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BERYL THE PERIL

CAN YOU GIVE ME A HAND?
I'LL SIT HERE AND SUPERVISE.
LATER...
PHEW! ALL DONE.
GREAT, SO THAT'S THE TOILET TENT. WHERE'S OUR TENT?
THIS IS OUR TENT.
HOPEFULLY IT'S LIKE DOCTOR WHO'S TARDIS AND BIGGER ON THE INSIDE.
NOPE. IT'S TINY. LET'S JUST GO HOME AND SLEEP IN OUR COMFY BEDS, DAD.
STOP COMPLAINING AND FIND SOME WOOD SO WE CAN MAKE A FIRE.
BUT I'M REALLY TIRED AFTER THAT MILLION-MILE HIKE.
WE CAN ROAST GIANT MARSHMALLOWS LATER IF YOU DO.
WHOOSH!
MONSTER mallows
DEAL!
SHORTLY...
HERE YOU GO, DAD. FRESH FIREWOOD.
WOW! THAT WAS QUICK.
BERYL, WHY'S ALL THIS WOOD DAMP? IT HASN'T RAINED TODAY.
UM... I'VE NO IDEA.
RUMBLE!
IT SOUNDS LIKE THERE'S SOMETHING IN THE BUSHES.
WAAH! ANGRY BEAVERS!
TO THE TREES!

Scurry!
WHAT DID YOU DO?
climb!
WHAT MAKES YOU THINK I HAD ANYTHING TO DO WITH THIS?
COULD THINGS GET ANY WORSE?
ARRGH! THEY'VE GOT THEIR PAWS ON OUR GIANT MARSHMALLOWS.
hee hee!
SCURRY!
BERYL, WHY DID OUR CAMP GET OVERRUN BY ANGRY BEAVERS?
HEH HEH HEH!
I MAY HAVE BORROWED A FEW PIECES OF WOOD FROM THEIR DAM.
WHO WOOD HAVE THOUGHT THEY'D BE SO ANGRY?
THEY'RE COMING BACK.
WHAT NOW?
YOU BORROWED OUR WOOD, SO NOW WE'LL BORROW YOURS!
CRIKEY! NOW THEY'RE CHOMPING THROUGH OUR TREE.
GNAW!
GNAW!
ARRGH!
CREAK!
OUCH! THIS IS IN-TENTS.
I DON'T BEAVER-LIEVE WHAT'S HAPPENING.
HEHEE HEEHEE!
SO...
I THINK WE MAY HAVE BITTEN OFF MORE THAN WE CAN CHEW. TIME TO GO HOME!
TEE-HEE! IT'S BEEN NICE GNAWING YOU.
WHOOSH!
RIGHT BEHIND YOU, DAD.

DREADLOCK HOLMES

ONE OF YOU DID IT! I'M GOING TO USE MY POWERS OF DEDUCTION TO WORK OUT WHO!
YOU MIGHT THINK YOU'RE CLEVER, BUT YOU WON'T BE ABLE TO COVER YOUR TRACKS!
AHA! IT WAS YOU! WERE THE SWEETS TOO TEMPTING FOR THE TRAIN DRIVER?
OR WAS IT YOU, HERCULES PARROT? WAS RESISTING THE SWEETS A TASK TOO HARD EVEN FOR HERCULES?

DID YOU LOSE YOUR MARBLES AND EAT ALL THE SWEETS, MISSY MARBLES?

WAIT A MINUTE... LOOK AT YOUR HANDS! YOU'VE ALL BEEN EATING SUGAR!

IT WAS ALL OF YOU!

WE TRIED TO TELL YOU, KID, THE SWEETS WERE FOR EVERYONE. YOU NEARLY MISSED THEM BECAUSE YOU SPENT AGES DAYDREAMING, BUT WE SAVED YOU SOME.
HERE YOU GO!

OH. SORRY.
I THOUGHT YOU WERE TAKING ME FOR A RIDE!

THERE'S ONLY ONE RIDE THAT YOU ARE BEING TAKEN ON TODAY! ALL ABOARD!
SORRY I WENT A BIT OFF THE RAILS JUST THEN! MAYBE I NEED MORE TRAINING AS A DETECTIVE!

George
Harry
Noah
Olivia
Emily
Meera
DANDYTOWN SCOUTS!
NEVER PREPARED!
I'M FEELING REALLY, REALLY HOPEFUL THAT YOU'LL EARN YOURSELVES A BADGE TODAY. GOODNESS KNOWS YOU TRY HARD ENOUGH!
WHAT BADGE CAN WE TRY TO EARN?
SO...
NO.
TRIED THAT.
TOTALLY NO!
YAY!
THAT'S THE ONE FOR US!
YES! YOU'RE GOING TO GET THE MUSIC BADGE!
WAIT A MINUTE. NOBODY HERE CAN REALLY PLAY ANY INSTRUMENTS.
YOU'RE SUCH A NEGATIVE NANCY. DON'T LET FACTS GET IN THE WAY, BECAUSE I CAN...
...SIIIIIIING!
WAAH!
MAKE IT STOP!
SHATTER!
COLLAPSE!
JUST LET ME STRAIGHTEN THIS TO STOP THE REST OF THE ROOF FROM FALLING IN!
DANDYTOWN SCOUTS
NOT. ONE. WORD.
IS 'DIABOLICAL' ONE WORD?

THUMP!
THUMP!
THUMP!
NOW WHAT?!
THERE'S A DRUM KIT HERE. I CAN PLAY THIS!
THUMP!
THUMP!
THERE'S A BETTER WAY TO PLAY ON IT! BEAT IT!
LEAP!
ARRGH!
I'M GIVING IT SOME WELLY - OR I WOULD BE IF I WAS WEARING WELLIES!
BANG!
I'VE GOT A BONE TO PICK WITH YOU... A TROMBONE!
WHACK!
EVERYONE, BE QUIET AND LISTEN TO ME!
OH NO. SHE'S GONNA SING AGAIN.
AGAIN? YOU CALL THAT SINGING LAST TIME?
I'VE GOT THIS.
ROCK ON!
WAAH!
LET'S JUST PLAY!
YEAH!
WHAT A ROTTEN COMMOTION!
IN
MAKE SOME NOISE.
BETTER THAN ANY BAND EVER!
YOU GOT SOME BADGES FOR SURE, BUT I DON'T THINK THESE COUNT!
YOUR BAND IS BANNED
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HMPH!