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ONCE UPON A TIME, THERE LIVED A POOR TAILOR WHO SEWED FROM MORNING TILL NIGHT IN HIS LITTLE SHOP.



ONE DAY, WHILE HE WAS WORKING...

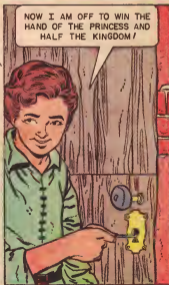
GOOD MORNING, TAILOR. HAVE YOU HEARD THE NEWS?

NO, MY FRIEND. WHAT HAS HAPPENED?



THE KING HAS OFFERED A REWARD TO ANYONE WHO CAN CAPTURE THE TWO WICKEO GIANTS WHO ROAM THE FOREST.

AND WHAT IS THE REWARD?



THE LITTLE TAILOR STARTED OUT IN THE DIRECTION OF THE FOREST. SOON . . .

LOOK AT THIS POOR LITTLE BIRD CAUGHT IN THE BUSH.



IN A MOMENT . . .



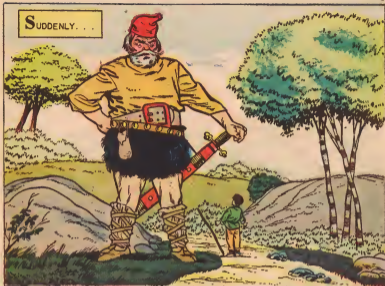
NOW, LITTLE BIRD, YOU CAN TAKE A RIDE IN MY POCKET.



THE TAILOR CONTINUED CHEERFULLY ON HIS WAY.



SUDDENLY . . .



WHERE DO YOU
THINK YOU ARE
GOING, LITTLE MAN?

I AM GOING
TO SEEK MY
FORTUNE.
PLEASE LET
ME PASS.

ONLY PEOPLE
STRONGER THAN
I AM CAN PASS.

I CAN PROVE
I AM STRONGER
THAN YOU!





CAN YOU? LET ME SEE
IF YOU CAN SQUEEZE A
STONE HARDER THAN
I CAN.



THE GIANT SQUEEZED THE STONE
SO HARD THAT WATER CAME OUT OF IT.



WHEN THE GIANT WASN'T LOOKING,
THE TAILOR TOOK THE PIECE OF
CHEESE OUT OF HIS POCKET



HE SQUEEZED IT UNTIL THE
MILK RAN OUT.

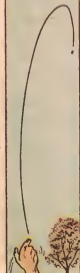
YOU SEE,
GIANT, I AM
JUST AS
STRONG AS
YOU ARE.

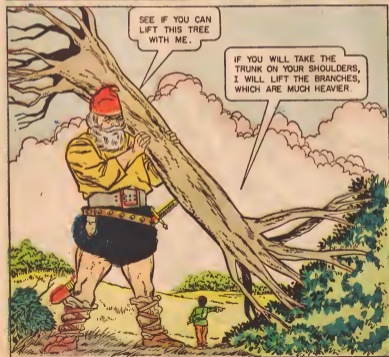
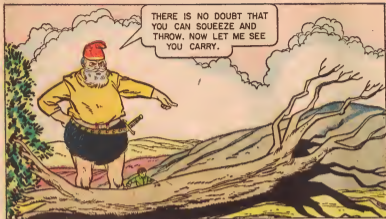


THE GIANT'S STONE WENT SO HIGH IT WAS NEARLY OUT OF SIGHT.

YOUR STONE FELL BACK TO THE GROUND. WHEN I THROW A STONE, IT GOES SO HIGH THAT IT NEVER COMES BACK.

THE TAILOR THREW THE LITTLE BIRD INTO THE AIR . . . AND AWAY IT FLEW.





THE GIANT DID NOT KNOW
HE WAS CARRYING THE BIG
TREE ALL BY HIMSELF.





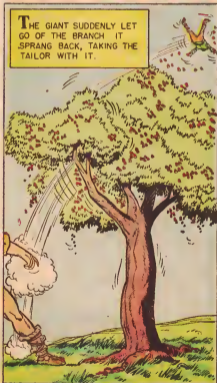
YOU ARE CERTAINLY VERY STRONG FOR YOUR SIZE. NOW, HOW WOULD YOU LIKE SOME CHERRIES?



HELP YOURSELF TO SOME FRUIT, MY FRIEND.

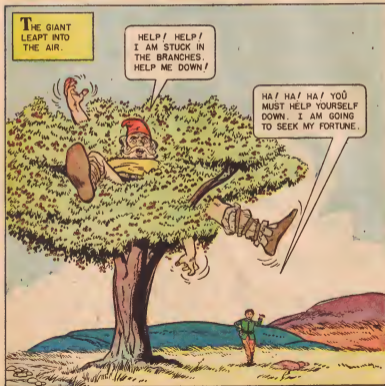


THE GIANT SUDDENLY LET GO OF THE BRANCH. IT SPRANG BACK, TAKING THE TAILOR WITH IT.



HO! HO! HO! HAVEN'T YOU THE STRENGTH TO HOLD ONTO A WEAK BRANCH?





AND OFF WENT THE TAILOR.

THAT WAS A NICE FRIENDLY GIANT.
NOW I AM NEAR THE FOREST
WHERE THE WICKED GIANTS LIVE.



I WILL HAVE TO CAPTURE THEM IN ORDER
TO WIN THE HAND OF THE PRINCESS AND
HALF THE KINGDOM.



THE TAILOR SOON
FOUND THE GIANTS.

THEY SEEM TO BE
TAKING THEIR AFTERNOON
NAP. THAT IS VERY GOOD
FOR ME.



THE
TAILOR
FILLED
HIS
POCKETS
WITH
STONES.



THEN

THE GIANTS WILL NOT
BE ABLE TO SEE ME
HIDDEN AMONG
THE BRANCHES.



THE TAILOR DROPPED A STONE
ON ONE OF THE GIANTS.









THEY SOON KNOCKED EACH OTHER OUT. THE TAILOR TIED THEM UP WITH THEIR OWN ROPE.



AND HE WENT OFF TO SEE THE KING.

YOUR MAJESTY, I HAVE CAPTURED THE TWO WICKED GIANTS WHO LIVE IN THE FOREST. DO I GET MY REWARD OF HALF OF THE KINGDOM AND YOUR DAUGHTER'S HAND?



AND WHAT DO YOU DO, YOUNG MAN, WHEN YOU ARE NOT CAPTURING GIANTS?

I AM A TAILOR.





AFTER CATCHING TWO GIANTS,
IT WILL BE EASY TO CATCH
A UNICORN.

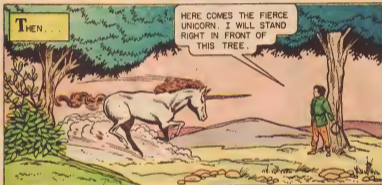


TAKING A ROPE AND AN AX, THE TAILOR
SET OFF FOR THE FOREST.

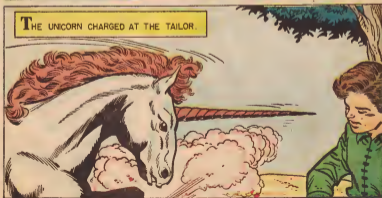


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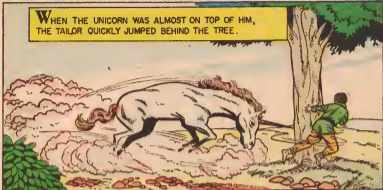
HERE COMES THE FIERCE
UNICORN. I WILL STAND
RIGHT IN FRONT OF
THIS TREE.



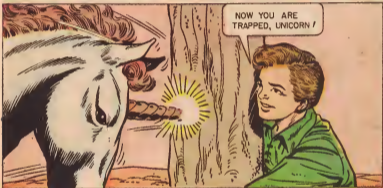
THE UNICORN CHARGED AT THE TAILOR.



WHEN THE UNICORN WAS ALMOST ON TOP OF HIM, THE TAILOR QUICKLY JUMPED BEHIND THE TREE.



NOW YOU ARE TRAPPED, UNICORN!



YOU ARE COMING WITH ME TO SEE THE KING.



THE PEOPLE CHEERED AS THE TAILOR MARCHED BACK TO THE PALACE.

WHAT A BRAVE YOUNG MAN!

HE HAS CAPTURED THE UNICORN!

HE WILL SURELY WIN THE PRINCESS' HAND!



AND AGAIN THE TAILOR STOOD BEFORE THE KING.

NOW MAY I MARRY THE PRINCESS?



HE DOES THESE THINGS SO EASILY.
SURELY THERE MUST BE SOMETHING
I CAN ASK FOR THAT WILL BE
IMPOSSIBLE TO DO!



THEN . . .

BEFORE YOU CAN
MARRY THE PRINCESS,
THERE IS JUST ONE
MORE THING I WILL
ASK OF YOU.



THERE IS A TERRIBLE WILD BOAR
ROAMING THE FOREST. CAPTURE
HIM, AND THE PRINCESS IS YOURS.



I HAVE ALREADY CAPTURED TWO GIANTS AND A UNICORN. IT WILL BE EASY TO CAPTURE A WILD BOAR.



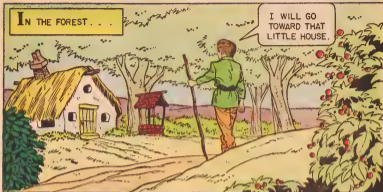
AND THE TAILOR MARCHED OFF AGAIN.

THE WILD BOAR IS VERY DANGEROUS. EVEN THE KING'S HUNTSMEN CANNOT CATCH IT.

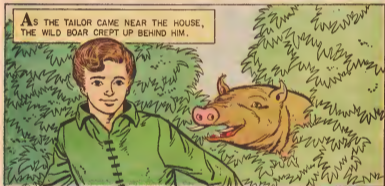
GOOD LUCK, YOUNG MAN!



IN THE FOREST . . .



AS THE TAILOR CAME NEAR THE HOUSE,
THE WILD BOAR CREEPT UP BEHIND HIM.



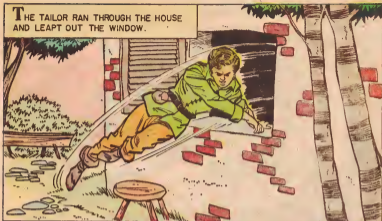
BUT THE TAILOR TURNED AROUND AND SAW HIM



HE RAN TO THE HOUSE,
WITH THE BOAR RIGHT BEHIND HIM.

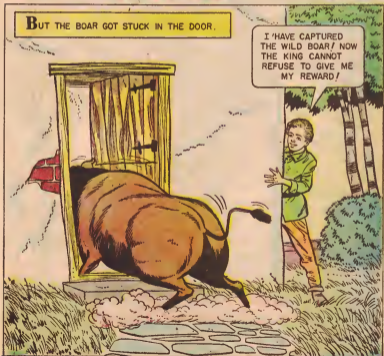


THE TAILOR RAN THROUGH THE HOUSE AND LEAPT OUT THE WINDOW.



BUT THE BOAR GOT STUCK IN THE DOOR.

I 'HAVE CAPTURED THE WILD BOAR! NOW THE KING CANNOT REFUSE TO GIVE ME MY REWARD!



AND SO THE TAILOR MARRIED THE PRINCESS AND BECAME RULER OF HALF THE KINGDOM. AND THE TAILOR AND HIS WIFE AND THE KING AND ALL THE PEOPLE LIVED HAPPILY EVER AFTER.



THE
END

AESOP'S FABLES

THE FOX AND THE CROW

ONE DAY, A CROW FOUND
A PIECE OF CHEESE.



SHE FLEW TO A TREE SO
THAT SHE COULD EAT IT.



BUT...

THAT LOOKS LIKE
A TASTY PIECE OF
CHEESE. IF I AM
CLEVER, PERHAPS
I CAN GET IT
FOR MY DINNER.



HOW LOVELY YOU
LOOK, DEAR CROW,
WITH YOUR SHINY
BLACK WINGS AND
YOUR STRONG CLAWS.



THE CROW LIKED WHAT THE FOX SAID. THEN . . .

I HEAR THAT YOU HAVE A LOVELY VOICE. WOULD YOU SING TO ME SO THAT I CAN HEAR HOW SWEET YOUR VOICE REALLY IS?



THE CROW OPENED HER MOUTH TO SHOW OFF HER VOICE . . .



AND DOWN FELL THE CHEESE.



REMEMBER, DEAR CROW, YOU SHOULD NOT LISTEN TO PEOPLE WHO TELL YOU THINGS YOU KNOW ARE NOT TRUE.



THE END

WINDY NIGHTS

WHENEVER THE MOON AND STARS ARE SET,
WHENEVER THE WIND IS HIGH,
ALL NIGHT LONG IN THE DARK AND WET,
A MAN GOES RIDING BY.
LATE IN THE NIGHT WHEN THE FIRES ARE OUT,
WHY DOES HE GALLOP AND GALLOP ABOUT ?

WHENEVER THE TREES ARE CRYING ALOUD,
AND SHIPS ARE TOSSED AT SEA,
BY, ON THE HIGHWAY, LOW AND LOUD,
BY AT THE GALLOP GOES HE.
BY AT THE GALLOP HE GOES, AND THEN
BY HE COMES BACK AT THE GALLOP AGAIN



From A Child's Garden of Verses

by Robert Louis Stevenson

WOULDN'T IT BE FUNNY?



WOULDN'T IT BE FUNNY--
 WOULDN'T IT NOW, --
 IF THE DOG SAID, "MOO-OO"
 AND THE COW SAID, "BOW-WOW"?
 IF THE CAT SANG AND WHISTLED,
 AND THE BIRD SAID, "MIA-OW"?
 WOULDN'T IT BE FUNNY--
 WOULDN'T IT NOW?

JACK, BE NIMBLE

JACK, BE NIMBLE,
 JACK, BE QUICK,
 JACK, JUMP OVER THE CANDLESTICK.



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