

# Home grown Daffydil Contest

**Rules of Daffydil Contest (Cont'd.)**  
 A. Each Daffydil must be written on a separate sheet of paper and must designate the advertiser for whom it is intended.  
 B. Winning Daffydils will be judged for their originality, wit and humor and preference will be shown those pertaining to the name of business of the advertiser.  
 C. Prizes must call in person for prize at advertiser's place of business.  
 D. In addition to advertiser's prize The Bee will award five special prizes of \$1.00 each to the five best local Daffydil writers.

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 1. Answers must be addressed to "Daffydil Editor," The Bee, and reach the office not later than 5 P. M. Thursday to be considered for Daffydil contest of that week.  
 2. Contestants may submit not more than Daffydil for any of the prizes.  
 3. Winners to be selected one by each advertiser on Daffydil Contest page and printed in his advertisement, which will also announce prize for next Daffydil.

**OMAHA DAFFYDILLIANS:**  
 Happy New Year! You are great! This week's daffydils are the best ever. Sorry you are not all prize winners. Come on again. If you want to change your luck we recommend trying a ton of Economy Certified Six and a Half Coal.  
**PRIZE WINNER**—If your wife should forget to order Sunderland Certified Coal, would the stove shaker?  
**ANSWER**—Don't let her take the chance. Order it for her. S. D. Co.  
**SPECIAL MENTION**—  
 No. 1. "Is a coal fire good natured if it is not easily put out?"  
 (Ans. Both the fire and the folks will be good natured if Sunderland Certified Coal is used. S. D. Co.)  
 No. 2. The following "dills" show an intimate knowledge of Sunderland Building Materials—and they are good ones:  
 a. If the weather-strips, will the window chime?  
 b. If the cement-strips, will the sand storm?  
 c. If the plaster-runs, will the cement walk?  
 d. When bricks lay, does the mortar set?  
 No. 3. If I buy Sunderland Certified Coal, is the coal mine?  
 (Ans. You bet. For try it, Mr. Fiegle. S. D. Co.)  
 No. 4. In the race for good coal, where does Sunderland?  
 (Ans. The human race is the race for good coal. The best coal comes from Sunderland. S. D. Co.)  
 No. 5. If a ton of Sunderland's Yellowstone Coal is worth seven dollars, what is Nick Longworth?  
 (Ans. Hard to tell about Nick, but there's no question about Yellowstone Coal.)

**\$2 PRIZE FOR WINNER**  
 Winner—this week will receive a bill for \$2.00 to apply upon an order for one or more tons of Sunderland Certified Coal.

**Economy Certified Coal \$6.50**  
 The old reliable, dependable, durable coal that every user is in love with, price, quality and all.  
**SUNDERLAND BROS. CO.**

The Daffydil contest has been a distinct success. It afforded much amusement to our readers and good results to advertisers. Originality, wit and humor manifested themselves in nearly answer and many more deserved prizes.  
 The coddest closes with next Sunday's issue, so send in your Daffydils once more. The first five below are the winners of the \$1.00 prizes offered by The Bee:

- J. A. Parsons, 1214 Howard St.—If blind man went into Wroth's could he (see) food?
- Theodore M. Metzger, 440 Glenn Ave., Council Bluffs, Ia.—If a rooster beef is tough is a bartender?
- Senator Sorenson—If one of Wroth's dandy restaurant waiters will not stir neither a tip will he stir a lobster or an oyster?
- A. L. Welsh, 2125 Pacific St.—If you couldn't get ten dollars would you considerate?
- Mrs. G. L. McGinty, 1911 North 20th St.—If the biscuit dough made a bid would Farmer's Baking Powder raise it?
- E. M. Gross, 1306 Farnam St.—During this cold weather does an electric heating pad?
- Mrs. M. Rogers, 2813 Ohio St.—If dinner, would it be hot?
- A. Kernan, 210 N. 26th St.—If a barber wanted the best razor (raiser) he could get, would he buy a can of F. D. Parmer & Co's Baking Powder?
- A. Kernan, 210 N. 26th St.—If F. D. Parmer & Co. wanted to put up a new building, would their baking powder raise the dough?
- A. L. Welsh, 2125 Pacific St.—If a two-spot is a deuce, is an ash tray?
- A. L. Welsh, 2125 Pacific St.—If the first thing a man plants in his garden is his foot, what would the Omaha Electric Light Plant?
- Mrs. C. L. Strawn, 1524 S. 26th St.—If the old hen scratches, will the egg beater?
- Mrs. G. L. McGinty, South Omaha.—If the cook paints and Farmer's Baking Powder, should they make light of the biscuit's dough because it is going to be done brown?
- Mrs. G. L. McGinty, 1621 N. 26th St., South Omaha.—Is Farmer's Baking Powder a safety-razor. (raiser)? Certainly! for it will shave the bill.
- Harry Scherman, 1522 N. 26th St.—If Roosevelt, as a hunter, is brave, is the Alamito Sanitary daffydil dairy?
- J. W. Roche, 1803 Emmet St.—If Sunderland's Certified Coal burns easily, would Sarah Bernhardt?
- Mrs. J. W. Vord, 1817 S. 24th St.—If a man resolves for 1912 to use more Economy will he smoke-lose Yello-Stone lump?
- Mrs. George Thistle, Florence, Neb.—If 1912 is a leap year, will the ladies of Omaha propose to Sunderland Bros. to send them a ton of coal?
- Carrie Boutelle, 2750 Davenport—If an umbrella is waterproof, will Sunderland's coal shed?
- Rhea Hendee, 4304 Burdette St.—If Sunderland's fifty big Yell-O wagons were sent to Alaska, would Ralph Tatum back?
- Frank J. Boland, 1819 Chicago St.—If a prize was offered for coal, would Sunderland it?
- Emerson Stone Adams, 3722 Pacific St.—If stone, sand and cement combine, is that a trout?
- Ans. Not unless you add water.
- A. Kernan, 210 N. 26th St.—If Hayden Bros' pianos and fish both have scales, which weighs the most, the fish or the piano?
- If Hayden Bros. made a piano sail (scale) would the barn dance?
- A. S. Brady, 2819 Wirt St.—If our dresses please you, does our tailor suit?
- Mrs. C. B. Bellis, 554 N. 27th St.—If the "Famous" had to have its sign painted, could the petticoat it?
- Mrs. G. L. McGinty, 1621 N. 26th St., South Omaha.—If the "Famous" had an opening, would the dress bands play?
- If a skirt was too large, would an elevator take the seams up?
- Mrs. H. W. Parker, 1323 Georgia Ave.—If that were a lilly goat and ate a Famous milk petticoat, would it be a Famous milk.
- Glyda Hugg, 2665 S. 16th St.—If President Taft spoke in McCrory's 10-cent store, would the store above be "Famous"?
- E. L. Templin, Shelton, Neb.—If you fed a cow prunes, would she give Peruna?
- E. L. Templin, Shelton, Neb.—If a man standing up at a political meeting clapped his hands, would he be a stand-patter.
- Joe Barker, 35—If the cream was whipped, would the milk shake?

**WHAT IS A DAFFYDIL?**  
 "If Pat Put on a New Suit of Clothes, Would Microbe?"  
 Yes, gentle reader, the daffydil has come to stay. He has, because you are his creator, and you want him, just as you want your morning newspaper. This was when this little literary waif was scooped at by professional journalists, because he wasn't the product of the "typewriter." Of course, all newsmen with a mission in life are treated that way. But now how they creep into our affections, and the chances are they stay there, when their clamor for recognition merits it like little Mr. Daffydil.  
 Now you may not realize it, but the daffydil may be made to occupy an equal interest in your daily affairs with the price of food and the question how to raise the wherewithal to augment the family coffer. Fact is, when you join the family at breakfast, and open your morning newspaper, if you fail to find your neighbor's daffydil inscribed there somehow you don't relish your ham and eggs. And there's a reason for this—and a reason also for the grave-faced editor's desire to get the daffydil copy down into type early. The daffydil's mission in life, whatever his other faults may be, is to lighten the burdens of and drive gloom from an otherwise sad old world.  
**Here's a Daffydil.**  
 "What is a daffydil?" certain of the same "silly" laws asked in recent letters to The Bee's daffydil editor, who, by the way, agrees with you that the daffydil brand of humor can afford to give odds against it to anybody.  
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**NO! MRS. HOUSEWIFE**  
 We can not offer you a  
**A Cut Price Bargain Counter for January Clearance Sale**  
 but we can offer you a plan whereby you can cut down your milk bill. Ask our drivers about it, or call office.

**FIRST PRIZE WINNER**  
 If an Alamito certified cow was running down Farnam street could a Petalac bottle stop her?  
 If Alamito perfect pasteurized milk is the safest food to raise the baby on, could it be called a safety raiser (safety razor)?  
**SECOND PRIZE WINNER**  
 Why should we expect better dairy products when there is ALAMITO (a limit to) perfection? S. H. Jamieson, 2111 Capital Ave., City.  
**THIRD PRIZE WINNER**  
 If Alamito pasteurized milk is rich, will the cream puff. Mrs. C. Strawn, 1524 S. 26th St.

**PRIZES FOR NEXT WEEK**  
 1st prize, \$3 milk ticket.  
 2d prize, \$2 milk ticket

**ALAMITO**  
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**Think! Think! Think!**  
 and when you have thought of the **HIGH MERIT OF HAYDEN'S PIANO DEPT.**  
 write a Daffydil and win our lady's handsome umbrella.  
 IS THIS MERIT?  
 We combine LOW PRICES with EASY TERMS on Pianos of HIGH QUALITY.  
 Agents for Estey, Sohmer, Fisher, Ludwig, Chickering Bros., Everett and Nelson Pianos.  
 (You may compose Daffydils on these names.)  
**Hayden Bros.**

**PRIZE DAFFYDIL**  
 If in the SOHMER Haydens' Piano department gave plenty on the lake and ESTEY fell in losing half her hair, would EVERETT FISCHER out and buy her a new LUD-WIG and the romance end by NELSON buying her a CHICK-RING?  
 S. Helen Pahl, 2569 Pratt St.

**PRIZE DAFFYDIL**  
 If Krug's Cabinet gave a banquet, would they let liquid sunshine in? No, but Luxus would. Mrs. L. T. Wright, 1914 Wills Ave.

**The Famous**  
 Tailored Flannel Mannish Shirt Waists at .....98c  
 Auto Hoods, real \$3.00 values— at .....98c  
 SECOND FLOOR, TAKE ELEVATOR, SIXTEENTH AND FARNAM OVER MCCROBRY'S NEW 5c AND 10c STORE  
**Monday Half Price Sale**  
 Coats, Suits, Skirts, Dresses  
 Every garment in the house will be sold at half price and less. New spring stock arriving. We need the room.  
 All our \$10 and \$15 Coats and Suits.....\$5.00  
 All our \$15 and \$18 Coats and Suits.....\$7.50  
 All our \$30 and \$35 Coats and Suits.....\$15.00  
 All our \$5 and \$6 Skirts.....\$2.95  
 All our \$7 and \$10 Skirts.....\$4.95  
 All our \$10 and \$15 Dresses.....\$5.00  
 Prize for next week, one silk Petticoat, value, \$5.00.  
 It is our aim to start each season with a complete new line of stock. No left-overs from season to season in Omaha's new and bright daylight cloak and suit store.  
 Prize Daffydil. If the Famous is on the second floor, are there bargains on the level? They suit me. Carl M. Endman, 415 No. 41st Ave.

**Winner of Farrel Syrup Co. Prize:**  
 Jack Horn liked "Peerless Corn," His wife a "Breakfast Wedding," Their kids with "Good Taste" For some samples made haste, And "Old Process" made "good sledding."  
 Eva Mettler, Benson, Neb.

**Winner of F. D. Parmer & Co. Prize:**  
 If P. D. Parmer & Co. fired the coffee roaster, would they also can the baking powder?  
 Walter Krelle, 1813 Center St.

**Are You Daffy About Luxus Beer?**  
 A case of this delicious brew is a prize winner at any time. Order for your Sunday dinner.  
**FRED KRUG BREWING COMPANY,**  
 Omaha, Nebraska.

**PRIZE DAFFYDIL**  
 If Wroth's Fresh Fish Seafood Ponds in every style, with the Lobster, the Shrimps, if the Oysters the Shop Nuey? Yours truly, Geo. Creighton, 219 No. 24th.

**ARE YOU CONSIDERATE**  
 for mother, wife, sister and maid?  
 ARE YOU ECONOMICAL about household expenses?  
 ARE YOU NEAT in every detail of your home?  
 Answer these questions in the affirmative by using **ELECTRIC LIGHT IN YOUR HOME.**  
**AN ELECTRIC IRON IN THE LAUNDRY.**  
**AN ELECTRIC TOASTER ON THE BREAKFAST TABLE.**  
 They lend comfort and elegance to your home life.  
**Omaha Electric Light & Power Company**  
 Prize for Next Week One Electric Toaster, Value \$3.75.

**PRIZE WINNER:**  
 If the percolator and toaster went up in a balloon where would the Electric Light?  
 Mrs. J. M. Johnson, 2534 Cass.

**WROTH**  
**--Caters to All Tastes**  
 He serves Fresh Fish, Lobsters, Shrimps, Oysters and other Sea Foods in every style.  
 His Chinese, Mexican and Italian Dishes, served in the second floor dining room, offer a variety from which you can always choose what suits your taste.  
**Prize for best Wroth Daffydil, noon-day meal every day for one week at Wroth's.**  
**1415 FARNAM ST.**

**Iten's Products—**  
**Foundation stones of muscles and bones.**  
**ITEN'S GRAHAM BISCUIT**  
 Made of Delight of Graham of Smiles of Good Cheer.  
**ITEN'S FAIRY SODA'S**  
 Made of Sturdy Stuff of Wheat of Bone of Muscle.  
**Good health in every bite. ITEN BISCUIT CO.**

**PRIZE DAFFYDIL**  
 Farmers who sowed winter wheat are rejoicing, but all Omaha rejoices because—  
**ITEN SODA BISCUIT.**  
 S. T. Flak, Ft. Omaha, Neb.

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## WILL CLOSE NEXT SUNDAY

### So Send in Your Answers This Week!