose you try to start my car. I’ll stay here
and blow your horn for you.”*

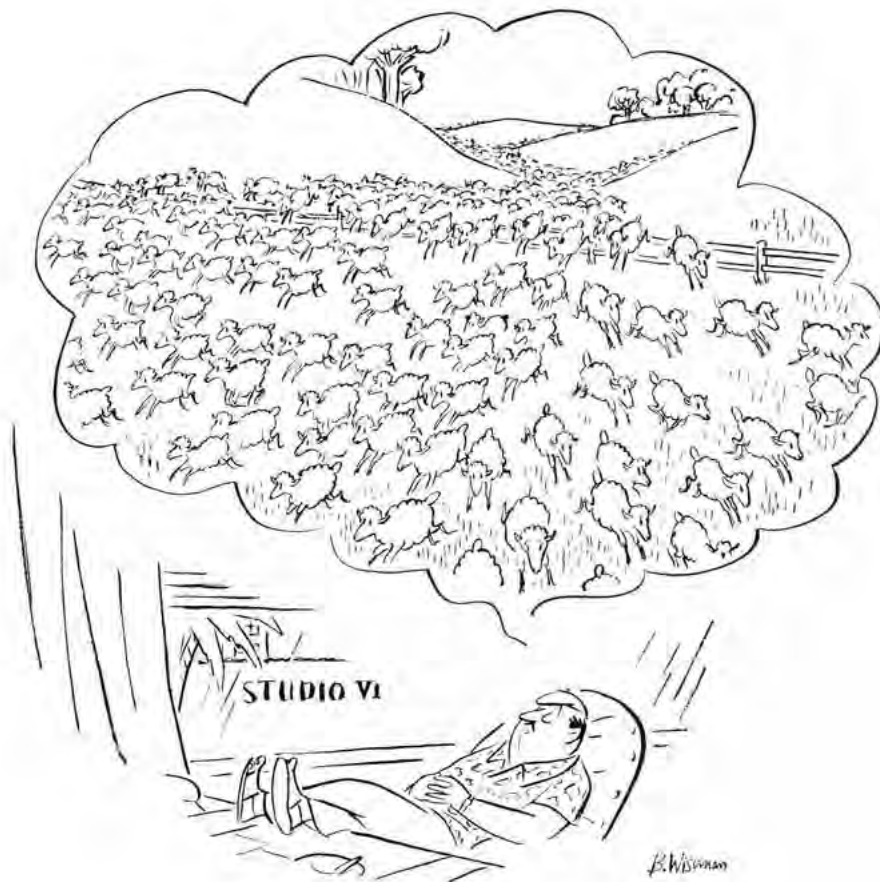




“My, you do have a green thumb!”



"You just can't stand to see me win, can you!"





"Hands off that dial!"



"I suppose there's quite a story behind all this."



"We're assigning you to the patient in Room 803, Miss Pavelle. He's lost the will to live."





*"You were eighty-six dollars short of
supporting me last month."*





*"That's the sort of thing I mean. In Russia,
they'd simply name a Miss Rheingold."*



"It's O.K.! I found it!"





*"Gentlemen, I'm afraid we'll have to revise our
basic idea that there's one born every minute."*



"It's in excellent condition. The former owner was a psychoanalyst with a very small practice."





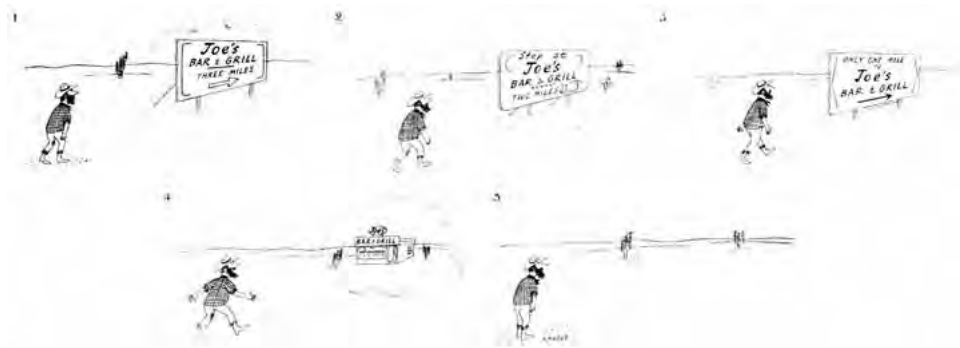
“When we used to listen to the radio, what were we looking at?”



“Well, men, let’s put it to a vote. Do we eat here or do we go to all that trouble of scrounging around for twigs and stuff to make a fire?”



“Who are we playing bridge with tonight—as if I didn’t know?”



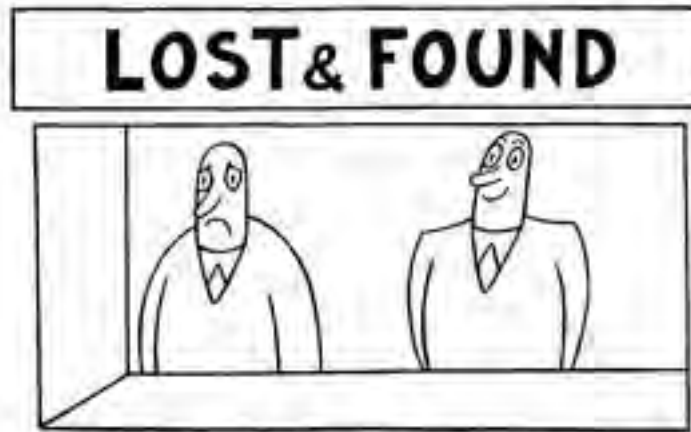


“Is there a mechanic in the audience?”



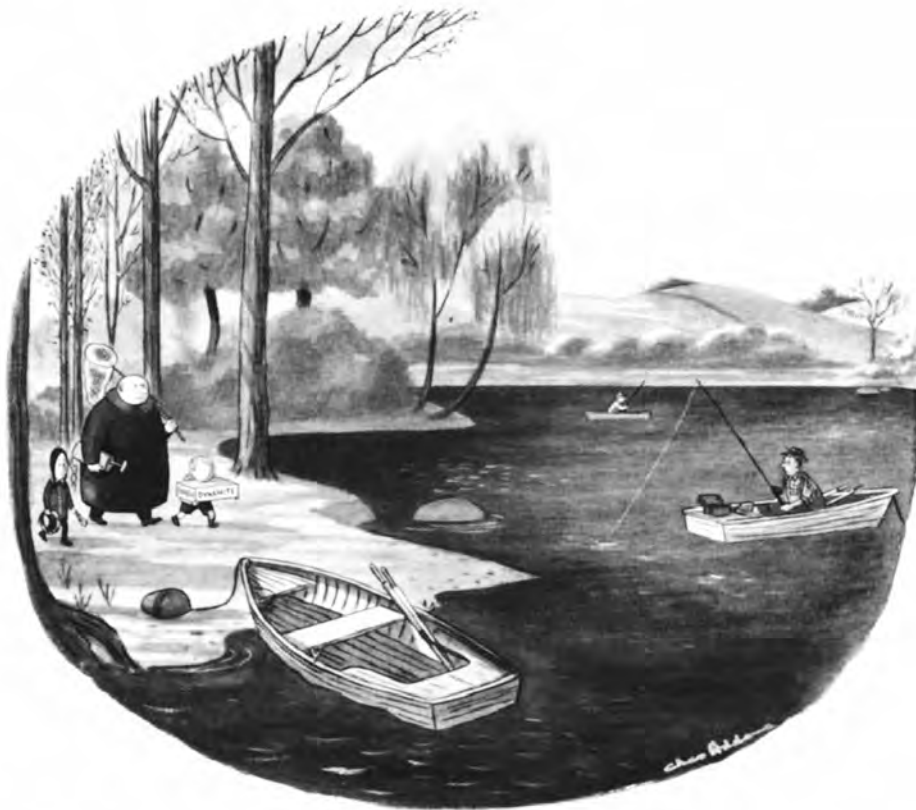


*"You'd think they'd at least have some
consideration for their own kind."*





*“Look at it like this, sir. In the long run,
it’ll probably find its way back to you.”*





"First noticed it when I tried to tip my hat."



“Oh dear! We would get stuck with a patent infringement.”



“And, folks, if you want to double your smoking pleasure, here’s a little tip—try smoking Windermers two at a time.”





“Hello, Boris? Listen. Comrade Zherkov has invented something. . . . No, no, I mean really invented something!”



*"I'm sorry, Miss Benson, but we have no vacancies at present.
Can you give me till tomorrow morning?"*

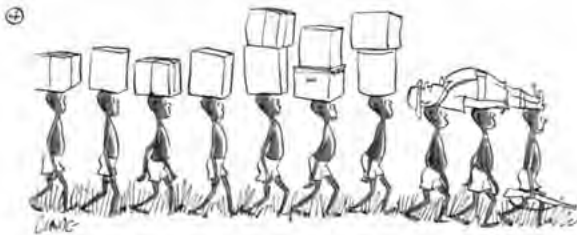
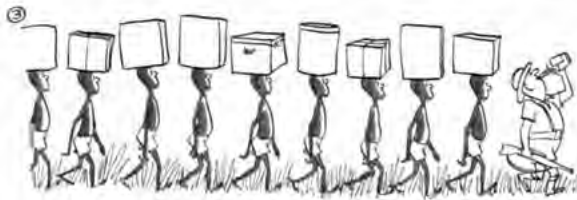
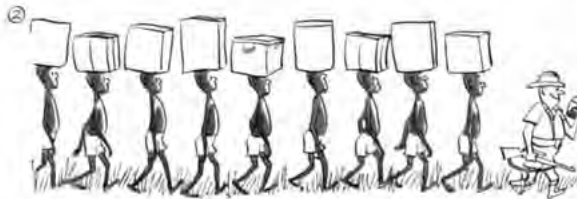
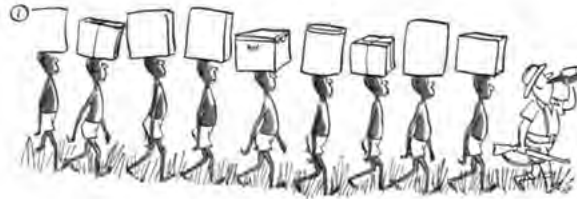




"Oh, goodness! That's for the game room!"



“Thank you, Madam, but I think I’d better stay out here and watch the car, and see if I can’t get a good sermon on the radio.”







"Madam's a perfect 44."



"He'll be all right, Mrs. Perkins. Keep him in bed a few days, give him one of those pills every three hours, and take some cooking lessons."



“Mac makes a great thing out of these reconciliations.”

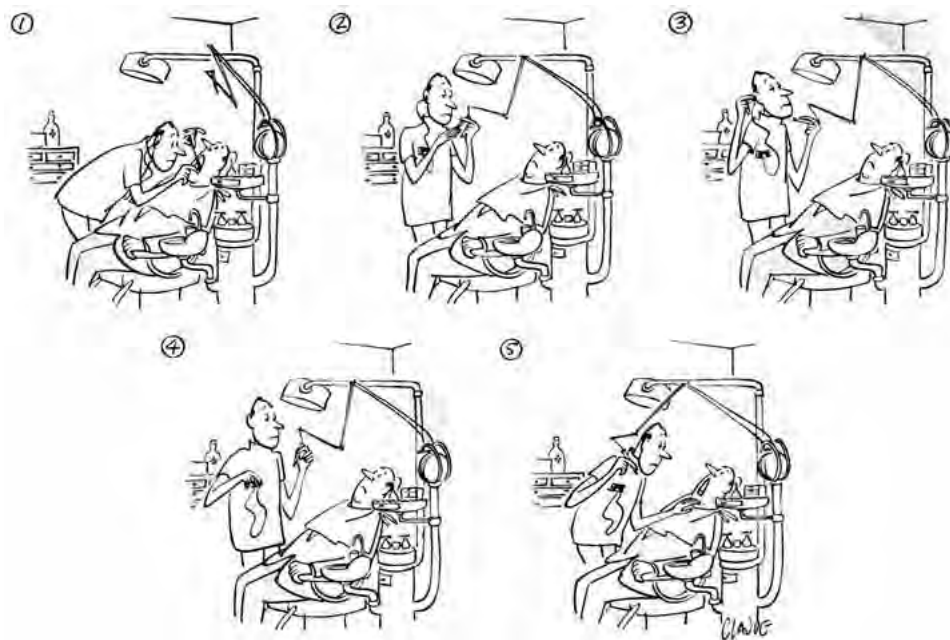


“Don’t be ridiculous. The wife will be delighted to put you up.”





*"Well, I'm sure Dr. Kinsey never spoke
to anyone in Upper Montclair."*





"Ethel! You've been practicing!"



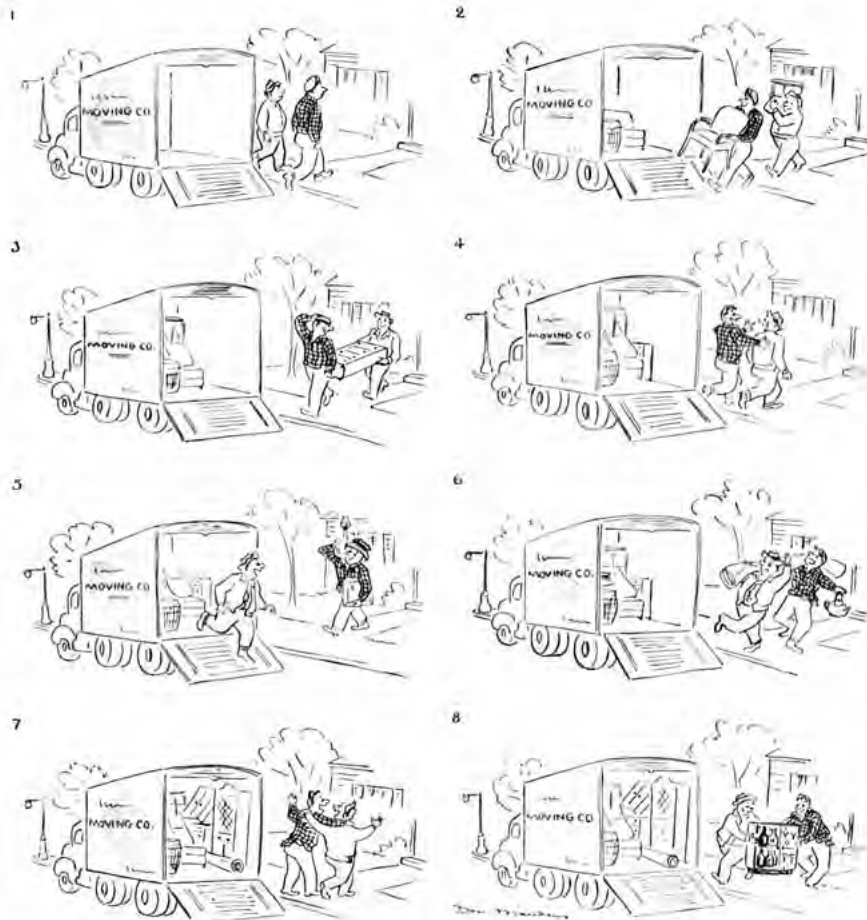


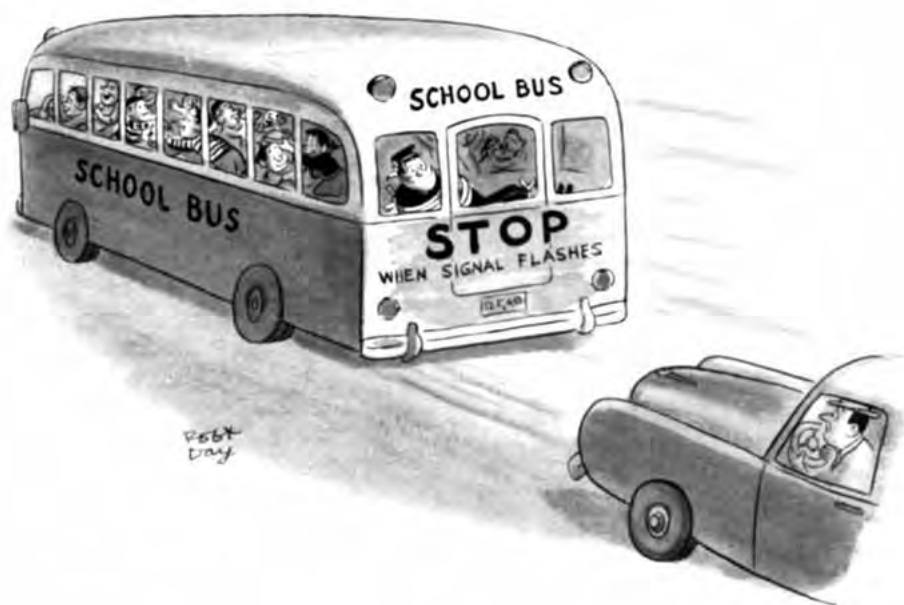


*“So keep tuned to WTV, the station that
brings you only the good news.”*



"It won't be as though we're starting from scratch. You already have a torso."







*"I want to apologize for muttering. I
found the tip under the napkin."*





"And I must caution you—always keep it tightly sealed in its lead container when not in use."



Bernie Wiseman (9/26/1953)



“Why do you always have to be different from everybody else?”





"I've noticed this one before. He seems to be very tidy."





"A king is a very lonely man, Lady Anne."





"Must be a little fellow."





"Yeah? And I say you didn't signal the turn."



*"It's a pity we didn't meet sooner. My expense
account is already hopelessly padded."*



"When he gives us the estimate, you gasp and I'll say, 'You're joking!'"





“Goodness, no, I haven’t told him yet. He has enough trouble as it is—taxes, business falling off, bills . . .”





*“As a matter of fact, I committed the perfect crime.
I happen to be in here on an income-tax rap.”*





“Gosh, Barbara, I’m not really a fast worker. It’s just that Coach wants us fellows home and in bed by ten o’clock.”



*“As I understand it, the fellow only interviewed
about six thousand women.”*





“Well, if you won’t give me a raise, will you at least permit me to withdraw my ultimatum to quit if I don’t get one?”





*“Please try to keep that nurse who
says ‘okey-dokey’ away from him.”*

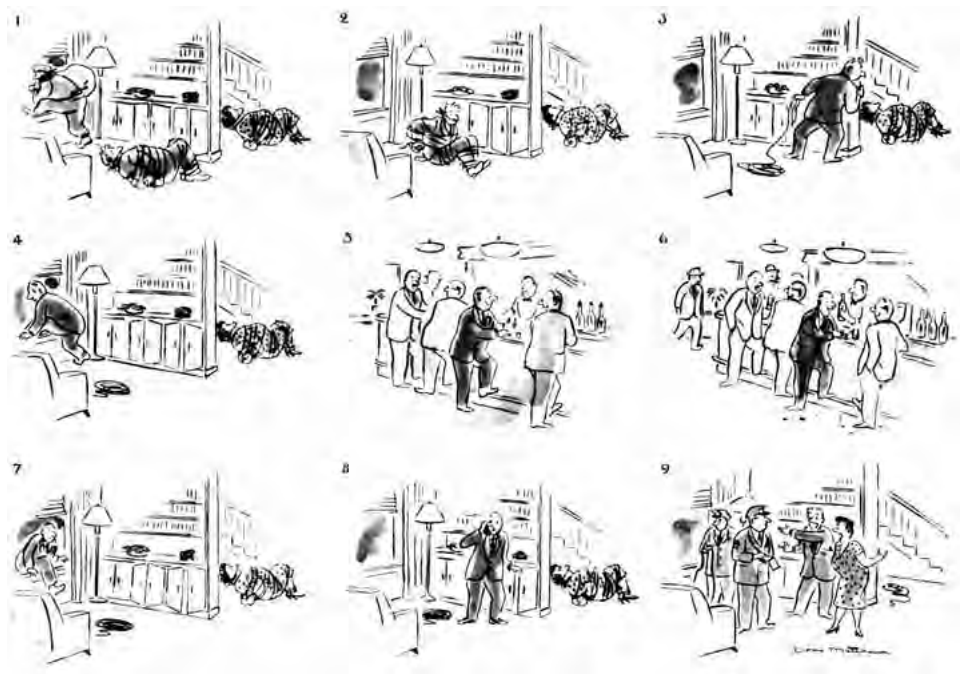


"He's crazy about her."

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"It isn't such a good program, but I want you to hear the killing remarks Henry makes when it's going on."





“Don’t shout at me as if I were one of your armies!”



“Good morning, Madam. You’re undoubtedly one of those who have been wondering what a Liberal Party victory this fall would mean in terms of governmental efficiency.”

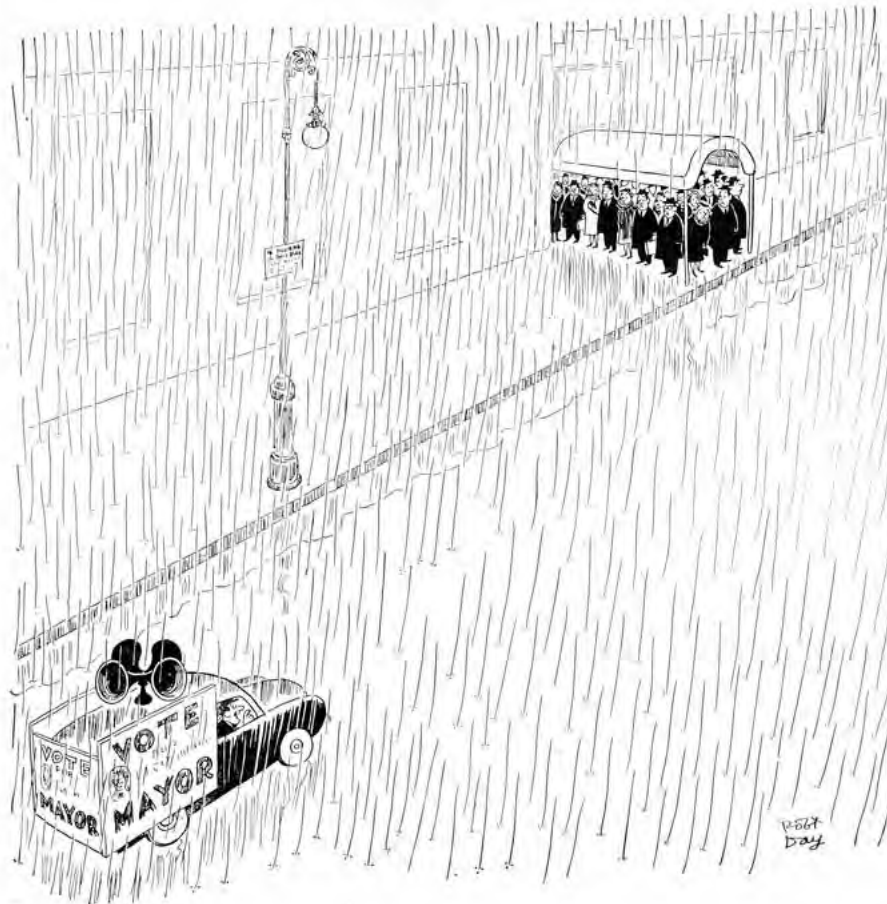


“Does it occur to you that they might be bright enough to realize they can get all this stuff for nothing?”



“What with personal appearances, newspaper, radio, and TV buildup, our picture ought to be a smash. Our one problem, as I see it, is to stop the word-of-mouth reaction.”







"I've told you a thousand times, Mrs. Willoughby—there's nothing wrong with you!"





"Then try some out-of-town companies."







“Well, what is it, Fuller—and I warn you it had better be something very, very important!”

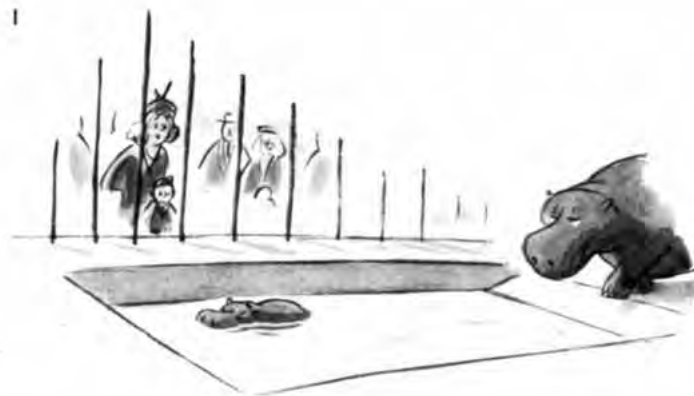


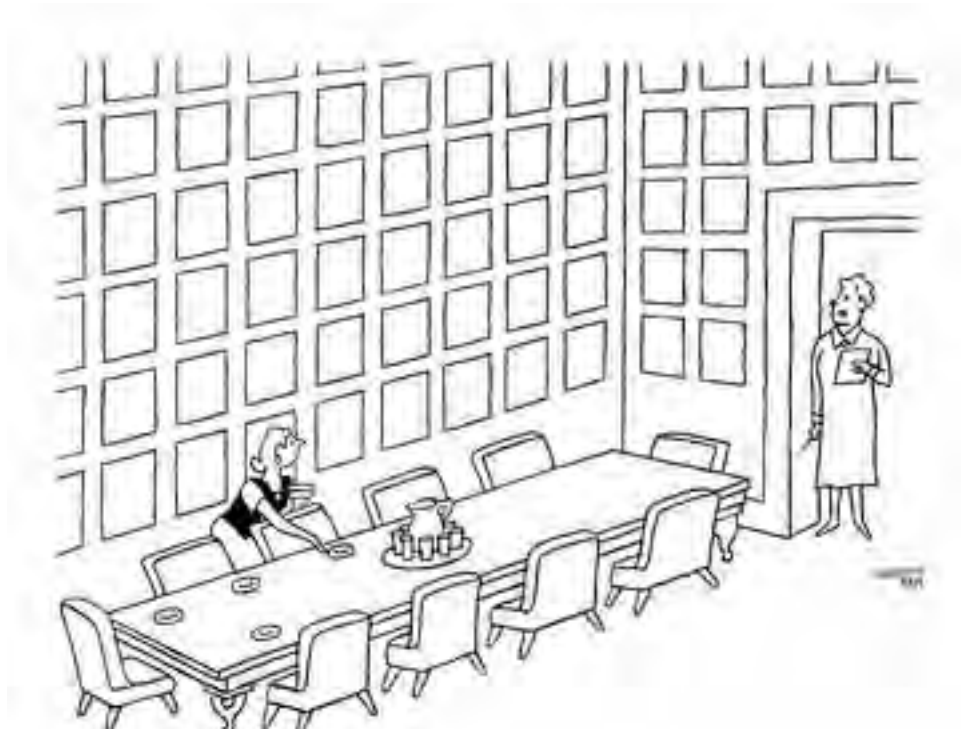


“Who hasn’t appeared on television yet?”



“You don’t understand, Dad. It isn’t the business itself—that’s going great. But you can’t imagine what taxes do to you today.”





“And don’t forget the little pads, in case one of them has an idea.”



"I can lick you."



"I did it."





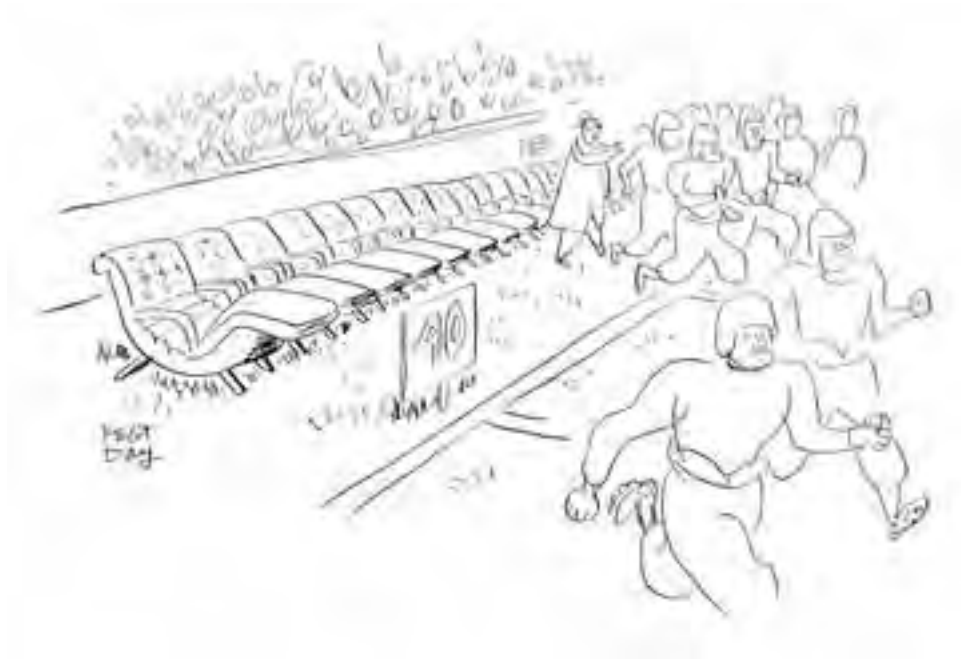


Saul Steinberg (10/24/1953)

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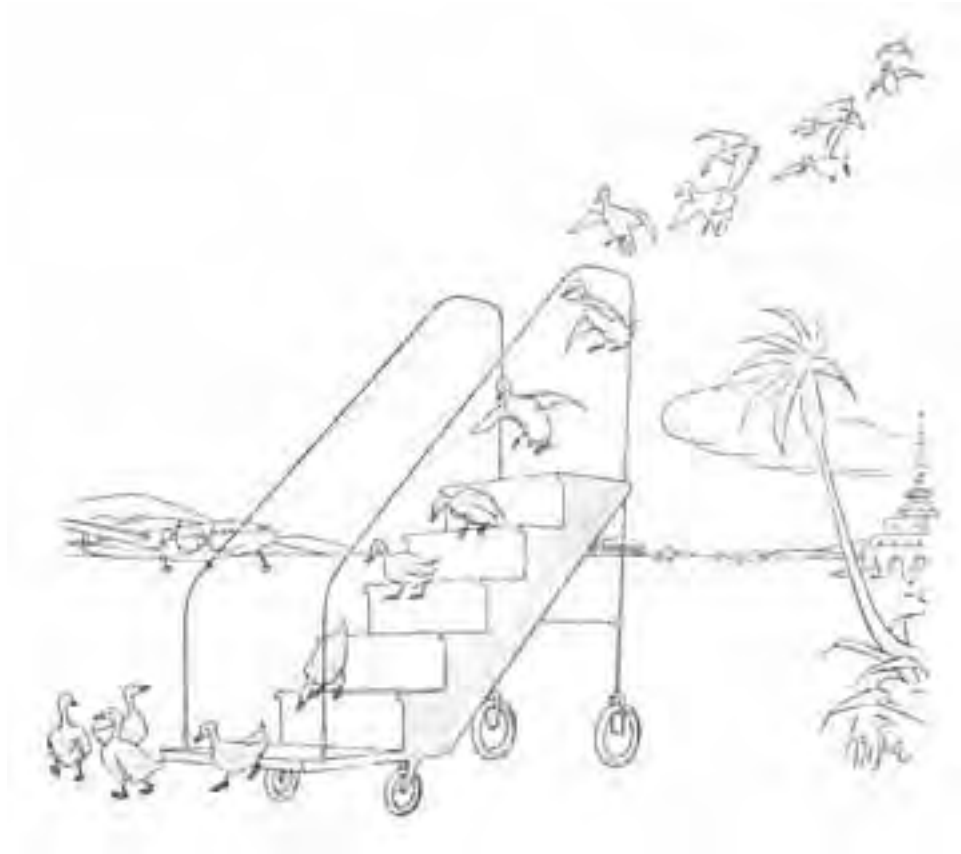


"Something in sneakers?"





"You have an answer for everything, haven't you?"





"Ladies and gentlemen, if after due consideration you find the balance of the evidence to be against my client, I still beg of you to look into your hearts and find compassion and mercy, because a verdict of guilty would make this the tenth straight case I've lost in a row."

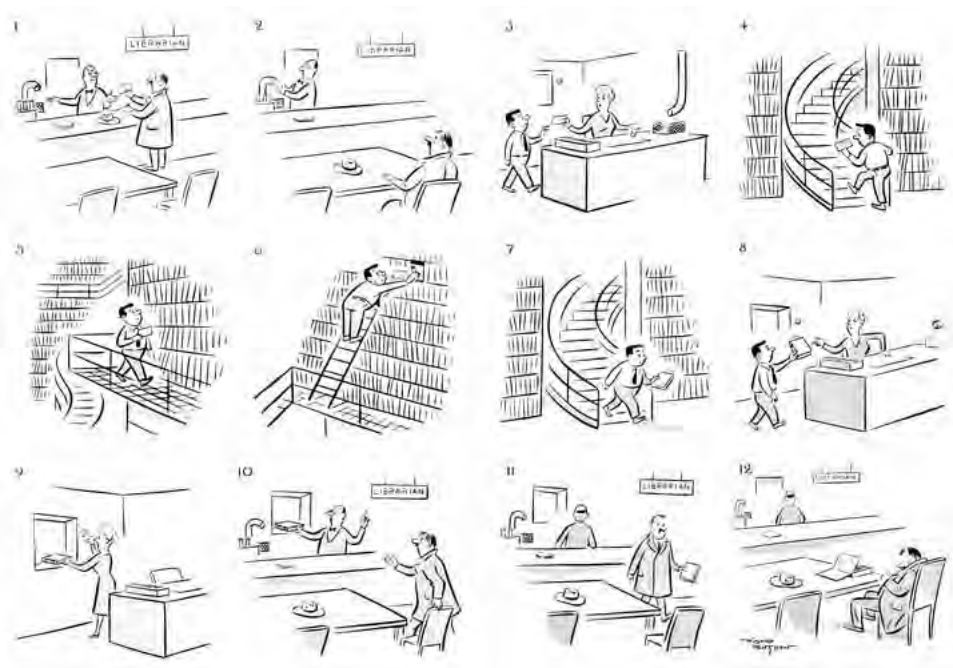




"Gauguin started at forty!"



"We're going to have you up and around before you know it."





"I'm afraid we'll have to discontinue your weekly talks on 'Society in an Age of Transition.' You're just not selling cat food."



“Oh dear! I wish they’d given me Madison Avenue.”



Id know. That's who would know!"



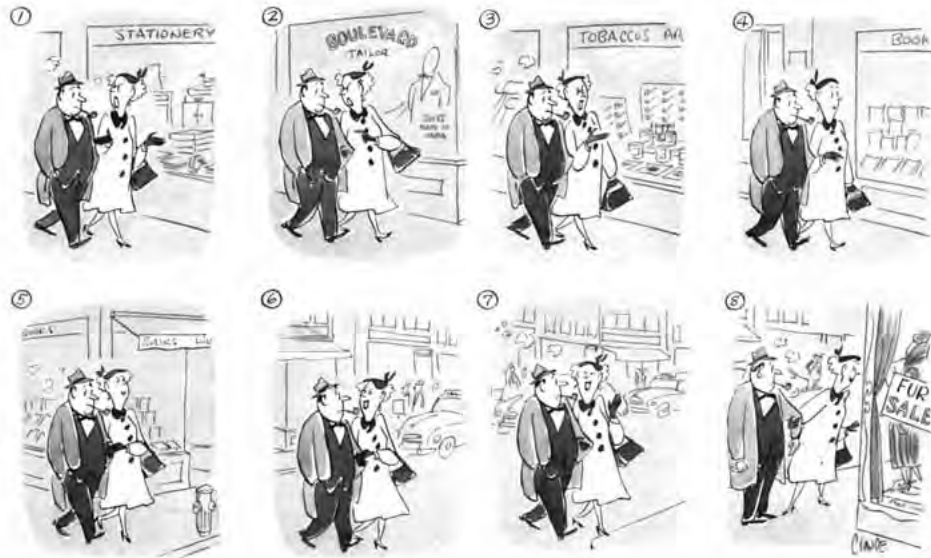


James Mulligan (10/24/1953)

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"They must have a staggering laundry bill."





*"I'm afraid we'll have to close down your show, Pearson.
We had no idea your work was so controversial."*



*But, dear, what's a wife for? Was it ninety?
Ninety-five? A hundred and ten?*









"I'll tell you who'd make an honest mayor. I'd make an honest mayor—that's who'd make an honest mayor!"



*"I always have the feeling that you're secretly
laughing at me, Dr. Meers."*



"Stop fidgeting!"



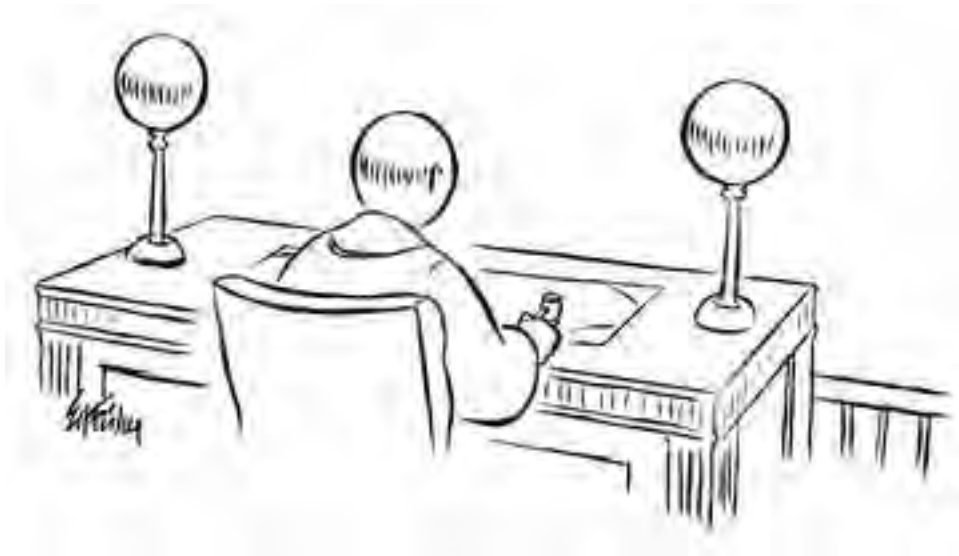
“But you’ve got to let her in! She’s part of my costume.”



"Now, do we all know what this object is?"



"Mrs. Emaline V. Allingham, 6 Beekman Place. Turn the rascals out."





“Incidentally, there’s another attractive feature—plenty of headroom.”



"Don't get excited, boy. It's his blood."



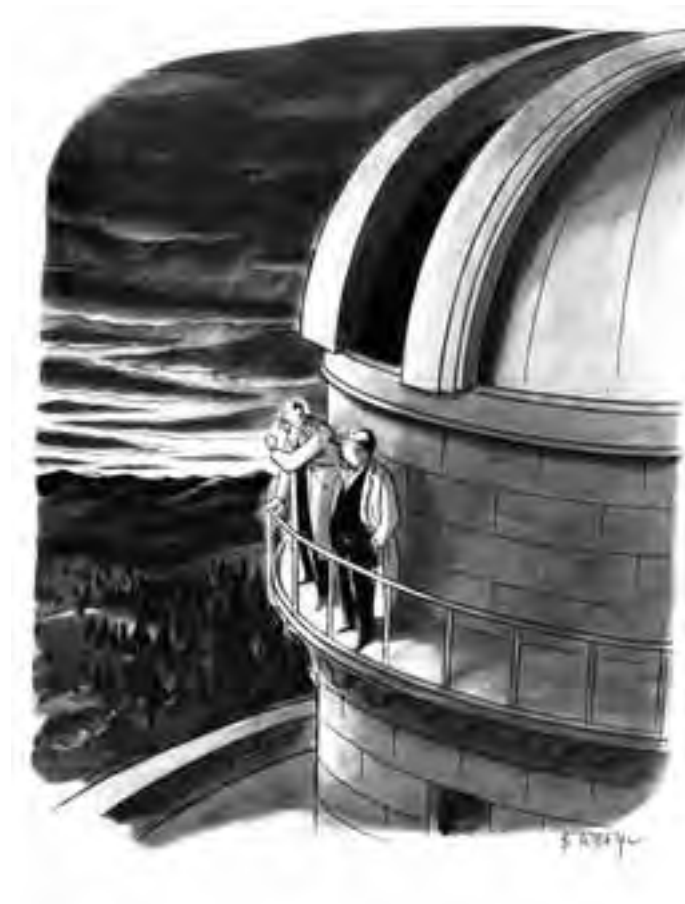
“When I think of some of the men I might be married to now if it hadn’t been for you and that damn ukulele!”





"She must be wearing her real jewels tonight."



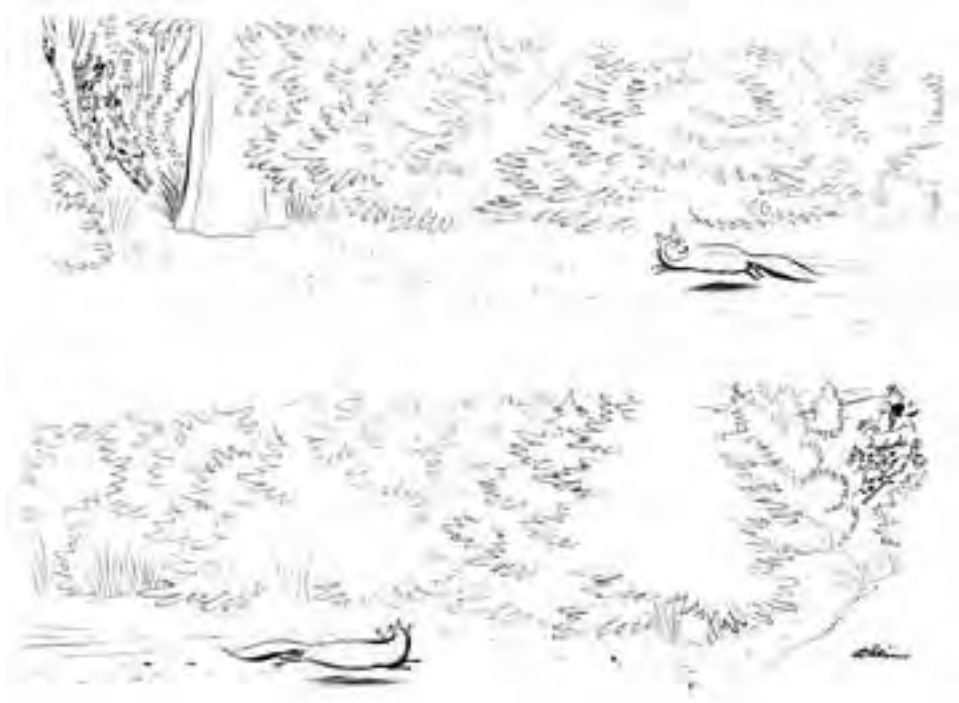


“Well, there she goes—right on the dot.”



“Comrades, it has been proved beyond a doubt that Soviet cigarettes contain less nicotine and harmful irritants than those of any other nation.”



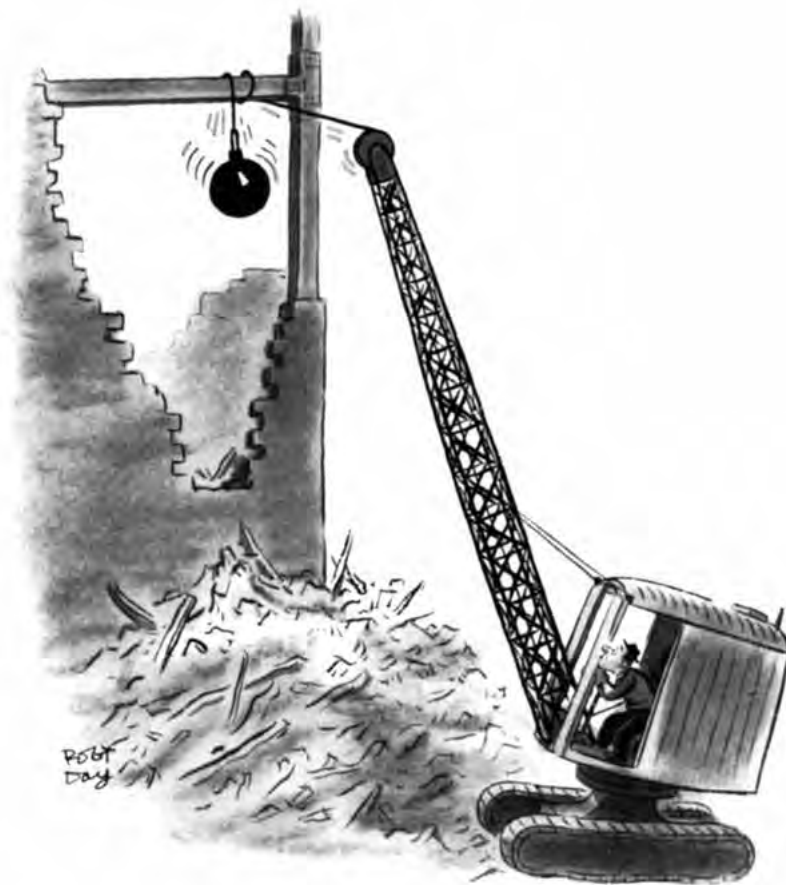




"Stop it! At once!"



“Men, if you really love and respect your wives, you can’t go home without one of these Jiffy all-purpose can openers.”



Robert J. Day (11/7/1953)

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"One at a time! One at a time!"



"At least you could have shaved."



Frank Modell (11/7/1953)

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"I just wrote a check for ten trillion dollars."



“Which ten books would you have brought, if you’d known?”



*"I've been praying for a raise for a long time
now, Doctor, and I was wondering . . ."*





"Know what I dread? Inventory."

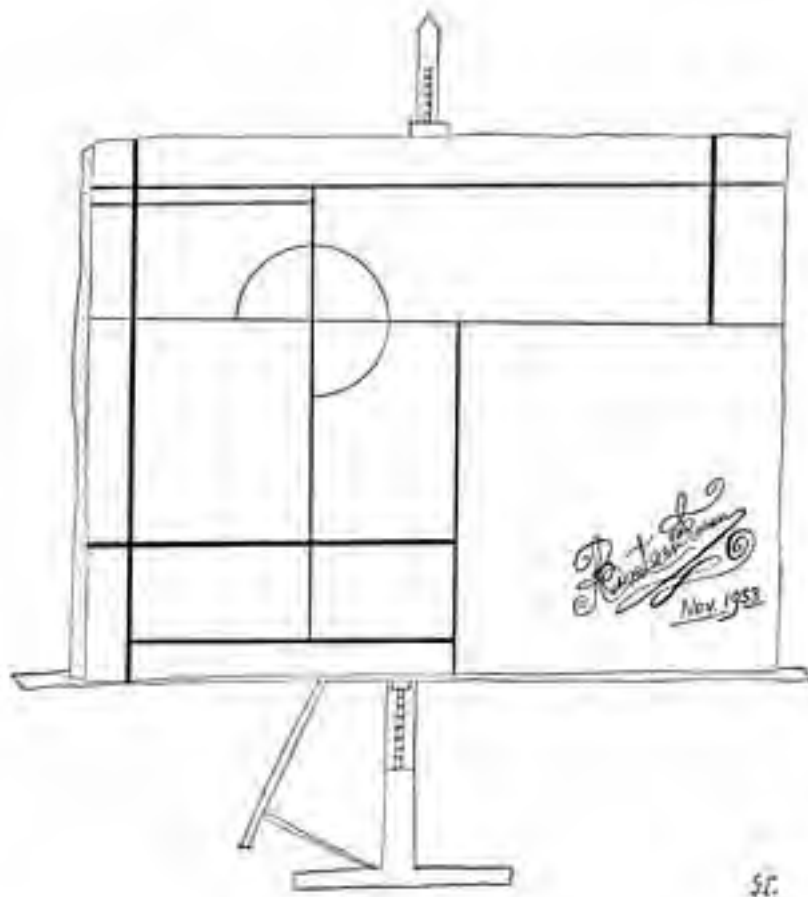


"I liked it better before they gave you an expense account."





“George! It was Dr. Carter that pulled me through!”

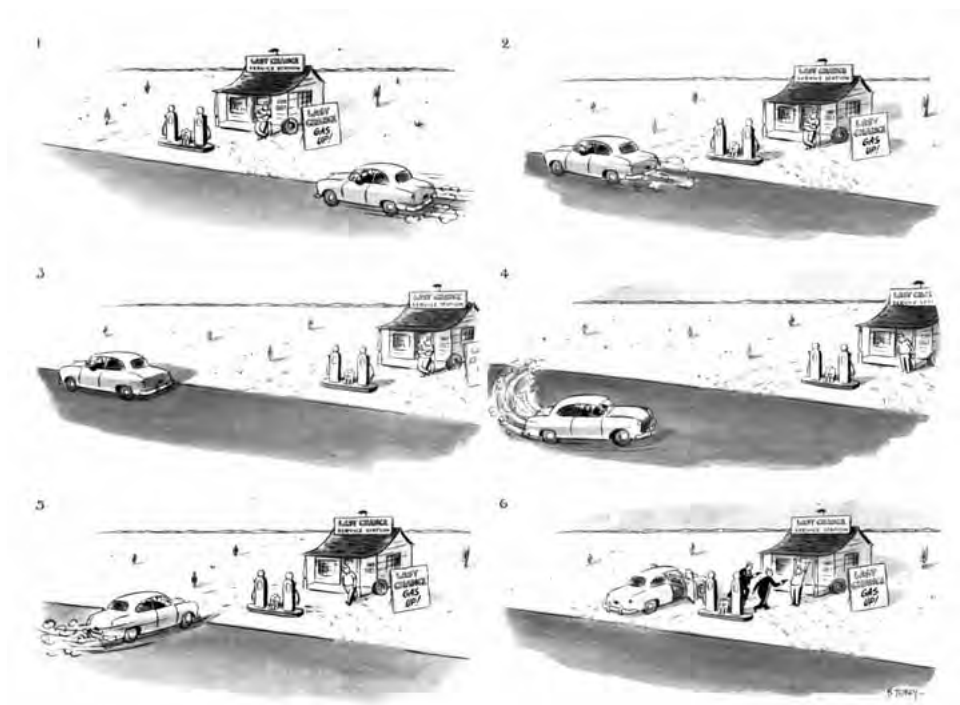




*“What if someday they all just decided
it didn’t pay to advertise?”*



“Try and look natural.”





*“One morning they went out for a walk,
and that’s the last I ever saw of them.”*









"Well, that cleans him out."



“Miss Green, how would you like never having to worry about the price of meat for the rest of your life?”



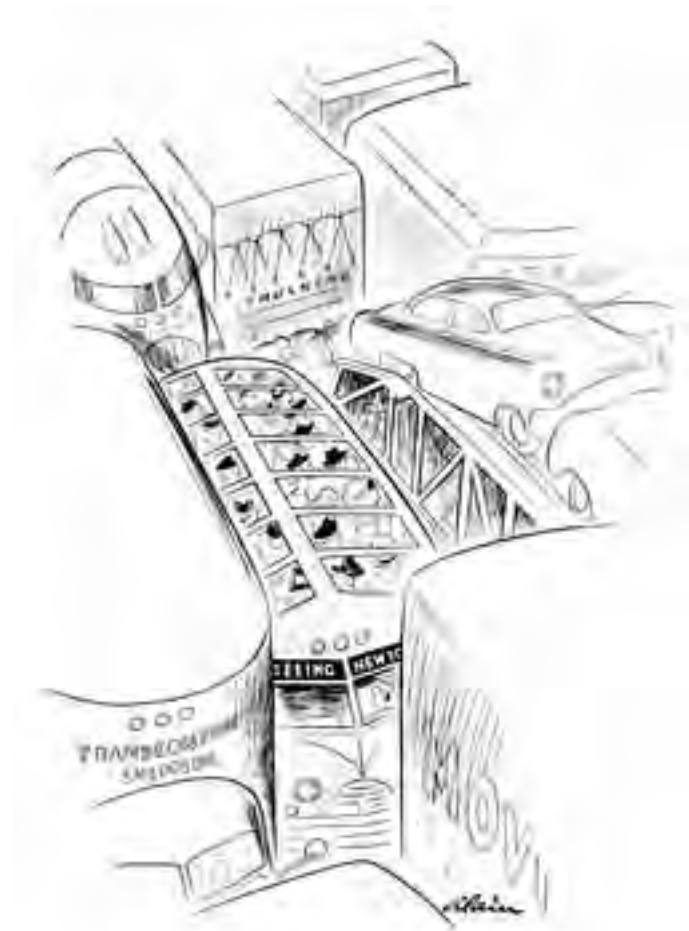
“If you didn’t enjoy our show, folks—if the talent seemed mediocre and the script a little weak—please remember that the savings represented in our low TV budget are passed directly on to you in the form of lower prices.”



"It's very interesting, but I'm afraid we only publish science fiction."



*“He calls it a career—hunting for his name
on lists of unclaimed bank deposits.”*







"You're all stupid!"



"Somehow I never imagined it this way."



*"I'm sorry the bank can't approve your request for a loan,
Miss Dennis, but I'd be delighted to tide you over
with a little something personally."*

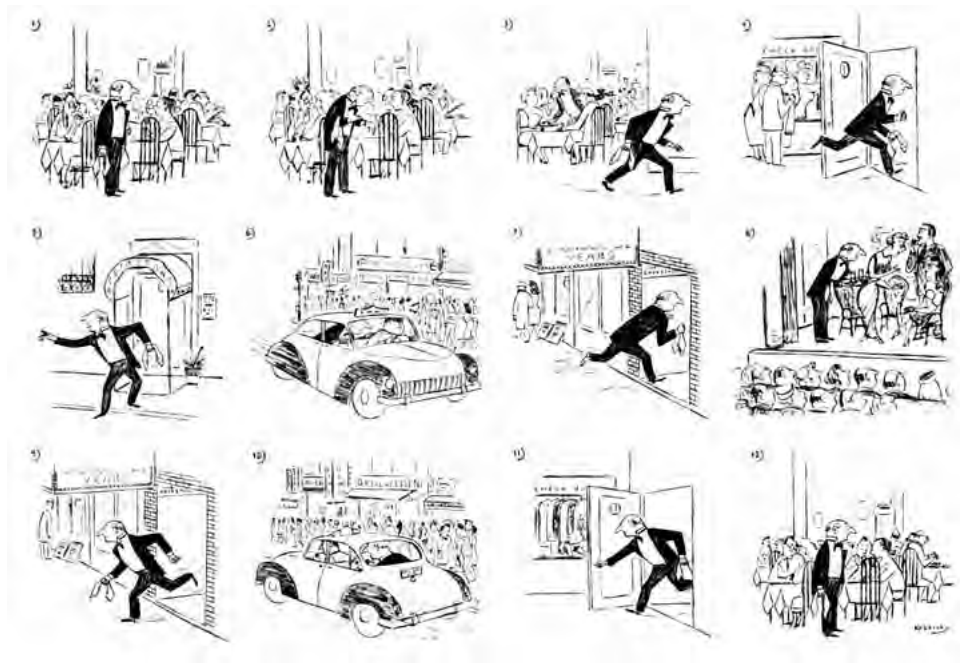




*"It's a lovely day out, dear. Care to take a peek
before 'Homemakers' Jamboree'?"*



"You and your last place in the world they'll ever think of looking!"





“Vende usted Tums?”





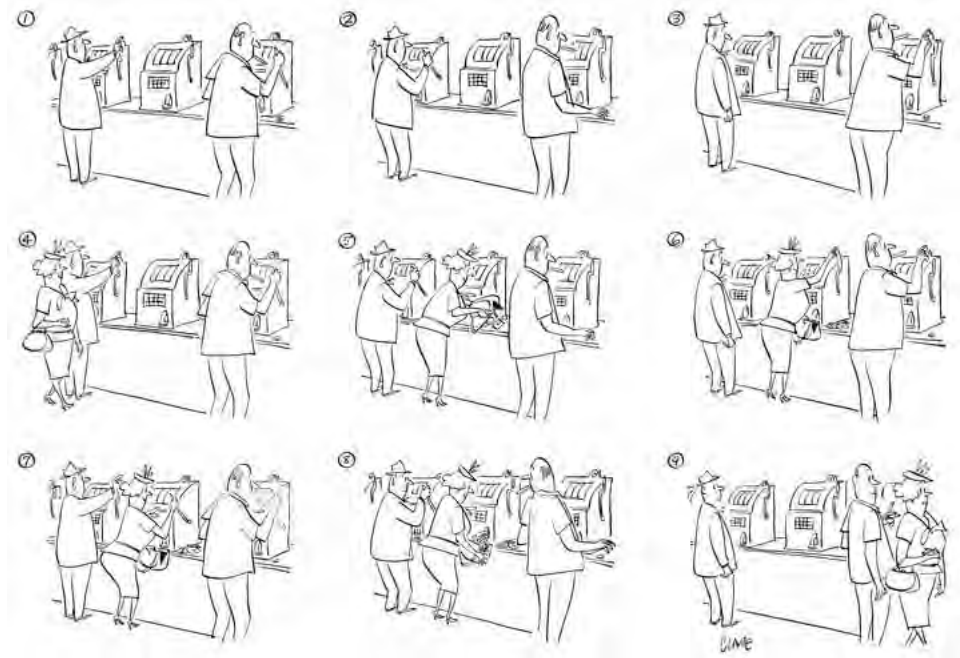
“Look, Mariano, you’re an accompanist.”







"Well, we'll just have to brazen it out."







“Well, of all the nerve!”



*"But, Doctor, don't you remember, the last time
I was in here you told me to take things easy?"*





*"To me, they're not just something to buy
and sell. They're personalities."*





“Every once in a while Owen likes to get off by himself and think things out.”



*“When you asked me to work late tonight, Mr. Simpkins,
I thought there’d be more than just one little old letter.”*



"I'd just like to see anyone try to give me a partridge in a pear tree for Christmas."





"Just what makes you think I'm neurotic?"





"It's a new—begging your pardon—miracle drug."



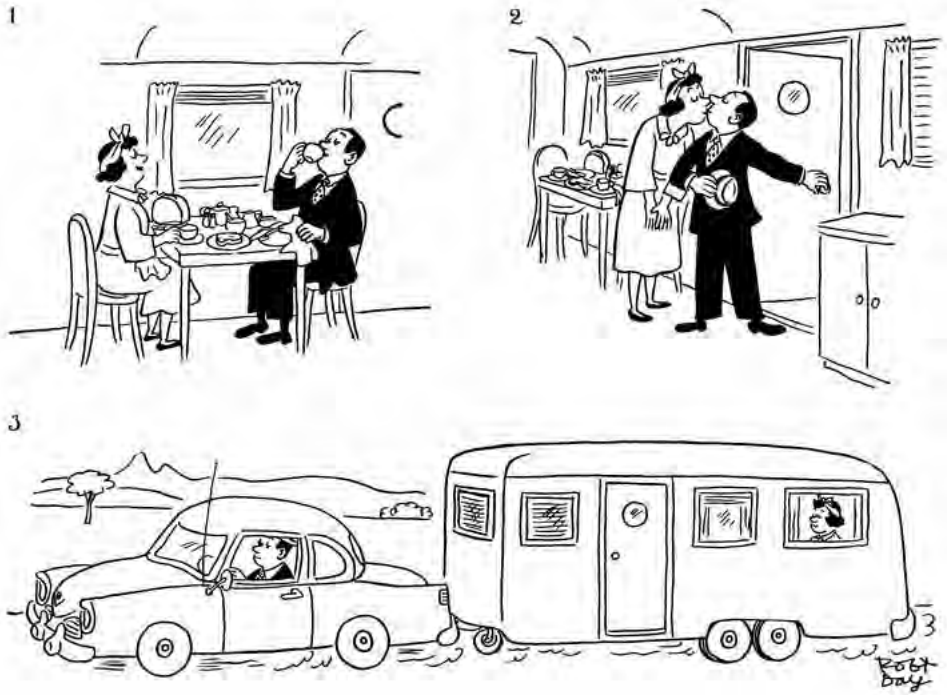
“With all due respect to my opponent, let me remind you again of the dangers of changing carpets in midair.”



“Pop, can I have the tractor tonight?”



"By God, I think you're right!"



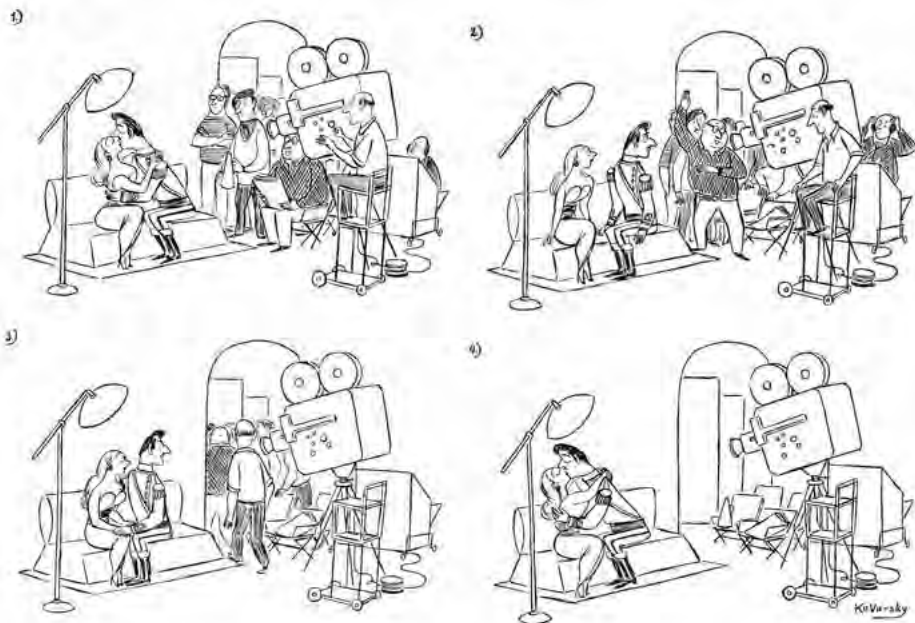


“Look, Joe, I’m calling that wind last night a terrific gale, and I don’t want you crossing me up in your book.”





“Do you think I like to suffer?”



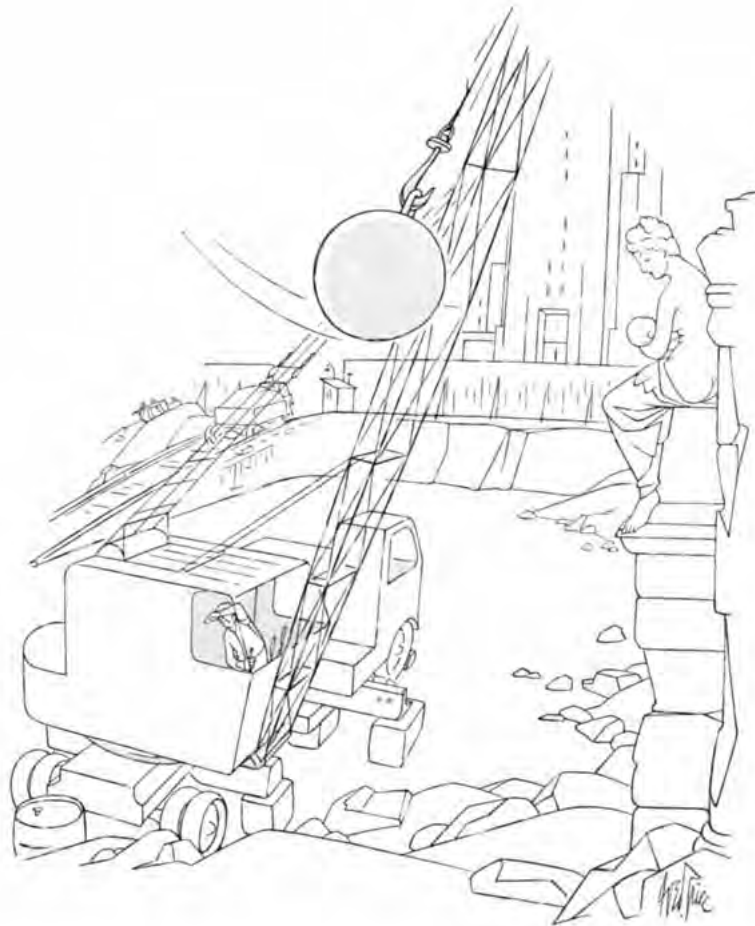


“Well, so long, fellows. I’m off to gay, carefree, exciting Stuyvesant Town.”



"No, dear, it's Santa Claus there is none of. There have always been reindeer."







"Mother! Daddy's putting two in his."



"That'll be sixty-eight ninety. Madame has on two hats."









*“Of course, we wouldn’t want him to grow up
and live in a garret, or anything like that.”*



"You can relax. There's a warm front moving up from Texas."





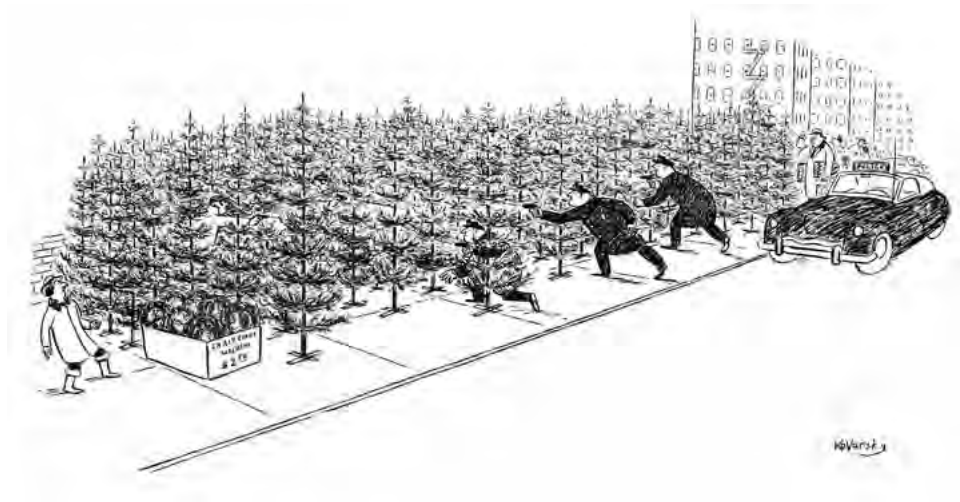
"Splendid, Fuller!"



“HELP!”



Gee, Tom, aren't we lucky my folks bought a lemon?





"You're a very stupid dog!"



"Sanders speaking. Stop all production on XP15, recall all shipments, wire every doctor in the country, and hurry!"



*"I seem to see a few doubtful expressions out there.
Well, permit me to elaborate . . ."*

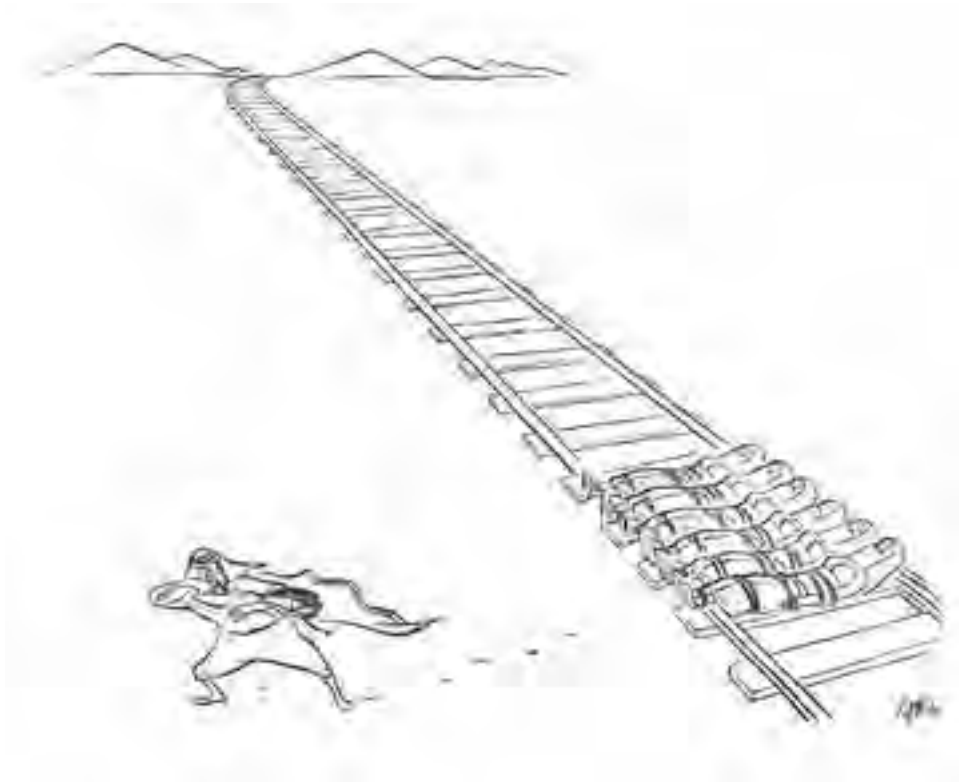


“Oh, guide! Guide! Where are you, guide?”





“If we get separated, I’ll meet you in ‘Under Five Dollars.’”





“Busoni, we’re taking you for a long, long ride.”





“What burns me up, I pay taxes to the Aga Khan, he gives it to Aly, Aly gives it to Rita, Rita gives it to Dick, and Dick gives it to some woman named Nora Eddington Flynn.”



“For heaven’s sake, Fullerton, relax and enjoy yourself. What the Rockefeller Foundation doesn’t know won’t hurt them.”



*“... yes, sir, folks ... and furthermore, folks ... for
real quality, folks ... yes, sir, folks ...”*



"Oh—not chop suey again!"



“Any discount to the trade?”





“Well, my intuition tells me he’s not guilty!”



"Honest, lady—I wish you'd just forget it."



*“How do you expect to support a wife if
you can’t even afford a guitar?”*



"I don't know what to get Harry. He has everything he needs."



“Now that you’re one of us, Miss Talmage, may I be the first to ask what you’re doing for dinner tonight?”



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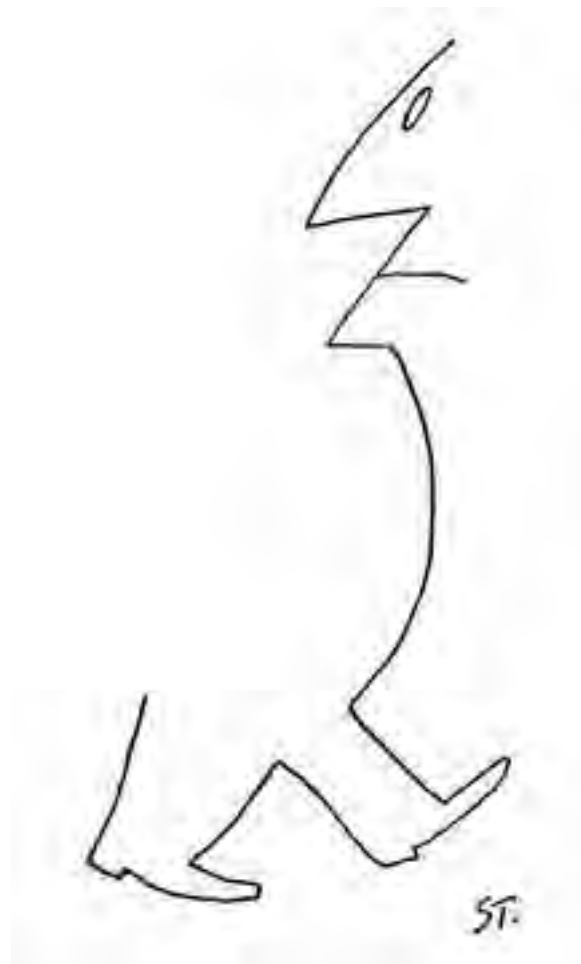
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“Well then, how about a merry marital mixup?”



“That ‘gay camaraderie before a roaring fire’ better be good.”





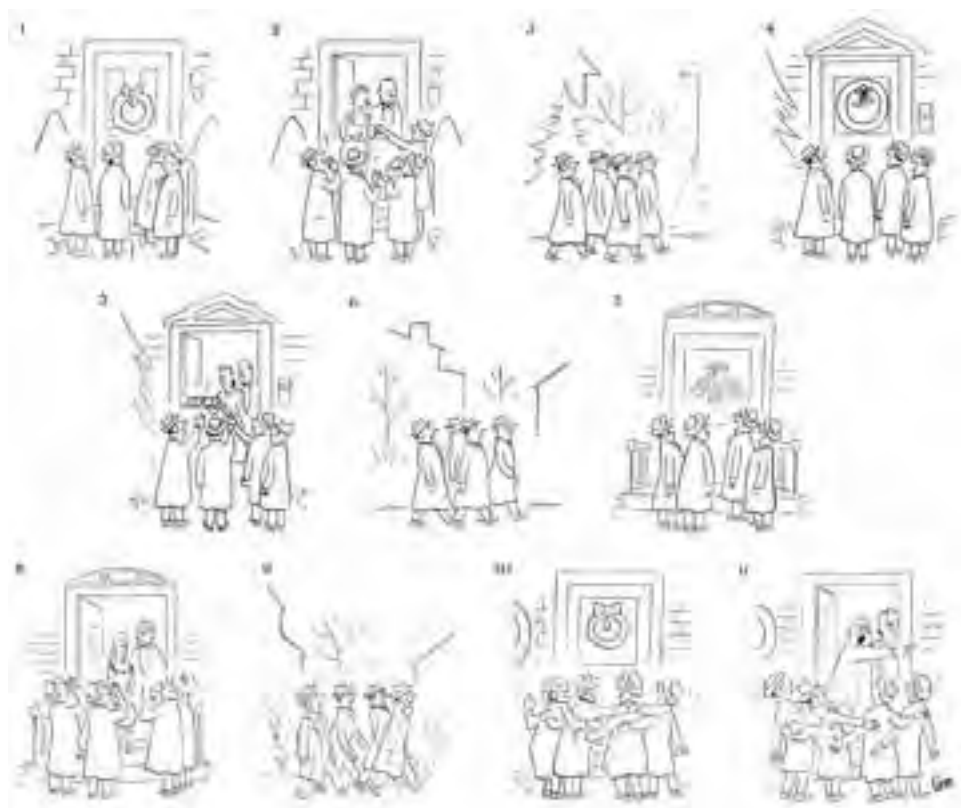
“Well, say something!”



"I just can't wait to see your work, old fellow."



*"Don't you agree, Verna, that everyone is put
here on earth for some special purpose?"*





"You're fired!"



*“Now, for heaven’s sake, don’t stop for a drink
at the sideboard, and give yourself away.”*



"Son, this car has features you've never even heard of."





Ed Fisher (12/26/1953)

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