

I'll BEAT EM  
TO BAH DAD.

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When I was a very young boy with curly hair my good mother used to tell me of Alababa and the Forty Thieves. Old Alla used to say "Open Sesame" - and then he entered


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his magic cave! How a magic cave would be full of treasure. It would be a good idea to have a magic cave. I'd like one myself. Old Alla also had a magic carpet. If I had a magic carpet I would pop on it, and see what you are all doing. I think the first thing I would do would be to jump into the bath.

It must be lonely  to get a nice warm bath. This is another Sunday away from you all, and Dad misses you very much.

I have had a very fine church parade this morning, and I made the boys laugh a good deal - better to laugh than to cry!

Well my dears I hope you are all very safe. Don't forget to read your Bibles and say your prayers. I hope Jake gets his boat - be very careful of the fieris, Dad has a lot of travelling to do today.

Love from Dad Popo.

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