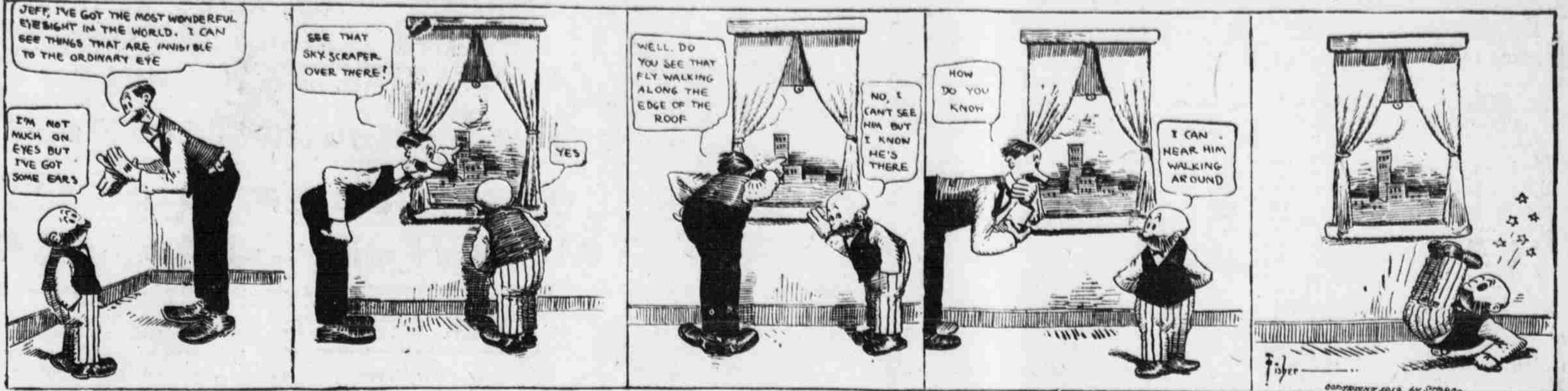


Jeff May Wear Glasses, But He Doesn't Need an Ear Horn Drawn for The Bee by "Bud" Fisher



FUN, LOTS OF FUN, FOR ALL Professional Players to Appear on Cornhusker Alumni Program.

EVERYBODY GIVING A BOOST Theater Managers Are Giving the Omaha Nebraska Grads All Kinds of Loyal Support for Their Big Banquet.

With the assistance of an orchestra and the theater managers of the city, the entertainment feature of the alumni banquet and festival, to be given in honor of the Cornhusker and high school foot ball eleven on January 5, will rival in merit some of the better vaudeville (pronounced voh-vee-ill) entertainments on some of the western circuits. This statement is, of course, all based on the promises of the press agent of the Omaha alumni—a representative who is working overtime to let the west know that Omaha and the state school are on the map.

The Hippodrome is to be drawn upon for two or three acts. Manager Johnson is arranging to have several of his players present different stunts. It is probable that a quartet—one of the best on the circuit—will be at the Hippodrome during the week of January 5, and in case it, the generous manager will permit the four young men to appear in the entertainment for the Cornhuskers.

CHRISTMAS SWIMMING RACE GOES TO MEISMER

PARIS, Dec. 26.—The Christmas swimming race across the Seine for the "Christmas cup" was contested today in the presence of thousands of holiday makers. The weather was exceptionally mild and twelve competitors, including one woman, Mme. Renee Mortier, lined up for the start at Alexander III bridge.



Christmas is past, but winter has just begun—have you a warm overcoat?

One of our newest Kensington models: a 52 inch coat in a mottled gray fleece-wool ("warmth without weight"); beautiful plaid self-lining and fancy striped Venetian 3-4 yoke and sleeve linings; roll lapels, convertible collar and cuffs with storm flaps, a short, broad two-button belt behind which gives an unusually graceful drape to the skirt.

We show this handsome, warm, serviceable garment with pride—it is priced close at \$25.

Scores of other suits and overcoats that we'd like to show you—high in quality but not in price.

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Will Make Inquiry Into Physiology and Psychology of Sport

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—All records for depth to which scientific discussion of sport has gone are said to be threatened by preparations for the congress to be held at Lausanne on Lake Geneva, in Switzerland, next May, to which the American members of the International Olympic committee have just issued invitations. It is to be for scientific inquiry into the physiology and psychology of sport.

McFarland to Meet Daniels on Friday

Freddie Daniels, who recently got a draw decision from Ad Wolgast at Quincy, Ill., will meet Packey McFarland at the Armory hall Friday night before the Plambeau club. The affair will be of eight rounds duration, but some lively scuffling is expected. Three six-round preliminaries will be staged, also, by boxers of local prominence.

BLUFFS HIGH SCHOOL FIVE TO PLAY AT PLATTSMOUTH

The Council Bluffs High school quint will go to Plattsmouth today to play the high school team at that Nebraska town. This will be the Bluffs High school's first game outside the city, and will be looked upon with much interest, as the quint has in the lightest bunch got together in a good many years.

West Hudsons Win. ST. LOUIS, Dec. 26.—The West Hudsons of Harrison, N. J., soccer champions of America, this afternoon defeated the finalists of the St. Louis soccer league by a score of 4 to 1. The West Hudsons will play the Business Men's Athletic club team Saturday and the St. Leo's eleven Sunday.

Offer Made to Sheekard. CHICAGO, Dec. 26.—Miller Huggins, manager of the St. Louis National league baseball team, has offered the Chicago National league club owners \$4,000 for outfielder Jimmie Sheekard. Owner Murphy is considering the offer. He previously had attempted to trade Sheekard to St. Louis for pitchers.

Swim in Ice Stream. BOSTON, Mass., Dec. 26.—Nearly a score of hardy athletes plunged into the freezing waters of Dorchester bay today to compete in twenty-five, fifty and 100 yards swimming races. Although the men had to combat floating ice every contestant finished, good time being made in each of the events.

Young Gradwell Defeated. NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—"Knockout" Brown of New York defeated Young Gradwell of Newark in a ten-round bout in Brooklyn this afternoon, the referee stopping the contest in the seventh round.

CONDITION OF VICEROY IS SOMEWHAT IMPROVED

DELHI, India, Dec. 26.—The official bulletin issued this evening concerning the condition of the viceroy, Baron Hardinge, who was severely injured by a bomb thrown by an Indian fanatic Monday, describes his progress as satisfactory, but adds that the physicians believe that he will not be able to resume his duties within two or three weeks.

The perpetrator of the outrage has not been apprehended.

California Woman Seriously Alarmed. "A short time ago I contracted a severe cold which settled on my lungs and caused me a great deal of annoyance. I would have had coughing spells and my lungs were so sore and inflamed I began to be seriously alarmed. A friend recommended Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, saying she had used it for years. I bought a bottle and it relieved my cough the first night and in a week I was rid of the cold and soreness of my lungs." writes Miss Marie Gerber, Sawtelle, Cal. For sale by all dealers.—Advertisement.

Persistent Advertising is the Road to Big Returns.

LANGFORD WINS FROM M'VEY Californian Goes Down Under Rain of Blows in Thirteenth.

NEW SCOTIA, Dec. 26.—Sam Langford knocked out Sam McVey in the thirteenth round today in one of the fiercest heavyweight battles seen in Australia in years. Langford had the best of the fighting throughout the match. He severely punished McVey, who, however, made a plucky defense.

SIXTH MEETING OF MEN

NOVA SCOTIA HAS NOW WON FOUR FIGHTS, LOST ONE AND ONE WAS DRAW.—McVey is Outclassed.

Today's fight between Sam Langford and Sam McVey, the two heavyweight colored boxers, was the sixth occasion on which they had met. The Nova Scotian, Langford, has now defeated the Californian, McVey, on four occasions, on one other occasion he was beaten by McVey and one of their fights ended in a draw.

"Tobe Dunn" Given Sixty Days; Police Will Investigate

The man who represented himself as Tobe Dunn, the fugitive, Saturday in an effort to get an interview with Diggs Nolen now in the Douglas county jail awaiting trial on a federal charge of using the mails to defraud, was yesterday given a sentence of sixty days in police court on a charge of vagrancy.

Long Term for Assault. STURGIS, S. D., Dec. 26.—(Special Telegram.)—Sheriff Collins of Meade county left for the penitentiary at Sioux Falls tonight with E. J. Carpenter, sentenced to twenty years and six months for the crime of criminal assault.

Key to the Situation—Bee Advertising.

Nebraska Governor Declares Law Against Sharks Should Be Passed

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Dec. 26.—(Special.)—There was just enough fight in the turkey which Governor Aldrich had for his Christmas dinner to fill the governor with a feeling that at this time of the year especially he would like to do something to the fellow who had forgotten that it was Christmas time and that a spirit of forgiveness should dominate every man, and this morning when an appointment was made by one of the fellows who loan money at an unusual rate the executive heard his story and then ordered him out of the office, after telling him what he thought of him. In speaking of the matter, Governor Aldrich said:

"There certainly is need of added penalty to the usury laws in this state, or, more particularly speaking, I refer to what is usually termed the 'loan shark.'"

"No better illustration of their merciless and dishonest methods could be found than what was brought forcibly to my attention this morning. One of these sharks came into my office and made complaint that one of the state house employes would not pay his obligation. Upon inquiry I found that a very short time ago this employe had borrowed \$15 from this concern at the rate of 10 per cent a month, payable in advance.

"He has already paid them \$9 as interest and there is still a balance due of \$7.50 as interest and the principal unpaid.

"There is no limit to which these human sharks will go in their demands. This rasorial had the presumption to ask me to assist him in this unlawful and intensely selfish proposition.

"Of course, I have advised the employe not to pay this balance or any portion of it and that he is not liable and I sincerely hope that enough of the creditors of this shark will see this article and repudiate their claims.

"Men engaged in this sort of a transaction are not only the promoters to crime, but are the aiders and abettors to grand larceny, forgery and embezzlement, and I sincerely hope that the legislature will pass a law drastic enough to put these sharks out of business.

"I certainly shall give it some attention this winter after the legislature convenes."

Land Commissioner Cowles spent Christmas at the Soldiers' home in Mill...

Nebraska Auditor's Lucky Escape

Machine from Seward Strikes His Auto and Only Man Injured Recovers Rapidly from Shakeup.

Auditor's Accident. Auditor Barton celebrated Christmas by getting into an automobile accident. The accident was, however, of no fault of the auditor, but was due solely to the act of the other man taking a broadside shot into the machine of Mr. Barton, which was loaded down with friends.

The accident was the result of a machine driven by Mr. Stonaker of Seward, attempting to cross an intersection of streets at the same time the auditor's machine was crossing. Mr. Barton had just stopped a block away to let off a passenger and was proceeding slowly down the street expecting to let off another on the next block.

None of the occupants of either machine was injured except Will C. Heaton, who with his brother-in-law, Richard L. Metcalfe, were with Mr. Barton. Mr. Heaton was thrown out of the automobile to the pavement and at first seemed to be badly hurt. He was taken into the residence of Senator E. J. Burkett, close by, but soon recovered.

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Nebraska Governor's Pastor Named on Board

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Dec. 26.—(Special.)—Governor Aldrich has appointed Rev. J. R. Gettys of Grand Island to the position on the normal board made vacant by the resignation of Rev. Isaac Roach, who is leaving the state to become pastor of the First Methodist church in Madison, Wis.

The new appointee is also a Methodist preacher and is pastor of the First Methodist church of Grand Island. He was formerly pastor of the Methodist church at Decatur City and was in charge there at the time Governor Aldrich and his family became members of that organization.

There were two or three other avowed candidates for the appointment, Rev. E. Stein of Lincoln, a retired Methodist preacher; G. H. Thomas of Harvard, brother of Harry Thomas of the state printing board, and M. Bruegger of Columbus, a banker and member of the Columbus school board for several years. This will necessitate the election of a new president of the normal board to take the place of Dr. Roach.

GENERAL CHRISTMAS CHEER AT GRAND ISLAND

GRAND ISLAND, Neb., Dec. 26.—(Special.)—The "general Christmas" celebration inaugurated here two years ago, when a systematic effort was first begun to find every child and every other person who might otherwise be missed, was carried out on an even larger scale than ever before. Last year this effort was placed in the hands of a general "Christmas cheer" committee, which continued this year and worked through the several church organizations. This year the Elks organized on a large scale, co-operated with the Christmas cheer committee and in the afternoon had several hundred little children at their hall for a Christmas tree and the distribution of gifts.

The churches had their usual programs and the Liederkranz and Plattdeutsche vereen also had elaborate celebrations for the children.

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GIFT BY DOWN AND OUTERS Given Mrs. H. H. Kline by Those Working Under Her.

Out of their small earnings in the Salvation Army Industrial home, thirty men who are "down-and-out" bought a set of dessert spoons and a set of serving spoons for Mrs. H. H. Kline, wife of Captain H. H. Kline, head of the industrial department, and silver napkin rings for the two Kline children. The presentation was made yesterday after the men had been given a Christmas dinner at the home.

In the scene there was a pathos that words cannot tell. Around the board were gathered men whose stooped shoulders, hollow cheeks and ragged clothes marked them for "hunder-dogs." No one can know just what brought these men to the Christmas day broken, homeless, penniless. Some, perhaps, were there because of errors of their own; others may have been victims of circumstances—but no matter; they were there.

After the meal one rose in his place and brokenly expressed his gratitude and that of his fellows toward Captain and Mrs. Kline, who as heads of the industrial department are enabling them to eke out an existence while they fight to get back "on their feet." Then he presented the gifts.

Pretty Suffragette Sees Future Husband On Hike to Albany

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., Dec. 26.—A romance has resulted from the suffragists' hike to Albany. Tonight the engagement was announced of Miss Gladys Courson, one of General Jones' army, to Griffith Bonner, a Poughkeepsie newspaper man and a grandson of the late Robert Bonner. The young people first met when the suffragists left Poughkeepsie and the announcement of their engagement was made in Hudson tonight. Miss Courson is the daughter of Alfred Courson, president of the American Mineral Wool company.

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Brandeis Stores Offer the Unrestricted Choice Any Woman's Suit, Dress or Coat In Our Entire Stock, Saturday, Dec. 28 All Our \$25 Garments . . . All Our \$35 Garments . . . All Our \$50 Garments . . . All Our \$65 Garments . . . All Our \$75 Garments . . . All Garments Worth \$85 or More \$15 The Sale that Every Woman in Omaha is Watching and Waiting For