MR. MEN
IN IRELAND

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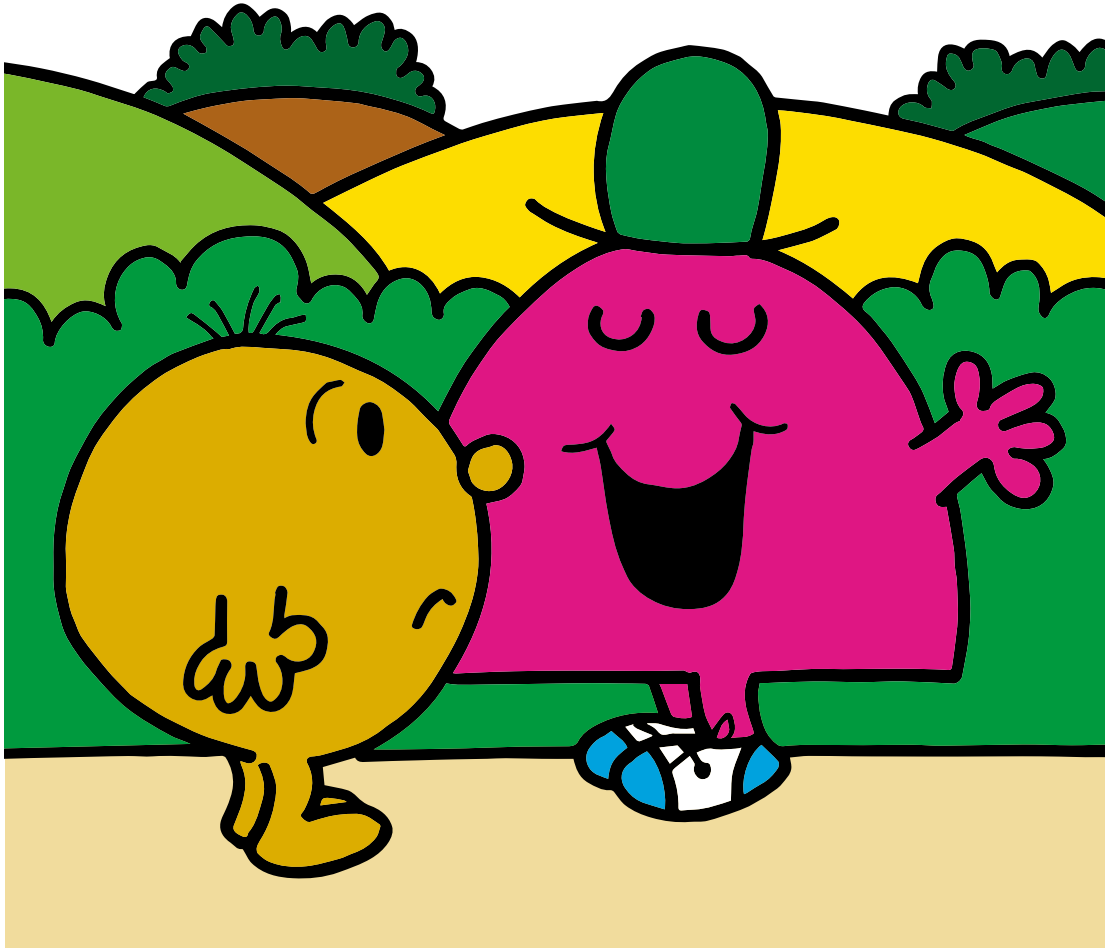
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Mr Quiet was enjoying a quiet walk when he met the one person he did not want to meet. Mr Chatterbox!

"Hello, hello, hello," chattered Mr Chatterbox. "You're very quiet aren't you, Mr Quiet? You need to get out more and chat. Like me! In fact, what you need is to learn the gift of the gab! Now, what is the gift of the gab I hear you say? It means that you can chat with ease. In fact, there's a stone in Ireland called the Blarney Stone and if you kiss it you will be granted the gift of the gab. We should go!"

And before Mr Quiet could say a word it had all been settled.

They were going to Ireland.



And, as it turned out, lots of their other friends wanted to join them. Especially, Little Miss Lucky.

She wanted to see the shamrock, the clover which is the symbol of Ireland, but most of all she wanted to find a four-leaf clover.

Little Miss Lucky had a lucky horseshoe and a lucky number seven, but the one thing she did not have was a four-leaf clover, which was even luckier because they were so difficult to find.

But being as lucky as Little Miss Lucky was, she found one as soon as they arrived!

