



SONGS FOR SALE: The family of D. L. Evans, county engineer, enjoys the singing of James Melton, inset, on the Ford Festival on TV at 9:30 o'clock Thursday evening. Robert, left, and Roger view the show with Mrs. Evans. Dan, the third Evans son, is in Korea. Gal, the Cocker, apparently doesn't care much either way about the program.

YOUR BABY AND MINE

Tell Child the Truth

About His Hospital Visit

By MYRTLE MEYER ELDRID

In a hospital room full of children with recent tonsillectomies, one little boy came out of the ether yelling, "You said it was fun and it isn't, it isn't!"

It was plain enough that this parent had made no effort to acquaint the child with what was to happen to him. Instead he was shocked and aggrieved at the events, and the parent who had fooled him about them.

This parent will have difficulty with every new adventure. This child is certain to be suspicious.

Another small girl had the same experience and went into it with a real spirit of adventure. She knew exactly what was to happen to her, what nurses and doctors would do, the gas she would be expected to breathe in and how she would feel when she came out of the operating room. Luckily for her, a kind nurse read a story and a phonograph played soft music while she was taking the ether. What happened later came about as she had expected and not as a cruel joke.

A small boy about to have an operation for hernia was against the whole proposition because he hated the thought of the ether, which he had with a tonsillectomy.

that she would try to see that he had some other gas in order to take away the smell of ether.

But each time the operation was mentioned, he said violently, "I don't want to do it. I don't like it."

At which his mother always said, "But this is something that has to be done."

Eventually his response was, "Well, I'll do it, but I don't want to talk about it." This went on for about two weeks. During that time they made a visit to the doctor and the operation was scheduled.

One day, out of the blue the boy said, "I think maybe, just maybe, I am going to like it at the hospital," which astounded his mother.

Now his mother feels that her careful explanations of what is to be done to him, coupled with her assurance to him of other children as companions, the playroom, the nice nurses, have convinced him that this event has two sides. He can accept the bad one for the sake of the other.

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Contract Bridge -:- By Charles H. Goren

A Laydown

Both vulnerable. South deals.

NORTH

▲ K 9 6 5
▲ 6 5 4 2
▲ K 3
▲ A 7 5

WEST

▲ J
▲ K J 9 8
▲ Q 8 5
▲ J 10 8 3 2

EAST

▲ 10
▲ A Q 10 8
▲ 10 6 4 2
▲ Q 8 4

SOUTH

▲ A Q 7 5 4 2
▲ 7
▲ A J 9 7
▲ A 6

The bidding:

1. spades Pass 2. spades Pass
3. diamonds Pass 4. spades Pass
5. clubs Pass 6. diamonds Pass

Opening lead: Jack of clubs.

Despite the proven accuracy of the point-count method of hand valuation, it is not to be assumed that this yardstick will act as a substitute for individual resourcefulness.

That cards may have rising as well as diminishing values, depending upon bidding developments, is a well-established theory.

An ear attuned closely to the bidding frequently will make it clear that a certain king is useful, while another king may be an assured trick.

When North picked up his hand he saw nothing sensational conceivable that South could do

—three kings, a holding that conceivably could produce no tricks if fate decided to be perverse.

But as the bidding developed North learned that he had, among other things, the equivalent of three aces. By the third round of bidding he was convinced that he held a powerful hand.

To the opening bid of one spade North decided to give a single raise, although there is some question whether the hand is not a shade too strong for such a response.

South, of course, realized immediately that there was a game in the hand, but if North happened to have a maximum raise and in the right places, there even might be a slam.

If North's values happened to be in hearts, there would be no hope, but if they happened to be in the minor suits, prosperity might be just around the corner.

At any rate, there was no harm in bidding three diamonds, which was a one-round force. North now indicated that he had a good raise by going to four spades.

It now appeared to South that five was safe, so he made one more try by showing the ace of clubs.

This bid converted every one of North's honor cards to the equivalent of an ace.

North was inclined to bid the slam himself because it was inconceivable that South could do

all this bidding with two losing hearts.

However, North decided to show the king of diamonds, and South took the leap himself, feeling that at worst the slam would depend on some sort of finesse in the diamond suit.

Actually, it turned out to be a laydown.

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The Indian chief, Powhatan, was named after his favorite dwelling place, situated on what is now the site of Richmond, Va.

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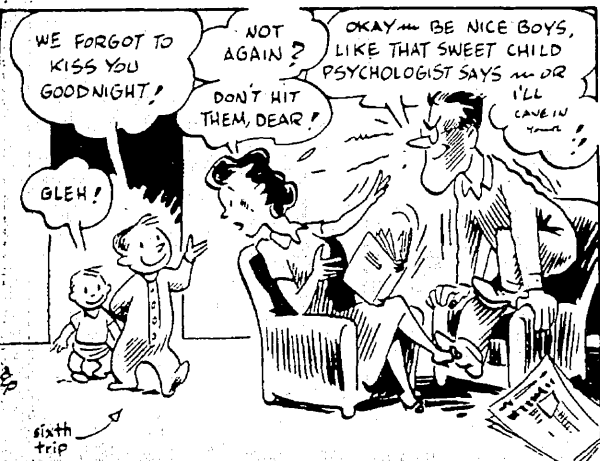
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Little Fish Disproves Psychology



By BYRON FISH

The Latin countries, we hear, have a pliable system for appointments. You tell a man you'll meet him "after the siesta" or some such vaguely worded time, and either person is allowed a couple of hours, one way or another, for arriving at the meeting place.

Americans, living by the clock, talk as if we had no similar custom. Maybe we don't, in business, but one large group of us word our social appointments just as indefinitely.

For parents, life begins "after the children are in bed." They agree to go places, or ask others to come over at that time.

Other parents understand fully, and ask no more questions. They simply say, "Okay, we'll see you."

Childless couples sometimes inquire natively, "When is the children's bedtime?"

The only answer is that it starts about 6:30 o'clock in the evening. When it will end is entirely dependent upon how lucky the parents are that day.

EVEN if you merely rinse off the youngsters, they

their beds already are as full of bumps as the Cascades, there is another block or truck they must lie on to be happy.

The child will take care to look for the toy in the least likely place, so, in order to bring bed-slowing to its sixth or eighth, absolutely final phase, both parents also search the house.

EVEN TULLY, all the excuses for getting up are exhausted. And so is the parents' patience. The child comes wandering out, and the parents bluntly order him back to bed. This gives him an excuse to howl, and the evening ends at a peak of din and exasperation.

To arrive at such a state is, of course, wrong and unscientific. Bedtime should be associated with calm and sweet content. Myrtle Meyer Eldred told us so again, only the other day.

"Don't command the child to go to bed," she said in her "Your Child" column. You suggest getting ready for it as if it were a game, seeing if the little sucker can get a shoe off before you count ten, and so on.

"Once the clothes are off," says our adviser, "there is a story to be read and the rigamarole of getting the child into bed is ended." "Ended," she says.

An air of quiet confidence does the trick, Mrs. Eldred says.

"If the parent pretends that, of course, the child is going to bed, he forgets his objections." "Forgets," she says.

Mrs. Eldred has told us a number of times that she is a grandmother. She must have a granddaughter taking college psychology, who wrote that column.

By **XO HIS MARK**

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