

DREAMLAND ADVENTURES

The Hungry Crocodile by DADDY
Jack and Janet, turned into Slumber Sprites, go with Sleepy Woodchuck, Chip and Chipper Chipmunk, Colonel Croaker and Black Snake on a trip to Egypt.

CHAPTER IV Swallowed by a Crocodile

JACK and Janet gazed with delight at the strange land which bordered the river upon which the steamer was sailing. Palm trees, fairy-like cities, strange-looking people, odd-shaped boats, broad stretches of sand.

"Oh, look! And there is a circus parade," cried Janet, pointing to a long string of camels, winding across the sand. Jack looked in wonder, and then he laughed.

"That isn't a circus parade," he said. "That is a caravan of camels. Haven't you heard how camels carry goods across the desert? They are the freight lines of the Arabia."

Jack and Janet stared with glowing eyes at the camels. They seemed even more curious on the desert than they were in a circus. And so, too, did the hooded and muffled drivers and the wild-appearing horsemen who guarded them.

The steamer came opposite a city, and the engines stopped. No sooner had the ship come to rest, than Old Gray Rat climbed the rail and plunged into the river. His gang followed him.

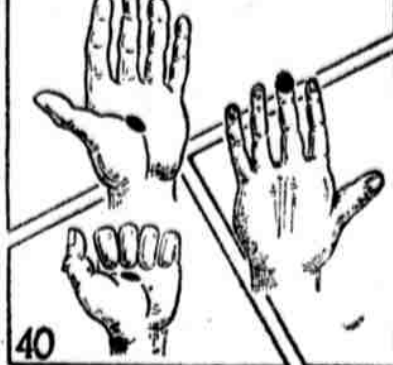
"De-ek! De-ek!" cried Janet, as she saw from this awful ship and escape his snake policeman," panted Old Gray Rat.

But the mean rats were not to get off so easily. Black Snake slipped down a dangling rope, and glided after them. "Come on," said Sleepy Woodchuck to Jack and Janet, Chip and Chipper Chipmunk, and Colonel Croaker.

Jack and Janet called out good-by to the kindly Captain and the two orphan boys, but of course, their "good-bys" were not heard, as the humans cannot hear Slumber Sprites.

They slid down the rope after Sleepy Woodchuck and started to walk ashore, the water holding them up as though it were ice.

After-Dinner Tricks



No. 40—Vanishing Ten-Cent Piece

A bit of beeswax or soft soap is attached to the middle finger nail. The coin is placed in the palm of the hand, and, in closing the fist, the waxed finger nail is pressed firmly against the dime. The hand is opened with a quick flourish, and the coin has gone.

LITTLE BENNY'S NOTE BOOK

By Lee Pape
Me and Sid Hunt had a nickel between us and we wanted to go around and buy a ice cream cone and take turns biting it, only Sid's little brother Bert was there as usual, Sid saying, 'Hay Bert, you stay rite heer till we come back, do you heer?'

"Liko fun, liko ware you go, and Bert, look at heer low, if you start to get fresh ill 'rite to Santa Claus and tell him not to bring you a darn thing, and he'll do me, now are you going to stay here? sed Sid.

"No I aint, im going ware you go, sed Bert. Wats you think of that darn kid, sed Sid, now mind, Bert, ill tell papa on you wen he comes home and he'll make you go to bed erly again tonite like you did last nite, do you want me to tell papa on you?

"Yes, wat do I care? sed Bert. Holey smokes wat do you know about that darn kid, sed Sid, now look at heer, Bert, 'tis a company and 'tis a crowd, aint you got some enuff to know wen youre not wanted?

"No, sed Bert. Which he aint, and I sed, Aw, wats the use of teasing him so ruff, maybe he dont understand we don't reddy want him. And I sed, Hay Bert, listen to reason, will you, me and Sid will be back pritty soon and we aint going enyware special enyware, and if I catch you trying to follo us im going to give you a good swift kick in the pants, do you understand?

"Aw, who wants to follo you? sed Bert. And he didnt, Proving kindhness is the best policy.

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HOLIDAY MISHAPS PROVE NEED OF EARLY SHOPPING

But No One Seems to Mind It Too Much When Overly Energetic Persons Knock Your Bundles From Your Arms

CHRISTMAS shoppers must indeed be all elbows and corners of bundles and as one is pushed and knocked about, one is inclined to believe that most of them are twins.

A weary shopper with a resigned look on her face shifted from first one foot to the other. She sighed, not a soft, gentle one, but a long drawn, audible and emphatic sigh which developed almost into a wheeze. But it did not have the desired effect: a busy salesgirl would not take her out of turn.

Finally the frate shopper, with utter disregard of parking rules, distributed many bundles about her feet, leaped against the counter for support and until all or any who cared to listen. "Well, you hear me; next year I do my Christmas shopping in July!"

Mishaps Are Smiled At
From some institution one woman had gathered twelve little boys and girls, the oldest not more than ten. Each had on a restless arm a paper bag in which were a few ten-cent purchases.

They dashed in and out among the busy, hurrying throng, calling to each other, shouting with glee, and remembering that at one time they, too, was young, eager and full of younger tricks.

The tiniest tad to the biggest grown-up seem infested with this desire to beam upon and speak to all. And Christmas cheer! Of course, packages of every size, shape and description are taken home these days, but, occasionally, there appears under an embracing arm a bundle whose proportions are slightly different from others.

It is held with the greatest of care, treated with the utmost respect, and the knowing passer-by utters and says, "It looks funny to me!" Christmas Cheer Everywhere

And the owner tries so hard to look unconcerned. His face takes on an expression which leads all to believe that he's not long for this world; he's just too good. He tried to look as if he didn't have a gold mine in his possession, and falls enormously, and, alas, pathetically.

But whether the cheer comes in bottles or spoken words, it is bound to be there, and with the efforts of various philanthropic societies working so steadily, it is hoped that every nook and corner will be reached.

WANAMAKER'S WANAMAKER'S WANAMAKER'S

Time Is Fleeting But Gifts Are Abundant in Wanamaker's Down Stairs Store

Men's Inexpensive Jewelry
Men's collar pins are 25c and 50c
Gold-filled chains are \$1 to \$5.
Cuff links are 50c to \$1.50. (Central)

Mesh Bags Are Having a Vogue \$5 to \$10
In the proper sizes and in pretty links, the mesh bags are in silver or green-gold finish. (Central)

Gift Suggestions in the Art Needlework Store
Sewing basket-bags are \$1. Silk powder bags are 25c to \$1. Bayberry candles, two in a holly box, are 25c. Pin cushions are 10c to 85c. Glove and handkerchief boxes are 50c and 75c. Sweet-grass baskets are \$1.25 to \$1.75. Lace-trimmed scarfs are 50c to \$3.50.

Accessories for the houndie are of old rose or blue brocade, ranging from trays at \$1 to baskets and desk sets at \$4.75. Ribbon-covered coat hangers are 50c and 75c. Doll pin cushions are 25c to \$1. Silk and tapestry pillows are \$2.50 to \$8.50. (Central)

Please the Little Fellow
With a raincoat and hat to match. They look like a policeman's rain outfit, and so it's pretty sure that they'll please the boy! Of sturdy black rubberized material, in sizes 8 to 16, the coats are \$3.75. Sou'wester hats to match are 65c. (Gallery, Market)

Christmas Opportunities Central Aisle
Sale of Women's Duplex and Novelty Fabric Gloves, \$1.25 and \$1.50
What an opportunity—to be able to get Christmas presents at prices a quarter and a third less than custom!

Novelty single-fabric gloves in strap-wrist style with attractive pearl buckles and gussets in contrasting colors. Brown, white and cafe, now \$1.25. 8-button duplex chamois lisle gloves in cafe, gray and white, now \$1.25. 12-button duplex chamois lisle gloves, in brown, white, gray and covert, now \$1.50.

Hand-Made Gift Blouses \$3.50 to \$5.75
Tuxedo-style collars, which fit so well over suit coats or sweaters. Sheer white batiste or filmy voile with real Irish or flax lace, hand-drawn work or hand embroidery.

Beaded Bags \$2.50 to \$3.50
Dark or light colors in many pretty patterns. Made to draw together on silken cords and finished with bead tassels. Hand-crocheted to give additional firmness.

Tablecloths of Pure Linen Damask, \$4.50 to \$7
Cloths notable for their graceful patterns, the firmness of their weave and their lustrous sheen. Most of them from Ireland, and that delights any housekeeper's heart! Size 70x70 inches and, of course, unhemmed.

Silver-Plated Novelties 50c to \$2.25
Numbers of pretty things that catch the eye and appeal because of their practical value. Bud vases, 50c to \$1.50; salt and pepper shakers, 50c to \$1 pair; marmalade jars, 50c and \$1; condiment sets, \$1 to \$2.25.

13th Street Aisle Men's Striped Percalé Shirts, \$1.50
Firmly woven white percale with blue, green, tan, black or lavender, plain or cluster stripes.

Women's Envelope Chemises, \$1
Soft white nainsook, attractively trimmed with lace. (Central)



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Hand-Embroidered White Linen Handkerchiefs
50c for pretty ones, finished with hemstitching. 75c for white linen handkerchiefs, exquisitely embroidered in Spain. \$1 for very fine hand-embroidered linen handkerchiefs.

A Rainbow of Hues in 25c and 35c Handkerchiefs
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Good-sized squares of linen, nicely hemstitched. Other plain white handkerchiefs, extra sizes, 75c. (Central)

Christmas Special Pink Silk Envelope Chemises, \$2
Two dainty styles in flesh pink crepe de chine, trimmed with lace all around, and topped with pink or blue ribbon shoulder straps. (Central)

Women's Christmas Stockings
Not the sort to hang up Christmas eve, but the kind she will like to wear long after. \$1.75 for leather mixed wool stockings, full-fashioned, in brown and tan mixtures. \$2 for black, navy, cordovan, white and bronze silk stockings. Full-fashioned with mercerized cotton tops and soles. \$2.85 for black, russet, gray and cordovan silk stockings with self embroidered clocks. Full-fashioned with mercerized cotton tops and soles. (Central)

Radium Silk Petticoats With Scalloped Hems, \$5
Real Christmas petticoats in gorgeous colorings. They are of the heavy radium silk which wears so well and have scalloped hems and sprays of embroidery. In American Beauty, Copenhagen, jade, henna, brown, purple, black, gray and navy. (Central)

Christmas Special Wool-Filled Quilts \$4.50
They are covered with figured cambric and have plain rose, Copenhagen, light blue, pink, yellow, cadet blue and green state borders, scroll stitched. The filling is pure wool. Size 72x80. (Central)

Brushed-Wool Scarf Sets \$3.50 and \$3.90
Women with sports coats and girls with bobbed hair will look especially well in these smart scarfs and becoming little round soft caps. The scarfs are long, finished with fringes. They are in gray, navy, brown and leather with lighter borders. The close roll that serves as the brim of the hat is in the same light color, to match. (Central)

Young Women's Pull-Over Sweaters, Special at \$2.50 (Each Sweater in a Holly Box)
Exactly the kind of sweaters that young women like best—pull-over style with a high neck and long sleeves so that a Peter Pan collar-and-cuff set will fit perfectly. Girls are wearing them to school. In bright Christmas red, navy, henna, jade, buff, Harding blue and black. (Sweater Shop, 13th Street Aisle, Central)

Women's Christmas Slippers for Year-Round Comfort \$1.10
They're made of good felt with well-padded or durable leather soles. Many styles and various colors—not all sizes in every style and color but excellent choosing. Some are topped with fur, others are trimmed with ribbon and pompons and still others are the plain house slippers that women find so comfortable.

Children's Slippers at 90c
Soft padded-sole slippers are trimmed with ribbon and pompons. They are in blue and rose, sizes are broken, but the price is very low for slippers of this quality. (Central)

Christmas Bulletins of Men's Gifts
Shirts—they're worth while gifts, ranging in price from \$1.30 for striped percale to \$6 for striped shirts that look like silk broadcloth.

Flannel Shirts—fine for outdoor men and sportsmen. Gray shirts, wool mixed, \$3 and \$4.25; all-wool blue ones, \$6.

Knitted Neckties, 85c—part-silk ties in striped patterns; plenty of navy, brown, dark green, black, etc. Pajamas—flannel ones are fine for outdoor sleepers, \$2; flannel night-shirts, \$1.45.

Mufflers—all kinds from artificial silk-and-cotton at \$1 to pure silk at \$5. Stripes and plain colors. Bathrobes—young men particularly like the blazer-stripe robes at \$10. Other figured cotton blanket robes in dark colorings as low as \$5. (Gallery, Market)

No Man Ever Has Enough Socks! Here Are Good Ones for Gifts
65c pair for silk-plated half-hose with vertical stripes—gray and black. Full-fashioned. 65c pair for plain color seamless silk half-hose in black, navy, Cordovan and Russian calf. 75c for silk-plated black sock, full-fashioned and durable. \$1.15 for all-silk half-hose, full-fashioned and beautifully made—black only. (Gallery, Market)

Christmas Mackinaws For Boys of 8 to 18 \$10.75
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Incense in various fragrances is 25c a package. Incense burners begin at 25c and sets go up to \$1.25. (Central)

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