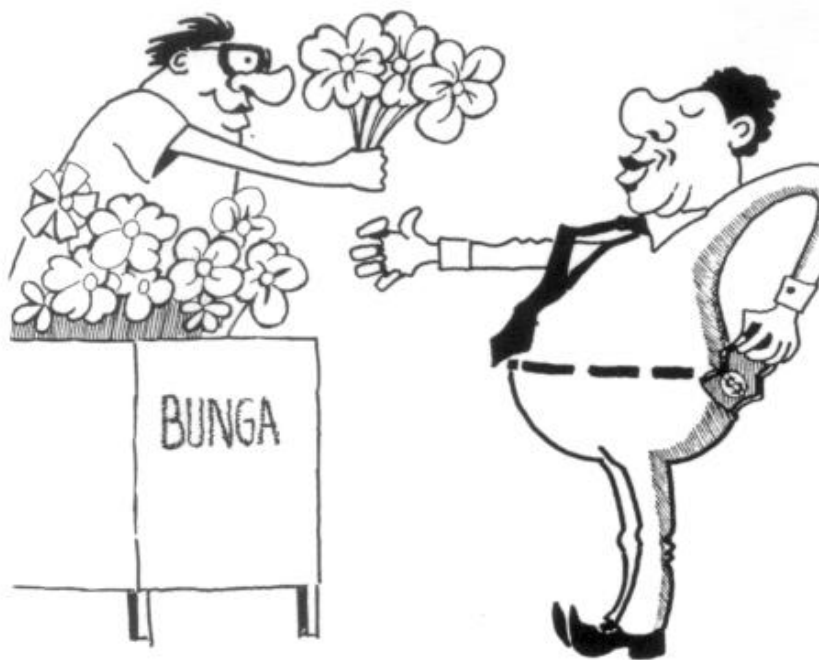
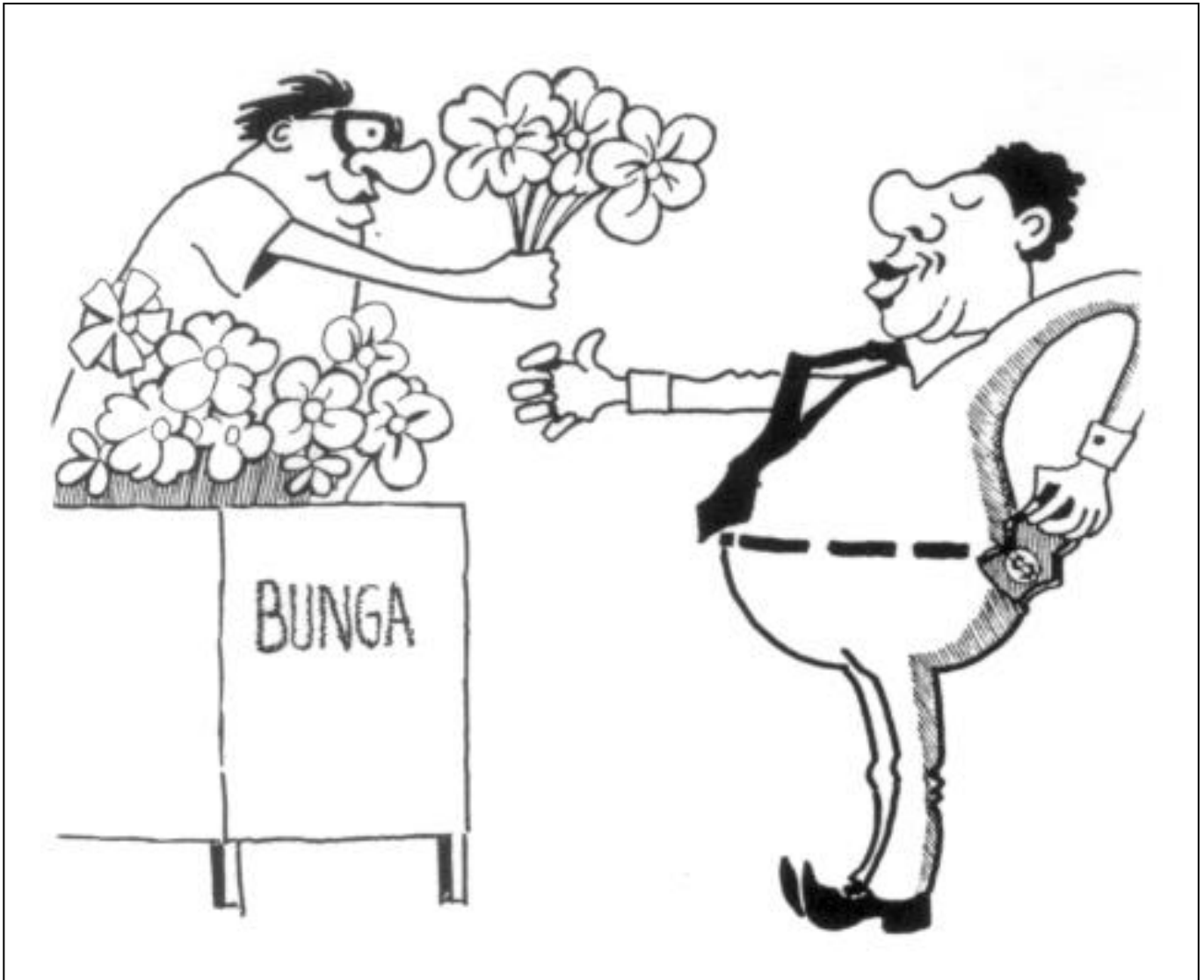


# Broken Legs



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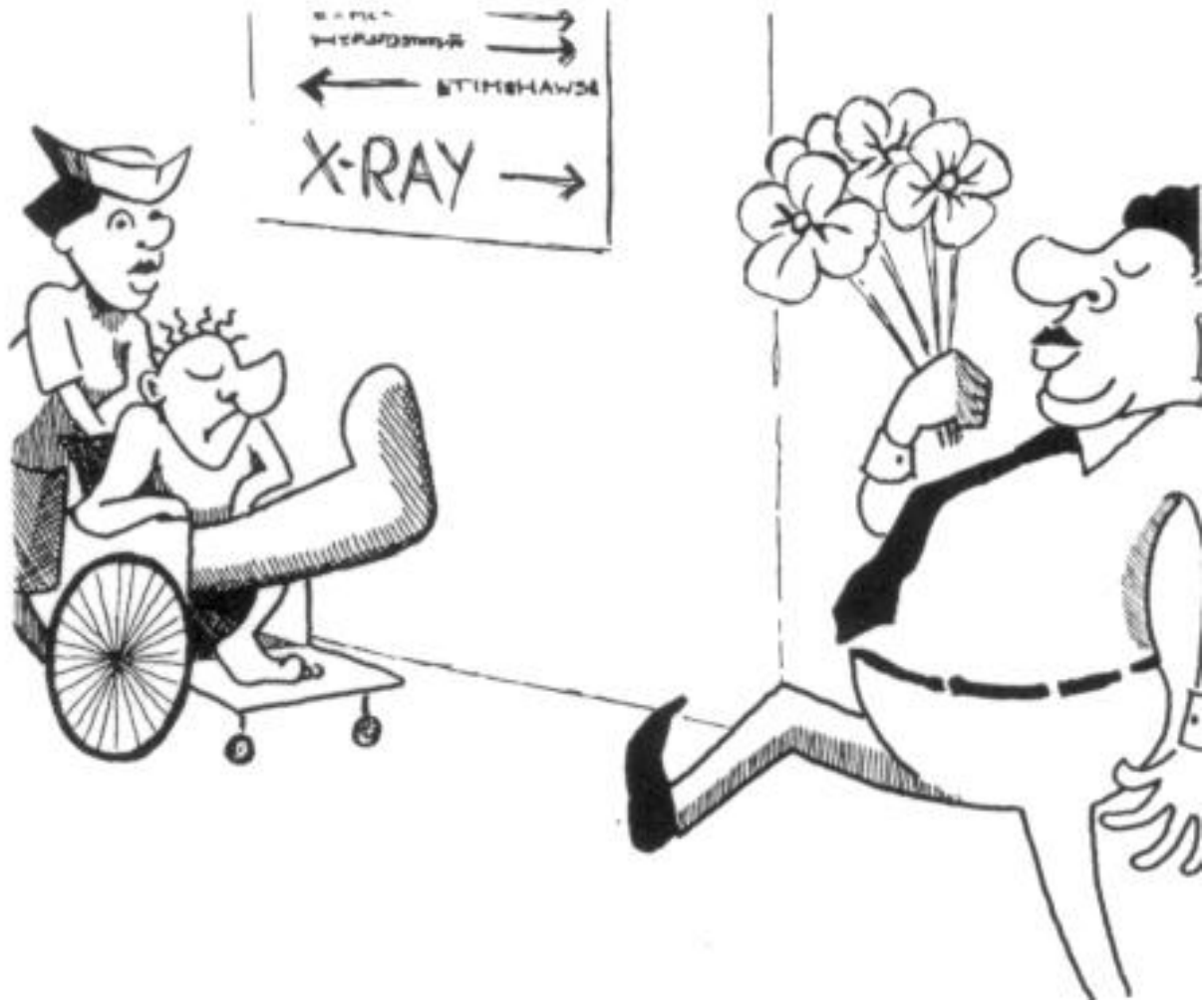


This is Mr Smith. What is he doing?

He's buying some flowers at the flower-shop.

He takes the flowers and pays for them.

Why is he buying flowers?



He's at the hospital. He sees a nurse and a man with a broken leg. How did he break his leg?

Who is Mr Smith going to visit?

Who are the flowers for?



The flowers are for his wife. He is visiting his wife in the hospital. Why is his wife in the hospital? What is wrong with her? How did she do that?

Mrs Smith is very happy to see her husband. They talk for about half an hour.



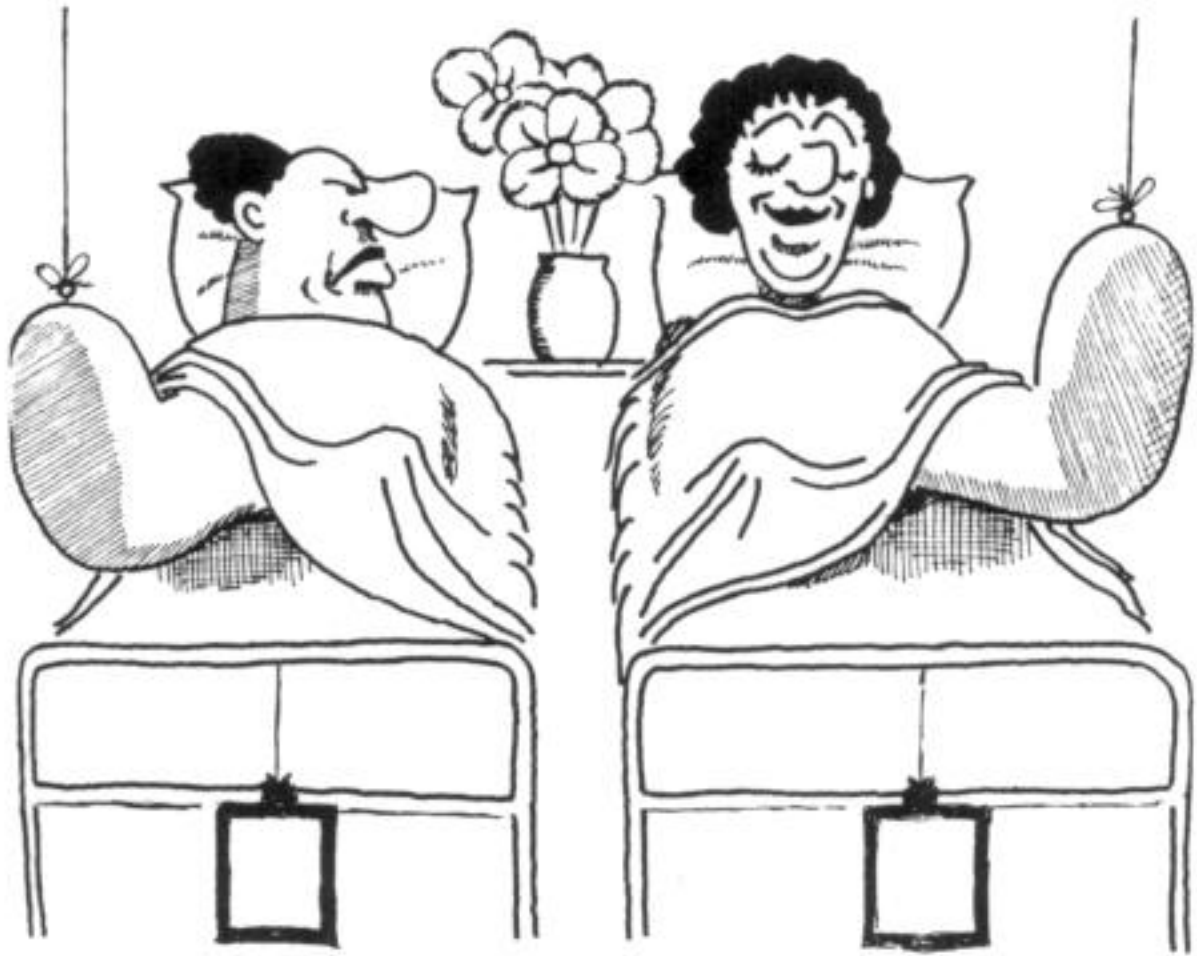
When it is time to leave, Mr Smith waves goodbye to his wife. He isn't looking in front. He doesn't see what's in front of him.

What is the cleaner doing? What is she using?  
What do you think will happen next?



Oh dear! What's happened?  
Mr Smith has slipped on the soap.  
He flies in the air and falls flat on his back.  
OUCH!

What do you think will happen to him?



Yes, he has a broken leg!  
He's in the same room as his wife.  
He's not so happy now.  
But Mrs Smith is happy. Now she has someone to talk to all the time.