



## WORLD'S BEST COMICS

Lighter Side of Life as Depicted by Famous Cartoonists and Humorists
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## EATING HEAVY FOODS




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## HAS LIVED IN THE

 PANHANDLE SINCE BOYHOOD DAYS INTERESTED IN THI PEOPLE OF THIS SECTION AND ACQUAINTED WITH THEIR NEEDSIN COOPERATION WITH LOCAL CITIZENS, HAS GIVEN VITAL ASSIGTANCE IN SECURING PUBII ROADS, SCHOOL BUILDINGS, AND OTHER PROJECTS.

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## Ten Tons of Chain By floyd Gibbons Famous Headine

ERE'S a detective yarn for you-a smuggling story, with all the good points of an old-time thriller, plus the additional good point
every word of it is true. Maybe some of you boys and girls
wondered what really goes on behind the scenes with the cus Well, here's one of them to give us the low-down and spin us the of an actual happening. He is John Lynch of New York city, John bar, es right into his yarn without any preliminaries.
Well," he sass, "it was back in 1914. I was discharged from the
Wiftenth United States infantry at Tientsin, China, and got a job Well., he says, "it was back in 1914. I was discharged from the
ifteenth United states infantry at Tientsin, China, and got a job
ith the Chinese Maritime Customs in that port. My duties were to search all ships, coming and
My duties were to search all ships, coming and going, for smuggled
sand it's not as pleasant a job as you might think, because it entails ling into all sorts of odd corners and out of the way places dur
course of your search."

Customs Officers Ordered to Search the King Sing. There you've got the whole picture in a nutshell. The picture, that is
e average working day. But there's always liable to be a day that's e average working day. But there's always liable to be a day that's a
different from the average and it's just such + one that John Lynch
ing to tell us about now, It was in 1916, two years after he had entered the customs
eervice. John eame to work one morning and took his instrue-
(ions from the bulletin board. "Ominers Mitchell, Galvin and tervice.
tions from the bulletin board. "Omicers Mitchell, Galvin and
lynch," read a notice on that board, "will search S. S. King Sing tol was all in the da
ised any excitement. Mitchell and Galvin arrived a few moments ps. The King Sing of them due do to leave in in half an hour, so they had to
fast. They went out to the ship and John began searching रfast. They went out to the ship and John began searching the fo'csle
crew's quarters while Mitchell and Galvin worked amidships and aft. John Goes Sleuthing Into Anchor Chain Locker.
prowled and poked around the crew's quarters, but he didn't find
Then he began looking for other hiding places in the fore part


John Pieked Up One of the Boxes to Open It.
The ship. He spotted a manhole that led down to the anchor chain locker, er and The nchor was down, and with it the fathoms of heavy anshor
chain, sothe loekker was empty. But John notied something that
looked suspicious. Footprints-quite a bunch of them-on the flcor
of the locker.
Now the anchor chain locker isn't such a popular place aboard a ship.
dark, and stuffy and little frequented except by the anchor chain.
's somet ing doing down herequented Jonscept by the anchor chain to himself, and he began
around in the darkness to see what he could find. Shanghaied in the Bottom of the Ship!
Then-he found it. In the floor was another manhole leading to the
om of the ship. He opened that and went down. In the compartment low, werz several sman wooden boxes. John picked one up and started
break it vepn, when suddenly he heard the rattle of chain above him.
e crew were pulling in the anchor and the chain was pouring into the crew were pu

John picked up his lamp and started up the ladder. It was use. Already, a ton his lamp and started up the ladder. It was no
opening. He heavy ehain was lying on top of the poening. He yelled for help until his throat was hoarse, but the
noitloe of chain deadeved all other sound. The ship got under
way, and there was John, in that Way, and there was John, in that stuffy hole, racing a journey of
five days and nights to Shang hai, with no food-no water-and dog sone little air.
At first, he ne
At first, he nearly went crazy. Then, as the hours and days dragged
he got so he didn't care. The foul air drugged him into a sort of a or. Hunger pains gaawed him insire, bughed himew that wasn't the the
gatest of his worries. The big problem was water. John would have atest of his worries. The big problem was water. John would have
en all his savings for just one big long drink of it in those dark hcurs. Five Days in an Opium Smuggling Cache!
After a while, hunger and thirst roused him from his stupor and he
gan to look around the compartment he was in. He hoped he might find gan to look around the compartment he was in. He hoped he might find
me wway of getting out, but he was disappointed. Then, idy, he turned
aittention \% the boxes on the floor. He broke one open and-it was full opium. Hiz the boxeses on the floor. He broke one open and-it was full
opose footprints had been right. There WAS
ougbing going on. The opium in those boxes was worth a fortune. Fugging going on. The opium in those boxes was worth a fortune.
Five days and five nights. Then they reached Shanghai. Over
head he could hear the anchor ehain snaking out of the locker. head he could hear her he anchor chain snaking out
Barely aible to navizate, John climbed the ladder.
Barely aibe to navigate, John climbed the ladder.
When he came to the second ladder. he almost fainted from weakness
id thirst. He was all in when he tumbled out on deck. The first mate
 eat. The housewife replied that she
would give him food if he would
earn the meal by clearing out the gutter. The tramp agreed, and
when he had eaten his way through
several sandwiches she came out with a reliable-looking hoe.
"You needn't have gone to that
trouble, madam ." said the to rouble, madar, have gone to that the tramp.
I never use a hoe in clearing out
gutter." "Never use a hoe," said the
woman. . What do you use thena shovel?"
"Nodam," replied the
ramp, tarting for tramp, starting for the gate. "My
method is to pray for rain."- Tit
Bits Magazine.

## the high cost



First Neighbor-Didja ever stop t ${ }^{\text {t }}$
figger out what it cost $\mathrm{t}^{\prime}$ raise a cat Second Neighbor-No; but there
neighbor's cat 'round here cost me 'bout a bushel of brick-a-
brac, two alarm clocks and a shoe All Right with Him All Right with Him
The irate passenger who had
stumbled over another passenger's
club bag which stuck out into the
nisle, opened the coach window and
flung the offending piece of bag. gage on to the rige
he snorted:
..Thets the place for things like that," he declared. Mise, Mister,"
"All right with me,
grinned the passenger who was ad,
dressed. "That wasn't my bag."
A Few Ideav
He-See that man over there?
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ing that down for me?
He-Why?
Woman-He's my husband, and
"Why has Qourt husband been "Tm not quite sure, but 1 think Jack put his foot on the exaspera-
or!"-Tit-Bits Magazine. "My education cost me 1,000 Yotes, one doesn't get much for
Woman's Mirrars." tRy POISON bAIT

ask you question. © it now, Edith?
Mamma-What is it
Edith-When the first man start. Edith- When the first man start.
ed to write the word "psalm" with out and start over again?-Ex.


## For Bedspread and Scarf



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chet a simple medallion in hum-
be ble string. Repeated and hum-
they make stunning "heirlooms."
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complete instructions for making
the square shown; an illustration Smiless "Did he Keeping furnish whole
house with second-hand stuff?"
HY house with second-hand stuff?
"Yes-he even married a wid-
ow."-Stray Stories Magazine. Foreign Sunset
"This is a sunset my daughter
painted. She studied painting
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"Ah, that accounts for itt
never saw a sunset like that in
this country." $\begin{gathered}\text { She will Wait } \\ \text { The ardent young suitor was in- }\end{gathered}$
 my -er-marrying your daugh-
ter?" "My boy," replied the father,
"you're only twenty-one and my my
daughter is twent-six. Why not
dait a few more years until daughter is twenty-six. Why not
wait a few more years until
yourre both round about the
same age?"-London Answers.


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