

# MAJESTY'S CORNER

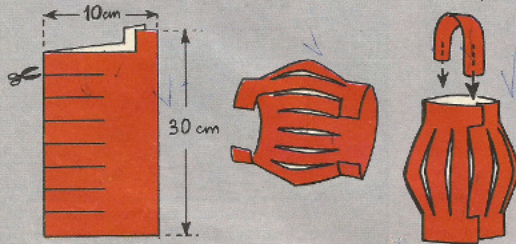


Hello,  
I expect you wondered who Princess Pearl is in the first story. Well, we're all very excited here in Pony Land because I have six Princess ponies staying with me, in Dream Castle. Spike is more excited than any of us: the Princess ponies have brought

their special friends with them. If you look at their baskets, you will see their names. They are too shy to come out yet, but I am sure you will soon meet the six little dragons from the Land of Dragons! Of course, Spike has his own basket, now he wants another one. One like the new dragons have got.

## HOW TO MAKE A LANTERN BASKET

You need a piece of coloured paper, 30cm x 20cm. Fold it in half lengthways and make cuts in the paper as shown in the diagram. Snip off the end flap to make the tabs. Unfold the paper and roll it into the lantern shape. Glue the tabs in place. Cut a strip of paper for the handle and glue it on.



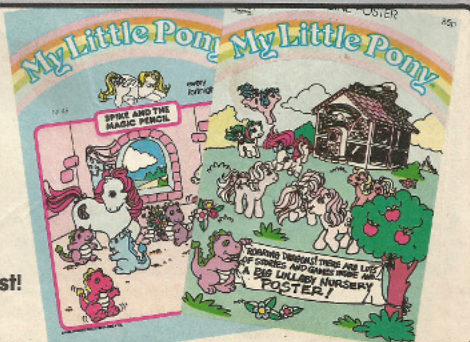
Make a round 'box' out of card for Spike to sit in. Slip the lantern shape over this box and glue the bottom edges of the lantern onto the underneath of the box.

### To Make the Box

1. Make a tube shape from card, big enough for Spike to sit in.
2. Make a circle with four tabs, the circle should be just slightly larger than the tube shape.
3. Glue the circle to the end of your tube shape.

## IN OUR NEXT ISSUE...

Spike takes his new dragon friends to Fantasy Forest.  
Cotton Candy has a busy day as the Pony Land nurse.  
Wind Whistler meets some wandering wisps.  
Watch out for the My Little Pony magazine poster too - They're both on sale from May 21st!



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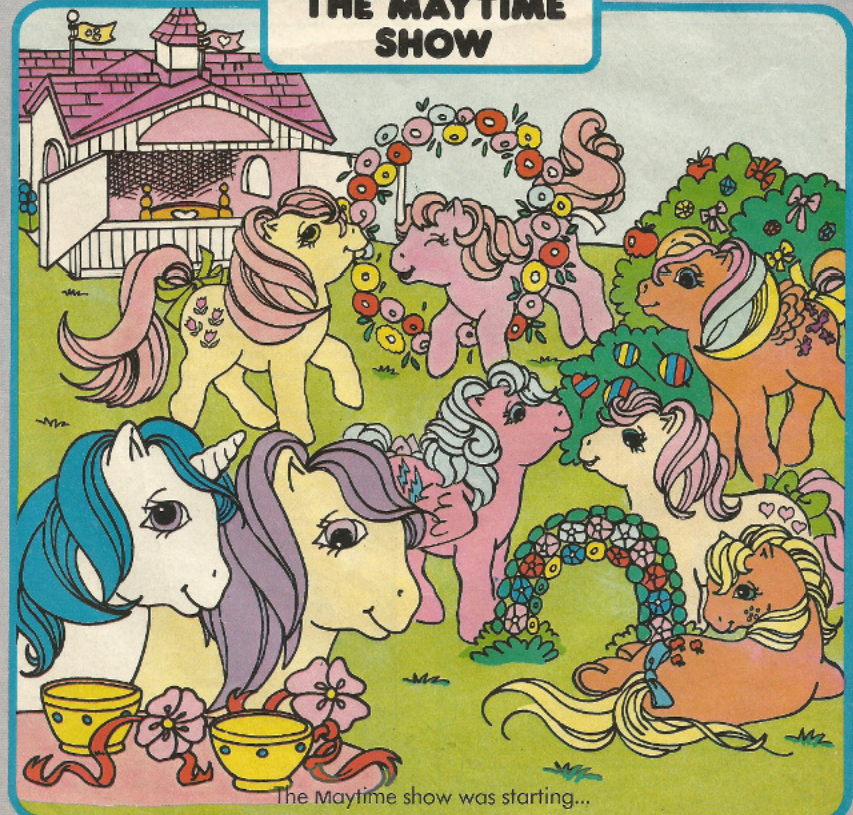
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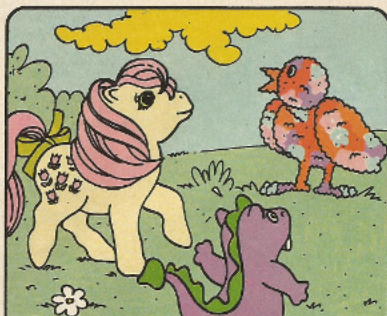
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## THE MAYTIME SHOW

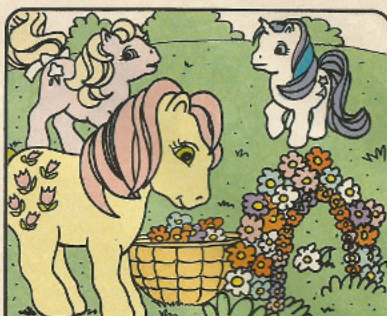


The Maytime show was starting...

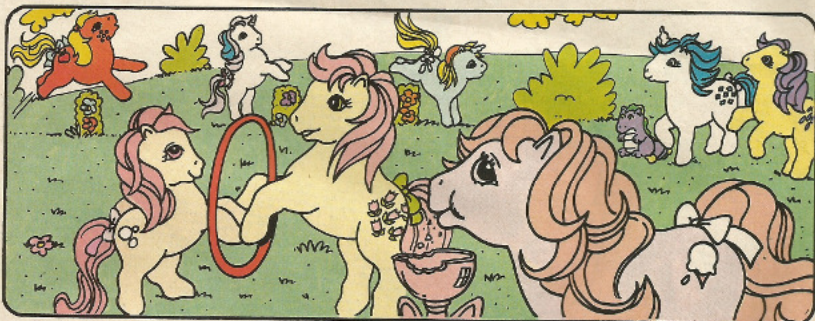




"Pony feathers, that looks just like Clarence Cuckoo who lives in Majesty's clock in Dream Castle!" cried Spike.



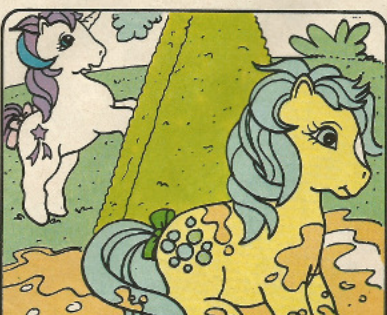
Posey nodded. She had been busy making floral hoops for the baby ponies to jump through. They were very pretty.



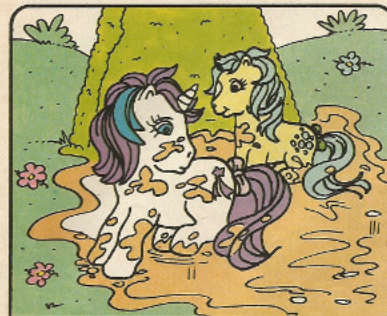
The babies had a special obstacle course of their very own. And, thanks to Lemon Drop's coaching they all won a prize...a crystal cup made from pink sugar. "Delicious!" cried Baby Lickety-Split. "These are much better than silver ones!"



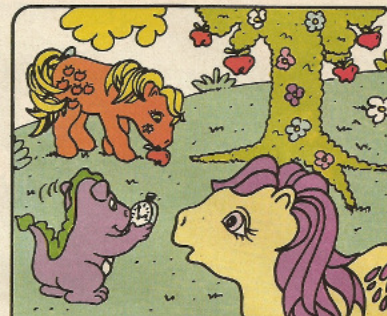
But Lemon Drop had made lots of very difficult jumps. There was one like a very steep mountain.



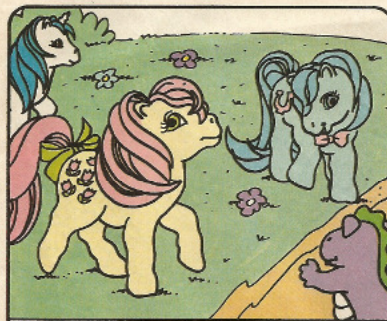
If a pony failed to clear the mountain jump, she landed in a pool of mud at the bottom. Some ponies didn't like getting muddy!



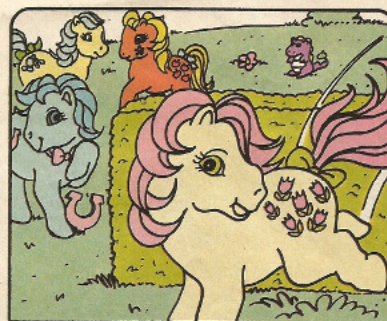
"I'm covered with mud!" said Glory crossly. "Happy hooves, this is fun. I'll try to jump again!" laughed Bubbles.



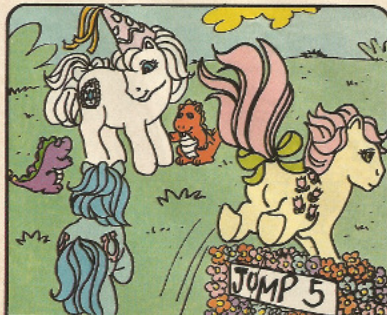
Lemon Drop was jumping very well until she stopped to scold Applejack for eating apples... and ran out of time!



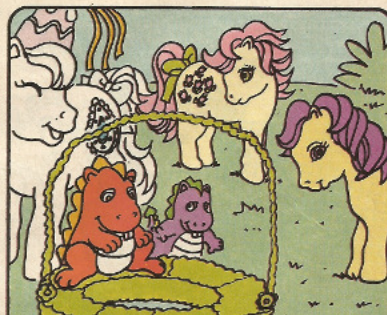
"Come on, Posey, it's your turn now!" called Baby Lucky. "I'm sure to knock everything down," sighed Posey.



"Happy horseshoes, I wish that this was your lucky day," cried the baby boy pony...and Posey sailed over the jump!

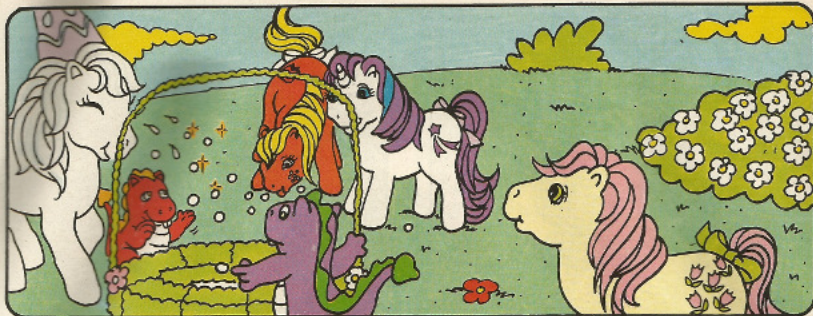


"I'm sure it's Baby Lucky who's bringing me luck," said Posey. "Pony feathers, he's walking away...oh, my luck's gone!"

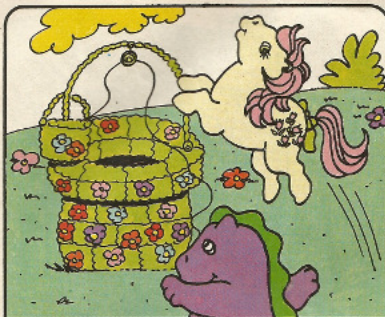


"Lustre and cream and seeds and pearls," laughed the Princess Pearl. "That was a funny joke, Spike!" and she laughed.





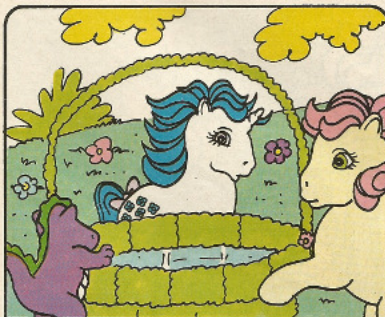
And, as she laughed, the happy tears of merriment of the Princess pony turned into real pearls. The baby ponies picked them up to make a necklace for Sparkler...a wishing necklace! But one pearl rolled into the well...and turned it into a wishing well!



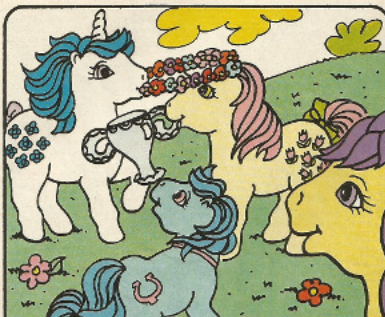
"It's a wishing well now, Posey!" roared Spike. "Make a wish and it will come true. I will!" cried Posey as she jumped.



"I wish that I can jump the well," cried Posey. "Let me jump higher than ever before. Let me win!"



And, as Posey jumped over the well, the water in it turned to a shimmering white...the colour of pearls!



So Posey won the silver cup and was crowned with May flowers...the champion little pony at the Maytime Show!



## COMPETITION OPEN TO ALL READERS

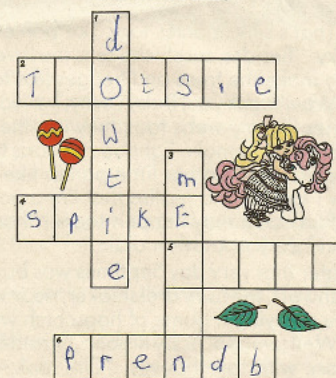
A lot of you have written to tell us how much you enjoyed the My Little Pony film. There is also a storybook of the film and we are giving ten of them as prizes in the competition below.

**How To Enter:** Work out the first letter of every picture in the squares and put the letters in the empty squares.

### PICTURE PUZZLE CROSSWORD



## FIND THE NAMES



When you have found the six Pony Land names, don't cut your comic, write them down on a postcard or on the back of a sealed envelope.  
Send your answers to: **PICTURE PUZZLE CROSSWORD, MY LITTLE PONY, PO BOX 190, MAIDENHEAD, BERKS SL6 1YX**

The closing date is May 25th and don't forget to include your own name and address. The first ten correct entries pulled from the postbag after the closing date will receive a My Little Pony Storybook of the Film.

## JUST FOR FUN

Complete the picture of Baby Lickety-Split.





# FLUTTERBYE AND THE SPIDER



Flutterbye, one of the pegasus ponies, was out one day carrying a message to the Flower Fairy Queen from Majesty.

As she looked down she saw Septimus Spider crawling along the hawthorn hedge which was bright with flowers.

"Hello, Flutterbye, isn't it a lovely day?" called Septimus.

But Flutterbye just tossed her head and pretended not to hear as she flew on.

"I'm afraid Flutterbye does not like me," poor Septimus said to Baby Lucky. "She says that I am an ugly hairy creature with long, spindly legs...she says that I frighten her a little!"

"That's silly...ponies look like ponies...and spiders look like spiders!" said Baby Lucky. "Besides, surely she sees the lovely webs that you spin...delicate as cobwebs. They make the trees and hedges like tables spread with pretty lace."

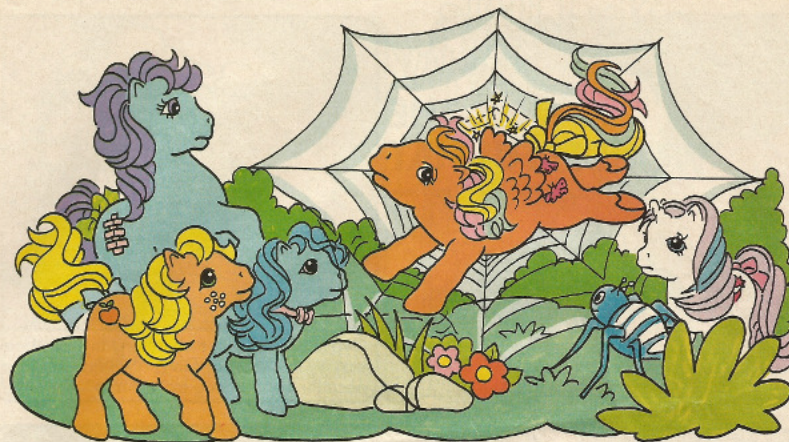
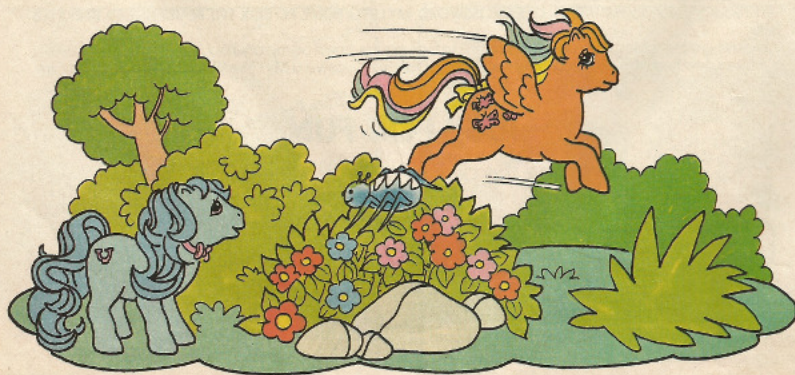
"Why, thank you, Baby Lucky," cried Septimus looking very pleased. "The Flower Fairies like my webs too...they use the gossamer threads to trim their dresses and cloaks and to make light bedspreads to cover the fairy babies in their walnut shell cradles. All the other little ponies like me...I do wish that Flutterbye would forget how I looked and realise that I'm a good little spider really."

"Perhaps it may happen sooner than you think," said Baby Lucky.

And do you know, it did!

Later that very day Septimus was busy spinning a web for a roll of cloth for Fairy Stitchwort, the fairy dressmaker, near where Baby Lucky and the other baby ponies were enjoying a game of hopscotch with Hopscotch.

"Well jumped, Baby Ribbon," cried Septimus, as the little pony landed on the last square with four hooves. "Oh, look, everyone, here comes Flutterbye...and she seems to be in trouble!"



"What's wrong Flutterbye?" called Baby Lucky.

"I've hurt my wing and can't fly properly," cried poor Flutterbye, sounding quite frightened. "I'm going to crash down soon and hurt myself. Heavy hooves, can someone help me?"

"Shall I run back to Dream Castle and get Majesty?" cried Baby Lucky to Septimus.

"No, that will be too late. Baby ponies, I am going to try and spin a large web. You must all hold onto it tightly and let's hope that Flutterbye will land safely," cried Septimus.

As Flutterbye dropped down, the baby ponies held onto the web which Septimus had woven.

"Cobwebs and lace, I don't think it is big enough," cried Septimus.

"Happy-go-lucky, I wish it was as big as a blanket," whispered Baby Lucky.

"Happy horseshoes look, it's growing simply enormous! Hang on tightly, everyone, don't let it break!"

And, as everyone held on tightly, Flutterbye dropped down and landed safely right in the middle of Septimus's web.

"What a lucky little pony I am and so lucky to have my wish come true," cried Baby Lucky, as he helped Flutterbye out of the cobweb safety net.

"And I'm a very lucky pony to have such a kind spider to make me a safety net when I was so horrid to him," said Flutterbye, looking very ashamed of herself. "Will you please forgive me, Septimus, and will you be friends with me?"

"Oh, Flutterbye, of course I will...that's what I've always wanted!" said the spider in delight. "And I will bandage up your wing with my cobweb so that it will heal quickly. It will be so soft and gentle that you will not even know that you have a bandage on it!"

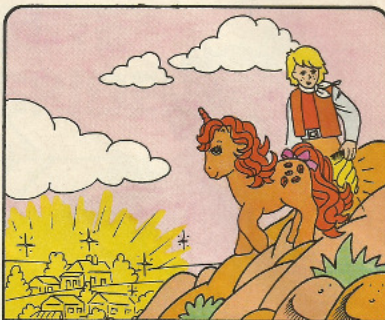
And the next day when the woodland animals went down to the Flowery Fields to see the Flower Fairies pass by on their way to the wedding of Princess Carnation to the King of the Woodland Elves, there was Septimus Spider sitting on a hawthorn bush chatting happily to his best friend, Flutterbye, the little pony!



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## THE WONDERFUL HAT

Part two



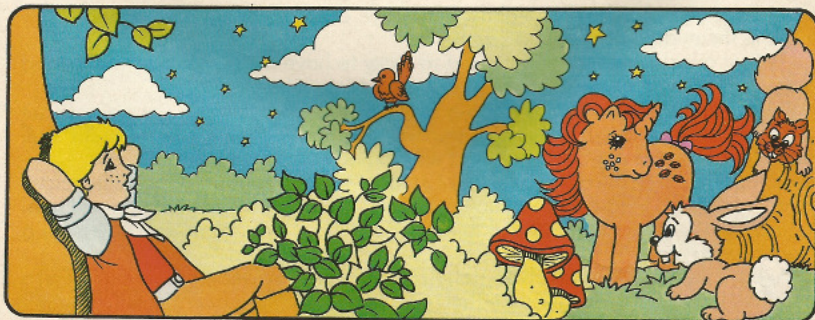
Gypsy and Will the shepherd are on their way to the Land of Gold. Will has found a peculiar hat hanging from a tree...



"What use is a hat when I need gold for a dowry if I am to win Princess Goldie for my bride?" muttered Will crossly.



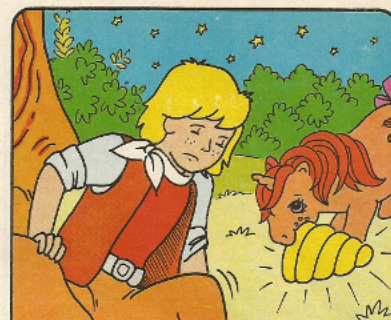
"Because it is no ordinary hat...it is the magic hat of plenty," replied Gypsy gently. "Soon you will see!"



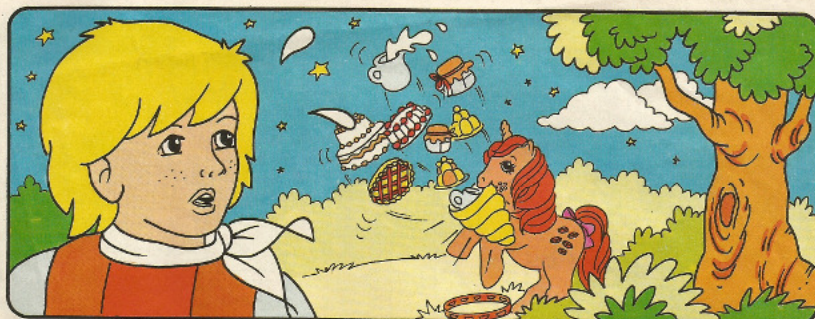
"Humph, I'd rather have money in my pocket," scoffed Will. "I'm tired and hungry...and where shall we sleep tonight? We have no money for a bed!" "We will sleep under the stars and the birds will sing you to sleep," said Gypsy.



"I'm too hungry to eat," muttered Will crossly. "And this tree trunk makes a hard pillow for my head!"



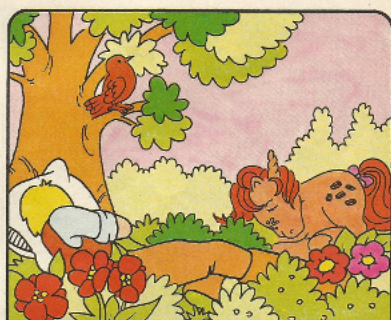
"Give me your hat and I will show you what a wonderful treasure you have," said Gypsy. "It is better than money!"



And, as Will watched, Gypsy shook her tambourine and sang: "Hat of Plenty, fill for me, Food-a-plenty let there be! A soft pillow for Will's head, to sleep as well as if in bed!" Out of the hat poured lots and lots of food...

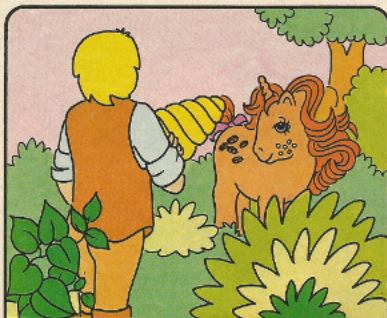


"It's a magic hat," gasped Will in delight. "I've never tasted such food...and look at this lovely soft pillow!"

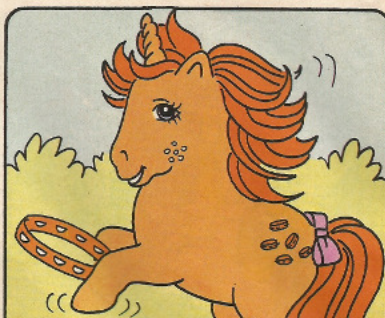


The nightingale sang Will to sleep, and he dreamed sweetly of the lovely princess he hoped to marry.

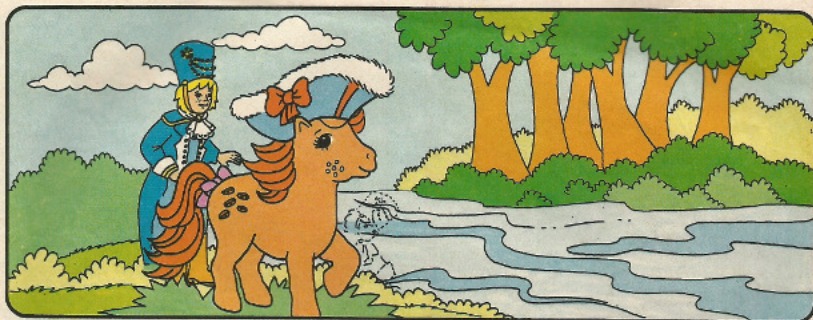




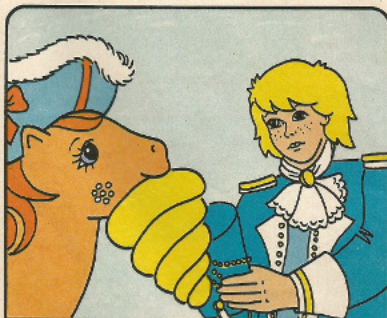
Next morning Will was eager to reach the royal palace. "Will, you need new clothes before we enter the palace," Gypsy said.



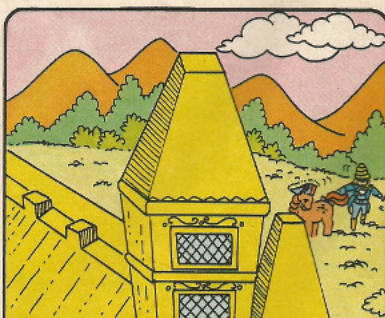
"Hat of Plenty, fill with clothes, doublet, tunic, princely hose, silk and satin, velvet, fur..."



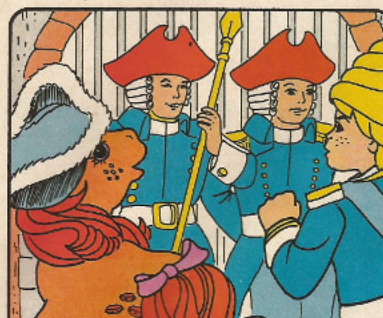
...decked with jewels rich and rare. Turn the shepherd into a gentleman, as quickly now as you can!" Out poured the finest clothes and soon Will looked as handsome as a prince. He put on the velvet hat which had come out of the Hat of Plenty.



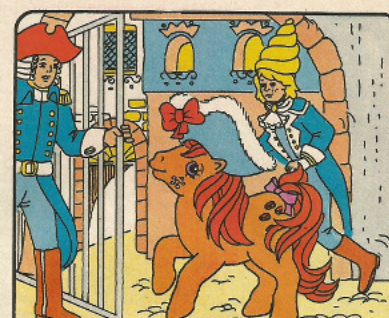
"Take off that hat and put on your Hat of Plenty," ordered Gypsy. "It spoils my new appearance. I don't want to," cried Will.



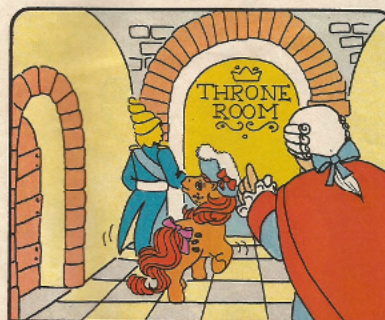
"It may be a magic hat but it makes me look silly," said Will. "Everyone will laugh!" "You're being silly!" cried Gypsy.



"We want to see the king," said Will boldly. "Not wearing that silly hat!" insisted the guard, laughing. Will stamped his foot.



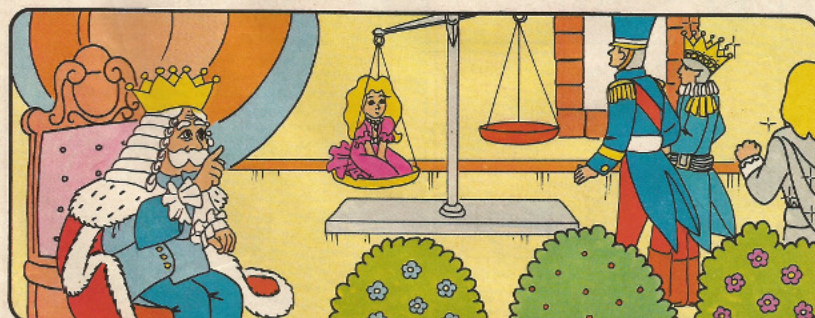
"Heavy hooves, how dare you refuse us entry to the Palace!" Gypsy cried. "Majesty shall hear of this!" "Sorry," said the guard.



"The dowry weighing is in the throne room," said a footman. "But there is a long queue of suitors already."



At the door a herald announced their names: "Will the Shepherd and Gypsy the little pony," he called.

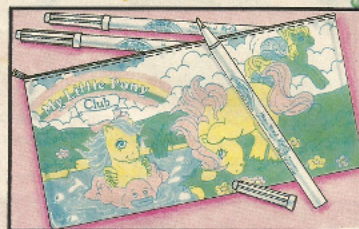


"Let the contest begin," commanded the king. "The one who gives me my daughter's weight in gold shall take her for his bride!" "Gypsy, I am the last one in the queue...someone else will win before it is my turn!" said Will in despair.

What will happen now? Who will win the hand of Princess Goldie? Find out in the final part in the next issue of MY LITTLE PONY.



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## My Little Pony

### THE WITCH'S GARDEN



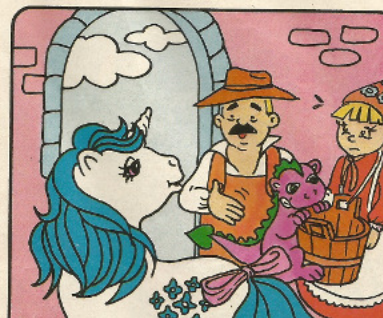
Majesty and Spike were busy tidying up after the ponies had been for lunch at Dream Castle.



"Pony feathers, these bowls haven't been touched, I can't even remember seeing them either!" cried Majesty.



Just then Farmer Barleycorn from Nursery Rhyme Land came running up with Bessie the dairymaid. They looked upset.



"Majesty! Buttercup and Daisy my best cows have disappeared!" cried the farmer. "Everyone's waiting for their milk!"

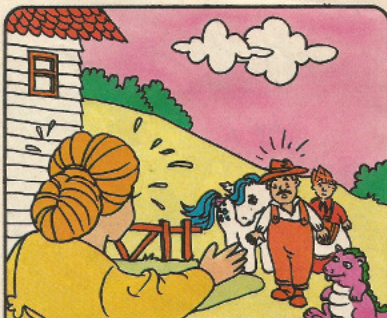


"Has anyone seen Swift the hare?" called Sky the kingfisher. "All his woodland friends are looking for him!"





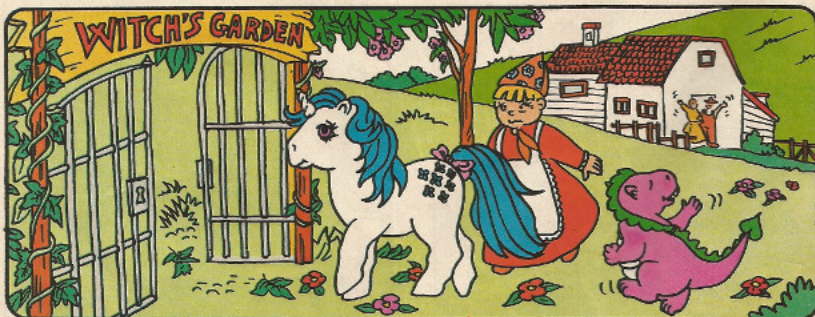
"Perhaps my ponies went over to Barleycorn Farm and are playing hide and seek with your cows," said Majesty. "I will come back with you and we will all have a really good look around."  
 "Oh, thank you, Majesty," said Bessie.



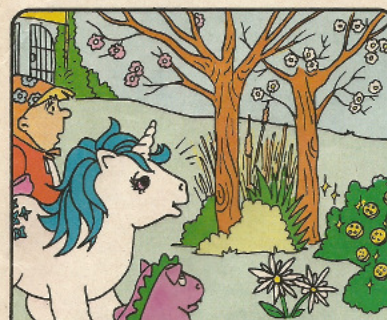
But, as they reached the farm, Mrs Barleycorn ran out. "Barney the bull has disappeared now!" she cried.



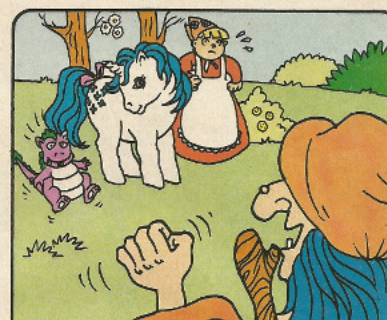
"Did you see anyone near the farm?" asked Majesty. "I saw Witch Wanda on her broomstick!" said the farmer's wife.



"I think I am beginning to understand," said Majesty. "I think we had better go and see Witch Wanda...or rather, look in her garden!" "Flames and fire, do we have to?" cried Spike. "She's such a bad tempered old witch." "I'll go, I want my cows back," cried Bessie bravely.



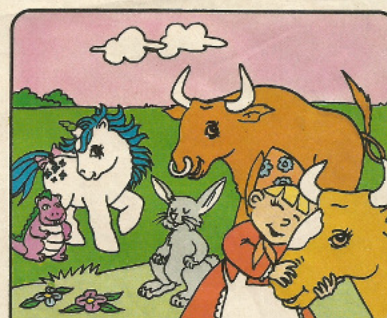
"The witch isn't here," said Spike. "Neither are my cows or the little ponies," said Bessie sadly.



Suddenly Witch Wanda appeared. "Get out of my garden," she screeched. "Only with what belongs to me!" Majesty said.



Majesty twirled her horn. "Cherry blossom, peach and apple tree, turn once more to what you should be!"



"Bulrush, daisy, buttercup, hare, return to the true farm you share!" "My cows, my cows!" cried Bessie.



And, thanks to Majesty's special magic, the missing ponies and Swift the hare, Buttercup and Daisy the cows and Barney the bull were found. But a new strange tree appeared in the garden...a wych tree that looked just like Wanda!