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Shotgun Cheatham's Last Night Above Ground—1929

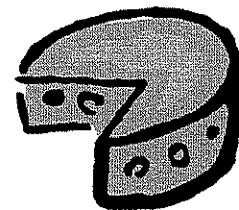
1. What was the Thompson submachine gun better known as?
2. Why doesn't Mary Alice like the tomcat that lives in the cobhouse?
3. Why did people make their own beer at home back then?
4. Why does Joey think Shotgun Cheatham's death does not go unnoticed?
5. Why isn't Grandma one of the first people to hear news on the grapevine?
6. What does Grandma tell Joey and Mary Alice about the way Shotgun earned his name? What does she tell the reporter?
7. According to Joey, what is the condition of Shotgun's body it when arrives at Grandma's house?
8. How does Grandma react when she sees the gauze over Shotgun's coffin moving?
9. Why doesn't Mary Alice move when Grandma shoots at the coffin?
10. What caused the gauze over the coffin to move?

The Mouse in the Milk—1930

1. What does Mary Alice bring with her to Grandma's house to keep herself occupied?
2. What does Joey bring to Grandma's house?
3. Who does Grandma believe blew-up her mailbox?
4. What do the Cowgill boys do to Effie Wilcox?
5. What reason does Grandma give Ernie Cowgill for not needing the next day's delivery when he arrives the morning after her mailbox explodes?
6. How does Grandma respond when Joey asks what the shotgun is for?
7. What does Grandma do to you if you hang around her too close?
8. Who put the mouse in Grandma's milk?
9. How does Effie respond when Joey comes to the church to get Mr. and Mrs. Cowgill?
10. How does Mr. Cowgill punish his boys for breaking into Grandma's house and blowing-up her mailbox?

A One-Woman Crime Wave—1931

1. What does the new sign at the railway station read?
2. What makes the privy smell so bad?
3. What falls into the boat and makes Joey faint?
4. What does Grandma catch with the cheese?
5. Who do Mary Alice, Joey and Grandma see singing on their boat trip to Aunt Puss Chapman's house?
6. By what name does Aunt Puss refer to Grandma?
7. Why was Grandma thrown out of school?



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8. To whom does Grandma feed the catfish, potatoes, onions and beer?
9. Which crimes does the sheriff accuse Grandma of committing?

The Day of Judgement—1932

1. What kind of pie is Grandma famous for?
2. What type of food does Mrs. Weidenbach enter in the county fair each year?
3. What color is the band on the hat Grandma wears to the fair?
4. Why doesn't Grandma want to register her pie as soon as she arrives at the fair?
5. What is the Broshear's Funeral Home motto?
6. Who is awarded the blue ribbon for the best gooseberry pie?
7. Where does Grandma get the blue ribbon she shows to Bernie Buchanan in order to get her plane ride?
8. Did Grandma really switch the card on Mr. Pennypacker's pie with her own?

The Phantom Brakeman—1933

1. What is Nehi?
2. Who beat Hoover for the presidency of the United States?
3. What are the women in the Coffee Pot Cafe discussing when Joey and Mary Alice arrive?
4. How much money is Vandalia paid for cleaning the tables in the cafe?
5. What did Joey help Grandma make after he and Mary Alice returned from the cafe?
6. What caused the train crash that killed the brakeman on the Wabash Railroad?
7. Who does Mary Alice claim she is hiding in her room? Who is she really hiding?
8. Who wants to run away with Vandalia?
9. How old is Junior Stubbs?
10. What does Idella Eubanks do to try to get her daughter back?

Things with Wings—1934

1. Who does Grandma see off at the train the day Joey and Mary Alice arrive for their yearly visit?
2. Who was public enemy number one?
3. How much money does Joey need for his driving lessons?
4. What does Joey fall in love with at first sight?
5. What does Joey want Ray Veech to teach him to do?
6. What does Grandma bring to the rummage sale?
7. Who do the women believe the stovetop hat and quilt belong to?



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8. How does Grandma get Mr. Weidenbach to give Effie Wilcox back her house, free and clear?
9. Where does Joey get the two dollars for his driving lessons?
10. How does Grandma react when Ray turns on the radio?

Centennial Summer—1935

1. What is the Centennial Celebration supposed to celebrate?
2. Why does Grandma send the kids to the attic to look through the old trunks?
3. To whom did the old clothes that Joey and Mary Alice try on belong?
4. What does Mrs. Weidenbach want Grandma to do at the Centennial Celebration?
5. What excuse does Grandma give Mrs. Weidenbach for not being able to help at the celebration?
6. What happened to the old tomcat?
7. What war did Uncle Grady Griswold fight in?
8. Who does Mary Alice dance with in the talent show?
9. Who wins first place at the talent show?
10. Who is the oldest settler in town?
11. What does Grandma leave the kids in the picnic basket?

The Troop Train—1942

1. What does Joe want to learn to be in the army?
2. Why does Joe send Grandma a telegram?
3. What is Grandma doing as the troop train passes by her house?

