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Worzel pursued Aunt Sally to a folk lore museum in Ireland. He becomes involved with Rooney whose style of speech is decidedly Irish, with two not very pleasant children, and with an irascible Captain Forsythe, local golfing champion. I was rather dreading this one but found it extremely funny in parts. It is difficult to place however as the story does wind on and on. There are no chapter divisions which, in a lengthy tale, is rather daunting for young readers. The sentence structure and language content are both complex and at a primary school level I feel that only the very best readers or most devoted fans will persist until the end. The cheerful tone and constant humour, however, make it a good prospect for reading aloud, to be shared within a family or class group. An Irish brogue would be a positive advantage!

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