

Master Builders Ready to Assist Ex-Service Men

Declare in Favor of Bonus and Home Fund Plan and Offer to Furnish Plans and Advice.

Believing that building materials are as low as they will be, until decided reductions have been made in freight rates, and that building opportunities are greater than for many months, the members of the Master Builders association of Nebraska in convention at the Fontenelle hotel yesterday afternoon adopted a resolution calling upon all prospective builders to direct all their energies to the coming months in bringing about a rebirth of building.

The builders also went on record in favor of the adjusted bonus for ex-service men and especially the home-fund plan. They offered their services to ex-service men and will furnish them plans and building advice and be of service to them in any way.

Grant Parsons, Omaha, was re-elected president. Other officers are: Henry Ohlsen, David City, vice president; W. J. Assenmacher, Lincoln, secretary; Ernest Rokhar, Lincoln, treasurer; Grant Parsons, Omaha; Ernest Rokhar, Lincoln; Henry Ohlsen, David City; A. I. Peterson, Omaha, and George M. Robertson, Lincoln, directors.

Ford Retains His "Bottled in Bond"

Federal Agents Foiled in Their Plan to Grab "Licker" Police Return.

Johnny Ford may keep his liquor—11 quarts of it, bottled in bond.

So George Keyser, assistant United States attorney, and S. Rohrer, prohibition enforcement officer yesterday, when the latter tried to obtain a federal search warrant to "frisk" Ford's home for the booze.

You can't search Ford's house until you have evidence he violated the law," said Keyser.

Rohrer's agents were crestfallen, but accepted the Keyser statement resignedly.

"Ford said he could show receipts that he purchased the liquor in 1917 before the prohibition law went into effect," said Robert Anderson, chief of the rum sleuths. "And there are other complications," he added.

The federal agents expected to grab Ford's liquor yesterday, immediately after Police Judge Wapich dismissed a charge of illegal possession against Ford and ordered police to return the liquor to his home, 1802 North Sixteenth street, where they had taken it.

The search warrant under which it was seized was null and void because it cited the wrong address, he ruled.

Parents' Problems

What course would be taken when a little girl of 8 brings a playmate home to luncheon without first asking her mother's permission?

"That a child should bring her playmate home to luncheon, without first asking permission, shows spontaneous hospitality, pride in her home and an attitude toward it as being a matter of course, friendly to her friends—all excellent qualities to be fostered. But the prohibition, the other way; let the child go to no other house without your permission, but encourage in every way her bringing her friends to her home. In no other way can you better judge the suitability or value of the friend's than by observing the other child when under your roof or in your playground. To check the child's instinctive confidence that he may share his friendships with his family would be a disastrous mistake.

Dog Hill Paragrads

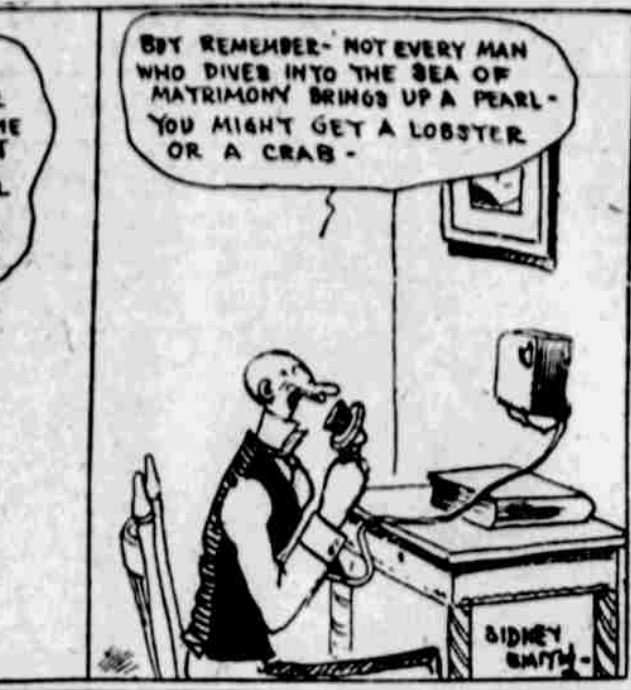
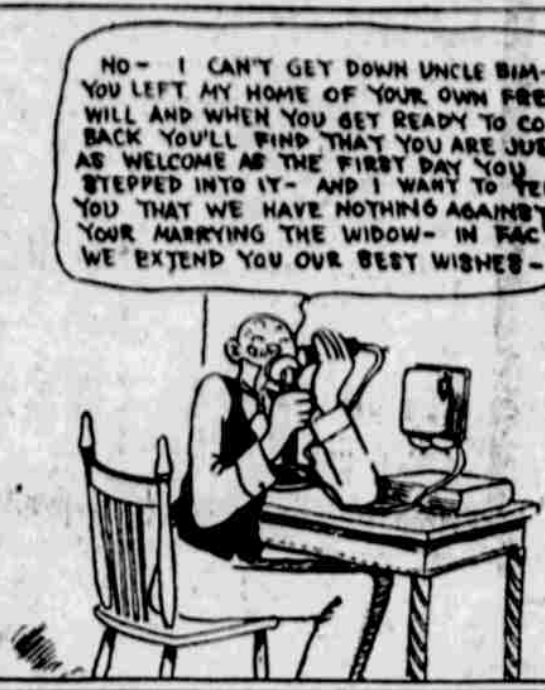
By George Bingham

During Christmas week Poke Eazley fell into the pig pen. His wife discovered the accident and at once turned the pig out, leaving Poke there to get sober.

The improvement association is taking on renewed energy now in the dawn of the new year, and has several important matters to take up, one of which is the consolidation of our two creeks—Gander and Gimlet. These two streams have been running only a part of the time for years, and as it is an established fact that there is not water enough for both of them, it is believed that one could run day and night and be of some importance to this section.

THE GUMPS---

SEE IT IN COLORS IN THE SUNDAY BEE



Jack and Jill

"I wonder what that bundle can be?" mused Jill, as she watched Jack coming up the walk from the street.

She waited by the front door to swing it open suddenly and surprise him with his welcome-home kiss.

But it was Jill's turn to be surprised. Jack stopped at the bottom step of the front porch, peered around with a glance which Jill considered actually "sneaky," and then shoved the bundle under the porch.

He straightened up, dusted off his hands, lit a cigar and came bounding up the steps with an expression of great innocence on his face.

Jill slipped into the front room as Jack's key clicked.

"Hello there, sweetheart," he cried. "Here's your wandering boy. Where is the most perfect wily in the world?"

"That little person was in his arms in a jiffy and they looked at each other more lovingly than ever. But Jill was mystified about the bundle.

"Jack, what on earth did you bring home in that package and hide under the porch?" Jill finally demanded, as they were finishing supper.

"Oh, shucks," said Jack. "I wanted to surprise you. Well, I'll show you in a jiffy."

He brought it in, and brushing off the mud from the outer wrapping, spread out upon the davenport a dozen lace tablecloths.

"Where did you get them, dear?" Jack's eyes sparkled.

"I bought them from a Syrian, darling, who came through the office building this afternoon. I know you needed some new table linen and these come from Damascus, the holy city of the Orient. Aren't they wonderful?"

Jill looked at them sharply, and then at Jack.

It was a shame to spoil his enthusiasm, but Jill recognized the material as American woven goods, and she turned them over slowly.

"They're very beautiful, dear. . . I don't quite think I would have chosen this pattern, but it's your taste, and so that makes it just right for me. It will give us some variety."

Jack sensed the disapproval in her voice, and looked at her anxiously.

SLEEPY-TIME TALES

THE TALE OF TURKEY PROUDFOOT

BY ARTHUR SCOTT BAILEY

CHAPTER XVII

A Game Bird.

Mr. Grouse moved back and forth upon his log in the clearing in the woods. And casting a withering glance at Turkey Proudfoot, he said, "It's plain that you don't know what you know that your family and mine are distantly related?"

"No!" Turkey Proudfoot exclaimed. "No! I never knew it."

"It's the truth," Mr. Grouse told him. "Don't you think we look a bit alike, except that my neck is somewhat short, and yours is long and skinny? And of course my head is feathered out, while yours is bald and red."

"That will do!" Turkey Proudfoot gobbled angrily. "Even if you are my cousin you needn't make such remarks about me."

Mr. Grouse begged his pardon again.

"I was only pointing out the difference between us," he explained. "But if they displease you, I'll speak of the ways in which we are alike. Now, take our tails—"

"I won't," Turkey Proudfoot squawled. "I'll take my own tail wherever I go. But I won't take yours."

Mr. Grouse gave him an odd look. One winter when food was scarce in the woods he had flown down to the farmyard. And he remembered seeing turkey feathers scattered about the chopping block near the woodpile.

"How do you usually spend the holidays?" he asked.

"Last Fourth of July I went up in the haymow and kept out of sight all day," said Turkey Proudfoot. "I don't like fireworks."

"I don't blame you for that," he observed. "Firecrackers, sound too much like guns. . . But I wasn't thinking of the Fourth of July," he went on. "When I asked how you spent the holidays, I was thinking more of those to come. Now, Thanksgiving day isn't a long way off. Have you made any plans for that?"

When he mentioned Thanksgiving day Turkey Proudfoot gave a sudden start.

"For goodness sake, don't speak of that now!" he cried. "I came to the woods to enjoy myself. And now you're trying to spoil my good time."

Mr. Grouse could see that Turkey Proudfoot was angry. And being rather peppy himself, he was tempted to say something sharp—something about axes, which are always sharp unless they're dull. But Mr. Grouse managed to control his temper. After all, he thought, it was no wonder that Turkey Proudfoot didn't want to hear about Thanksgiving day.

Farm Boys' Band

Makes Hit Here

Life With Cows and Chickens Does Not Keep Down Musical Efforts of Youth.

Plowing corn, milking cows and hunting the elusive egg do not detract from a farm boy's musical inclinations, as was shown by the excellent music played by the boys of the Cuming county brass band during the annual convention of the Farmers' union in session at the Auditorium Tuesday and Wednesday.

The band is composed of 11, the youngest a boy of 15 and the oldest a man of 26, and was organized several months ago by Herman F. Grosse of West Point. All the boys are from families interested in the union.

The band practices regularly each week—and each member puts in as

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Common Sense

By J. J. MUNDY.

Ever Take a Good Look at Yourself?

Do you ever stand in front of the mirror and study yourself with a desire to look at your reflection as if it were that of some other person?

Try it some time and be honest and unbiased as possible in passing judgment on the view the mirror reveals.

If you stood facing another person exactly your counterpart, what conclusion would you reach concerning that person?

Would you be impressed favorably? To what about that person would you object? What changes would you suggest to improve the person you see, namely, yourself, reflected in the glass?

As you smile, speak, move in different directions, you have many expressions with the changing muscles which are not pleasing, not a sort which would leave a good impression among strangers.

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Would it not be worth your while to cure yourself of some of your distressing facial contortions?

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much time as possible after his daily farm work is finished. The band is making fine progress and will be in demand at farmers' meetings. The Omaha engagement was the first big one the band has played since its organization.

The members are: Martin Leifert, Erwin W. Pags, Gerhart Zobel, Herbert Buckholz, Will Krueger, John Buckholz, John Schlenker, Arthur Pags, Otto Predohl, Herman Leifert and Herman F. Grosse.

Company Will Fight

5 1-2 Cent Light Rate

Vigorous opposition to the proposed ordinance to lower the rate for electric lights and power to 5 1-2 cents in the residential district was voiced by J. E. Davidson, vice president and general manager of the Nebraska Power company, yesterday. If necessary, the corporation will appeal to higher authority, the officer of the company stated.

Davidson maintained that Omaha now has the lowest residential light rate in the country. The last time the rates were changed was in 1917 and since that date the price of coal and other necessities for operating the plant have increased in price, he declared.

ADVERTISMENT.

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No. 1 Steer Round Steak, lb.15c	Fancy Head Lettuce, each12 1/2c
Fancy Bulk Creamery Butter, lb. 34c	Lemons, fancy Sun-kist, per doz.20c
No. 1 April Storage Eggs, dozen25c	Navel Oranges, per dozen20c
No. 1 Genuine Fresh Eggs, dozen37c	16-oz. cans Borden's Pet or Wilson Milk—Special10c
	4 lbs. Best No. 1 Hard Picked Navy Beans—Special25c
	4 lbs. Fancy Blue Rice—Special25c
	10 bars Electric Spark Soap43c
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