

THE WORLD FOR SALE

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DAILY NOVELETTE THE FIRST LOVE By Edna W. Swift

DREAMLAND ADVENTURES--By Daddy "THE CHARMING MERMAID"

THIS STARTS THE STORY Flida Druse, daughter of Gabriel Druse, of gypsy blood, shoots in a canoe the Carrillon Rapids on the Sagalae river...



AND HERE IT CONTINUES "T'S a nice day," "Yes, it's beautiful." Flida wanted to ask how he knew, but hesitated from fear of disapproval...

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"First love!" Mrs. Raynham, petite and vivacious, laughed scornfully in the faces of the women grouped on the hotel piazza.

In this adventure Peggy, Billy, Judge Owl and Bally Sam help a handsome young prince in his wooing of a beautiful mermaid.



The Judge was sitting on a branch of a tree just outside her bedroom window

Owl along the shore of the lake. Suddenly she and the judge stopped short. They had been startled by a banging and crashing in the military camp not far distant.

Being blind, he could not see that, suddenly, a storm of emotion swept over her face.

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"A Dirty Business, However, You Look at It!" SUSAN MAITLAND had hardly got down the stairs before Bruno Duke was turning over the leaves of a credit rating book...

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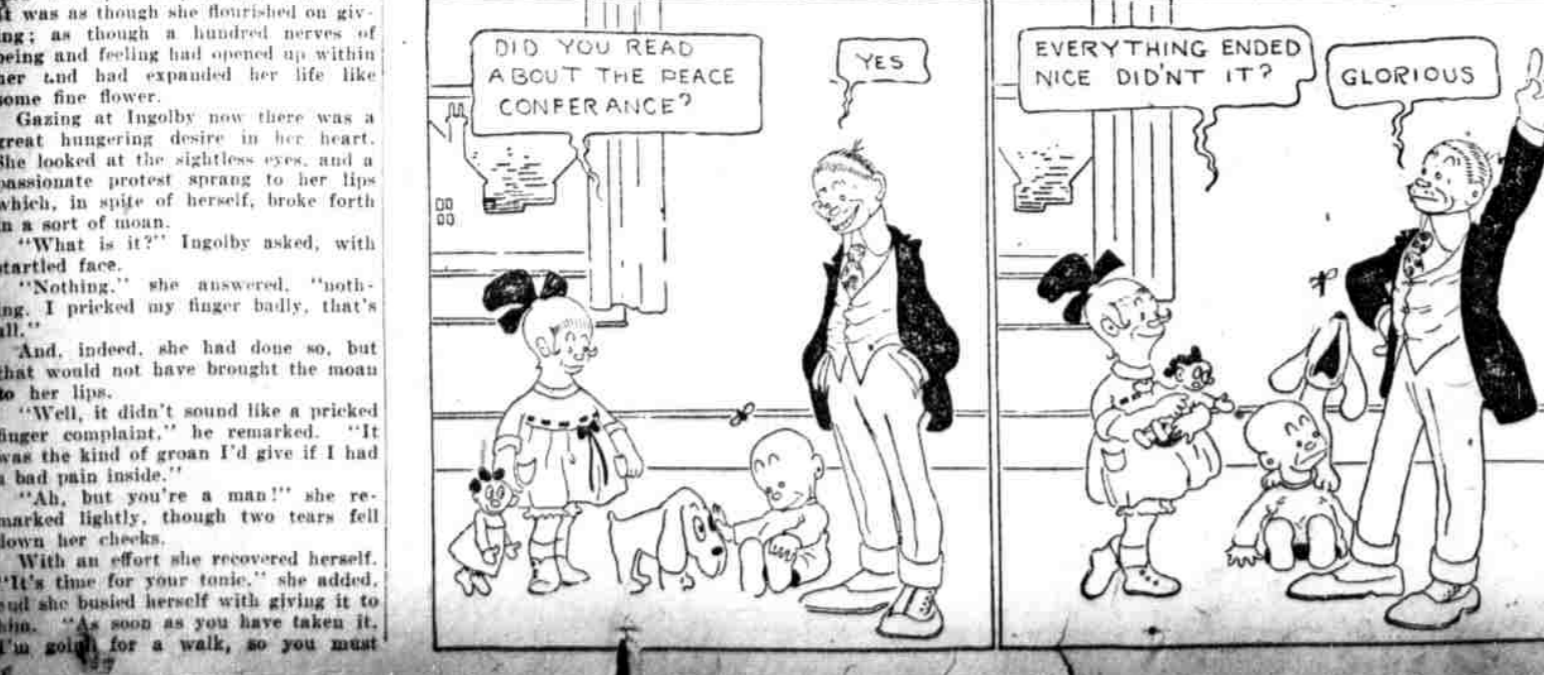
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DOROTHY DARNLEY—What Can a Turk Know About Peace, Anyway?



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BRUNO DUKE, Solver of Business Problems

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continued, "the bank would loan it for 6 per cent a year, so it concerns me more, it is because they aren't sound. Besides, Peter, if the bills are good and due in thirty days--and that's what Purvis demands--it's a poor concern that can't hold out for the thirty days."

World War Began 5 Years Ago Today

A declaration by the kingdom of Austria-Hungary five years ago today plunged the world into the greatest war of all history, costing millions of lives, untold suffering and almost countless treasure.

TODAY'S BUSINESS QUESTION

What is "Surety"? Answer will appear tomorrow.

ANSWER TO SATURDAY'S BUSINESS QUESTION

"Letters Patent" is a writing executed and sealed, granting power and authority to do some act or enjoy some right.

Watch for Fake Silver Dollar

Counterfeit silver dollars are in circulation, and shopkeepers have been warned by the banks to examine their coin carefully.