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Fury

On a search for a missing missile, Joey
and Packy fall into the clutches of desperate men!





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THE MISSING MISSILE



When Joey and Pucky watch our newest missile blast off on a test run, they little suspect how its mysterious landing will endanger them.



For once the boys locate the missile, they see prisoners of deadly spies and only Fury has a chance to save them from a grim fate.

HIDDEN LOOT



A jailbreak and the long-hidden loot from a bank robbery turn the Broken Wheel range into treasure-hunting grounds for desperate men.



As the hunt goes on, Joey and Pucky find themselves caught in the middle of the deadly game with a savage puma on the loose.

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The MYSTERY MISSILE

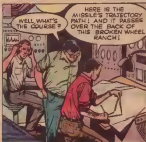


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OTHERS ON THE BROCKY WHEEL RANGE HAVE ALSO FOLLOWED THE MISSILE'S SNOUT...



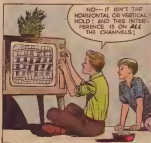
NEXT DAY AS JOEY AND MICKY WERE RIDING HORSES FROM THE BACK OF THE RANGE, SUDDENLY...



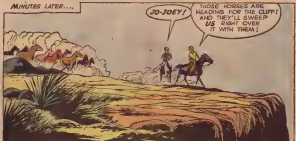
WHILE HIDDEN A SHORT DISTANCE AWAY...



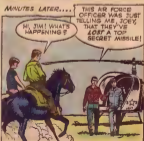
Soon....



MINUTES LATER....









PICKING UP THE HERDS WELL-MARKED TRAIL,
THEY BACKTRACK TILL SUDDENLY...









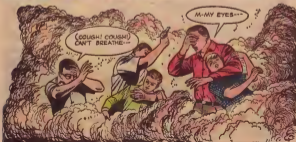
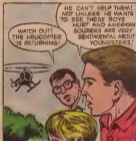






MEANWHILE...







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The HIDDEN LOOT

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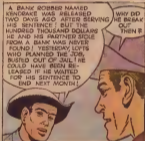
MUST BE IMPORTANT, JIM! OR WHY'D THE MARSHAL HAVE HIS SIREN CATCAWLING LIKE THAT?

WE'LL FIND OUT IN A MOMENT, PETE!



JIM, HAVE YOU OR PETE SEEN ANY SUSPICIOUS-LOOKING STRANGERS AROUND THESE PARTS?

NO, MARSHAL! SHOULD WE HAVE?



A BANK ROBBER NAMED KENDRAKE WAS RELEASED TWO DAYS AGO AFTER SERVING HIS SENTENCE! BUT THE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS HE AND HIS PARTNER STOLE FROM A BANK WAS NEVER FOUND! YESTERDAY, LOFTS WHO PLANNED THE JOB, BUSTED OUT OF JAIL! HE COULD HAVE BEEN RELEASED IF HE WAITED FOR HIS SENTENCE TO END NEXT MONTH!

WHY DID HE BREAK OUT THEN?



BECAUSE HE MUST'VE BEEN AFRAID KENDRAKE WOULD GET TO THE HIDDEN LOOT FIRST! THE REASON I CHECKED HERE IS THAT THEY WERE BOTH CAPTURED NEAR THE BROKEN WHEEL RANGE! THEY MIGHT HAVE HIDDEN THE LOOT HERE! IF YOU SEE ANY STRANGERS, CALL ME! LOFTS IS ARMED WITH A PISTOL HE STOLE FROM A PRISON GUARD!

WE'LL BE ON THE LOOKOUT, BUT I HAVEN'T SEEN ANYONE AROUND!



MEANWHILE, IN THE MOUNTAIN PASS...

THAT FIRE'S STILL BURNING, JOEY! WHO MADE IT?



WE'D BETTER PUT IT OUT! WHOEVER MADE IT SURE IS CARELESS!

HOW'D HE GET HERE? WE DIDN'T CUT ANY HORSE TRACKS!



THANKS, BOYS! I WAS COMING BACK TO PUT IT OUT MYSELF! JUST COOKED ME SOME LUNCH THERE!

WHAT ARE YOU DOING ON THE BROKEN WHEEL RANGE?



DRAKE'S THE NAME! I'VE GOT A BROKEN CAR ON THE BROKEN WHEEL RANGE, I GUESS! MY CAR BROKE DOWN AND I'VE BEEN WALKING FOR TWO HOURS, LOOKING FOR HELP! STOPPED TO HEAT A CAN OF BEANS!

WE CAN PHONE A GARAGE FROM THE RANCH HOUSE!



CLIMB ON! FURY CAN CARRY A DOUBLE LOAD EASILY!

I'M SURE GLAD YOU HAPPENED BY! THE BEATS WALKING!

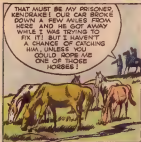


HE-HEY!











GOT HIM!



HERE YOU ARE, MR. FIELDS!

THANKS, SON! IF I CATCH KENDRAGE, YOU CAN BET THERE'LL BE A BIG STORY AND YOUR NAME WILL BE IN IT!



THAT DOESN'T MATTER! JUST GET THE CONVICT!

WHICH WAY DID HE RIDE?



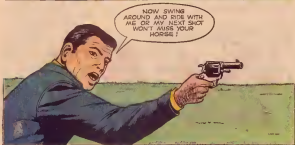
HE WENT TOWARD THE BACK OF OUR RANGE! WE'LL RIDE TO THE RANCH AND ALERT THE MARSHAL!

NO! YOU'RE COMING WITH ME!



BUT THAT'S SILLY---

---I MAY NEED YOU BOYS TO ACT AS MESSENGERS FOR ME! I HAVEN'T TIME TO ARGUE! YOU'RE COMING!





SOON...

GET OFF YOUR HORSE HERE, KIDS, AND NO TRICKS!

HE DIDN'T EVEN LOOK FOR THE RED-HEADED MAN! HE JUST ROSE STRAIGHT HERE LIKE HE'D BEEN HERE BEFORE!



YOU'RE RIGHT, PUCKY! NOW WE SHOULD FIND OUT WHY HE CAME TO THIS CAVE!



NEIGH!

EASY, FURY! GET DOWN!



STOP IT! THERE'S NOTHING I SEE AROUND HERE TO MAKE YOU ACT UP!

NEEYAN!



THUNDER! THUNDER!

BOY, LOOK!





THERE'S WHO DID IT!
THE RED-HEADED CONVICT...

I'VE GOT TO
REACH THAT
PISTOL FIRST!



NEEYAH!



BUT AS FLURY'S HOOF FLARES OUT, THE CONVICT ROLLS SUDDENLY...



THANK YOUR HORSE FOR GIVING ME THE SUN, BOY!



NEEYAH!

CALL YOUR HORSE BACK OR I'LL DROP HIM!

EASY, FLURY! STAY BACK!





HIT THE PUNA SPINE WITH A SHARP,
SLIDING BACK INTO THE CAVE! THEN,
TWO MINUTES PASS...









Fury WESTERN BANKS



IN THE OLD DAYS WHEN BANK DEPOSITS WERE NOT INSURED AND BANKS WERE OFTEN A FEW DAYS' RIDE AWAY, MANY RANCHERS KEPT THEIR MONEY AT HOME -- HIDING IT AWAY!

THAT MEANT HIDING THE MONEY ON THE RANCH. MANY RANCHERS USED POSTHOLES FOR BANKS. THEY'D PICK ONE OF THE MANY POSTS AND DIG IT UP...



THEN THE HORDE OF GOLD OR SILVER COINS WOULD BE PLACED IN THE HOLE. THE POST WOULD BE PUT BACK UP, BUT MANY RANCHERS FORGOT WHICH POST HAD THEIR SAVINGS!

TO THIS DAY POSTHOLE BANKS HAVE BEEN FOUND FILLED WITH OLD COINS! ANOTHER HIDING PLACE WAS UNDER TREE ROOTS, AND RECENTLY SUCH A BANK WAS UNCOVERED IN TEXAS!



IN ROCKY COUNTRY, WHERE FENCES WERE NOT USED, RANCHERS PLACED SAVINGS UNDER ODD-SHAPED STONES. SOME DIED BEFORE SPENDING THEIR MONEY, LEAVING TREASURES STILL TO BE FOUND!

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HIDDEN LOOT

THE LOOT OF THE MOST FAMOUS WESTERN GANG IS STILL HIDDEN! WHEN JESSE JAMES'S GANG HIT A MEXICAN MULE TRAIN IN OKLAHOMA, THEY TOOK TWO MILLION DOLLARS!



THE LOOT WAS HIDDEN, TO BE USED WHEN THE GANG SETTLED DOWN. THAT NEVER HAPPENED. THEY WERE DEAFED OR ESCUED, JESSE JAMES FALLING WITH A BULLET IN HIS BACK!

WHEN ONLY FRANK JAMES WAS LEFT, HE GAVE HIMSELF UP AND A COURT ACCQUITTED HIM. HE WENT TO RECOVER THE LOOT, BUT THE FORMER WILDERNESS WAS FILLED WITH FARMERS!



FRANK JAMES BOUGHT A FARM IN THE WICHITAS, GALLOPING FROM IT EARLY IN THE MORNING RECALL WHERE ALONG THE OLD TRAIL TO DOODIE CITY THEY'D BURNED THE LOOT.

AFTER WEARING OUT HALF A DOZEN HORSES HE STILL FAILED TO RELOCATE WHERE TO DIG. HE RODE OFF FOREVER, LEAVING BEHIND THE STILL UNFOUNDED JAMES GANG LOOT!

