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Gone With the Wind

We were out flying a kite one day here in the field at Dudley Shoals. The wind was great for flying kites that day and it sent the kite way up into the sky. As a matter of fact, it went so high that the string broke. We were over in Hickory later and saw a kite hanging on a powerline that looked just like the one that flew away from us.

Billy Wayne had a Panthers cap and was bragged about how the Panthers were going to win. When he was outside one day with the hat on, the wind blew it off his head. He never did find the cap. He said, "I hated that because that was the best cap I ever owned. I wander if it went to Charlotte. Ha!"



Have you ever lost something and never did find it? I lost my glasses and an afghan and I have never found either one. I don't think the wind blew them away.

Hair Do's and Don'ts



I will never forget Bea Spencer telling about when she was a little girl. She said she had long hair and that she also had a little black girl friend.

One day Bea said to her friend, "I wish I had hair that looked like yours."

Her friend said,"I can fix your hair to look like mine." Then she took Bea to a pine tree where the rosin was oozing out of the tree and put the rosin on Bea's hair. When she got home, Bea's mother had to cut all of Bea's hair off to get the pine rosin out!

The Kindergarten Picture

At five years of age, Billy Wayne decided to cut his hair in the front. He curled the scissors around his hair as tightly as he could, and cut the hair as close to his head as possible. That was about two weeks before he was to have his kindergarten picture taken. He looked kinda pitiful in the picture. He did not smile.

Curly Hair Baby

Max Spencer had curly hair when he was a little boy. When he entered the fifth grade, he said, "I want straight hair and I'm going to get it."

He combed and combed his hair until one day it got straight and stayed that way. Then when he was older, he wanted his curly hair back, so he went to a beauty parlor and had a permanent put in. But his hair never looked as pretty as his natural curl had.