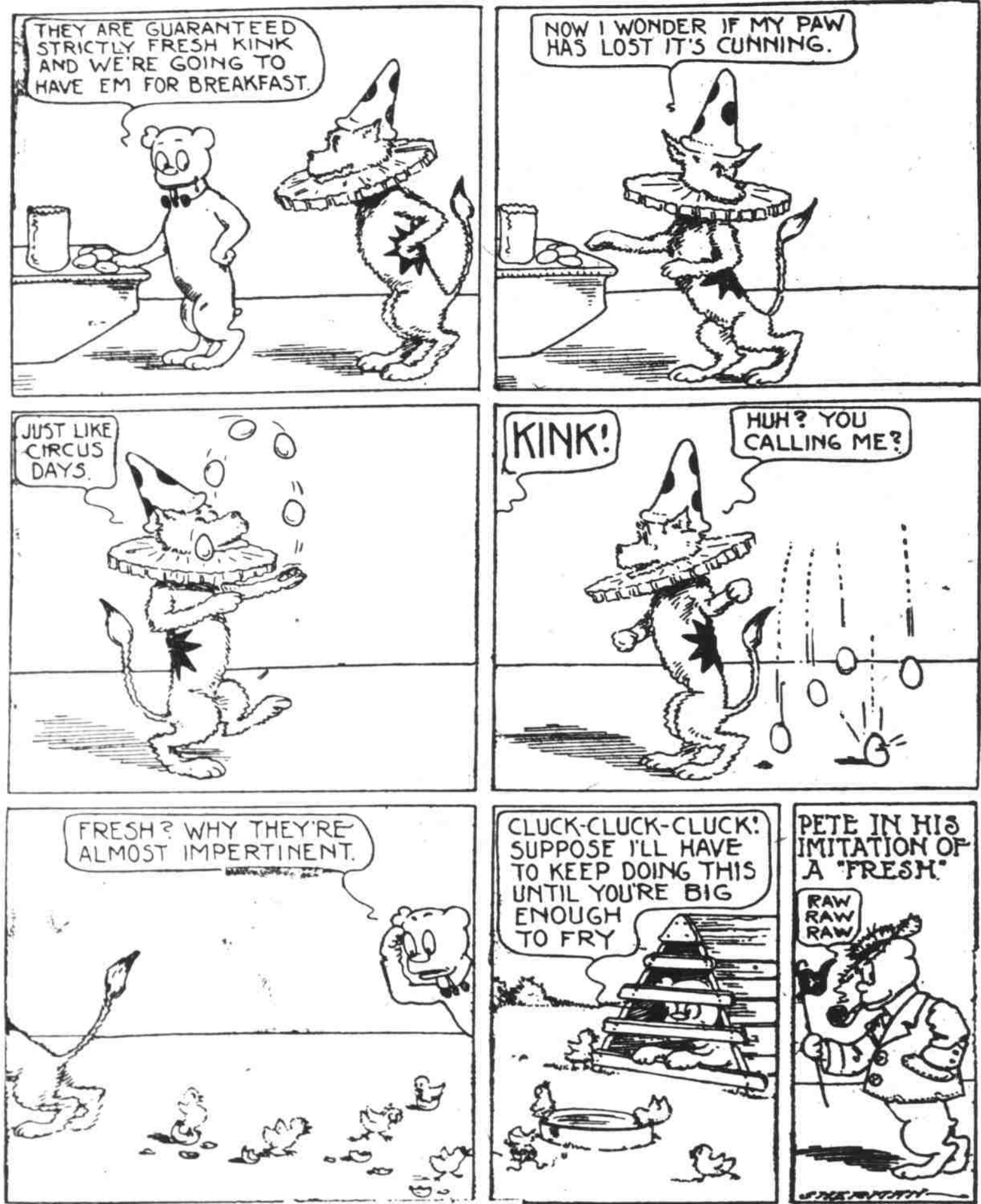


The Shells Made a Funny Crack By C. L. SHERMAN.



AMUSEMENTS

J. E. Dodson Coming. J. E. Dodson, the distinguished character actor, is at present starring under the management of Cohen & Harris in a comedy called, "The House Next Door," which had a long run at the Gaiety Theater, New York.

The comedy deals with the prejudice of certain people of title in England against the rising to riches and fame of those who cannot boast of aristocratic lineage. The humor of the comedy is said to be infectious and everywhere played it has received the stamp of success. Mr. Dodson always receives an ovation for his acting in the part of the old English baronet. As Sir John Cotswold, irascible, tyrannical and blind to his impoverished condition, who has a son and daughter ready to marry into the family living next door, none other than that of the much-hated Sir Isaac Jacobson, he is said to present a rare picture of a really lovable old tyrant.

A Popular Attraction Coming. The ever-popular little comedians, the Lyman Twins, are to be seen here soon in a brand new up-to-date musical show, "The Prize Winners" which from reports from other States has more than made good and is by far the best vehicle from a standpoint of dramatic worth in which these clever little laugh-makers have ever before appeared. This new attraction is a production of note with a heavy and beautiful scenic investment which rivals the best. The chorus groupings and costumes are said to be stunning and some of the numerous jingling songs hit real novelties. They will appear at the Academy of Music next Friday night.

BOTH EARNHARDTS ILL SON ALSO VERY SICK

The three-fold affliction which has befallen the Earnhardt family, including Night Turney J. M. Earnhardt, and a son of the latter, has elicited many expressions of condolence and sympathy from the friends of these popular members of the police force. Mr. Mack Earnhardt has been extremely ill with inflammatory rheumatism and confined to his bed for several weeks at a hospital, while his father, Night Turney Earnhardt, has also been quite ill for ten days, and a son of Mr. Mack Earnhardt has also been very seriously stricken during the illness of his father and grand-father.

It is not often that so much ill-luck befalls one family at the same time, and the members of the police force are extending their fullest sympathy and aid to their stricken fellow-officer in their distress.

LAWYERS ARRANGING CIVIL COURT CALENDAR. The members of the bar association are meeting this afternoon in the library at the law building and arranging the calendar for the two weeks civil term of court, which will convene on Monday, the 14th instant. The docket promises to be an unusually large one and many cases that have been pending for months, will be finally disposed of at the coming session of court.

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CONSUL ANDERSON WAS KNOWN HERE

Member of Government Consular Force Who Died in New York Yesterday a Relative of Capt. Fred Nash. George B. Anderson, the United States consul on the Island of Marber of Charlotteterrae, was known to quite a number of Charlotte people, and was a relative of Capt. Fred Nash, of this city, and a descendant of Governor Nash. "The father of Mr. Anderson," said a Charlotte citizen to-day, "was Capt. George Anderson, a gallant Confederate soldier, who was shot on the field at Sharpsburg and 'Squire Henry Severs carried him from the field of battle. He was as brave a soldier as I ever knew.'"

MINISTER RECEIVES BLACKMAIL LETTERS.

Special to The Chronicle. WINSTON-SALEM, March 4.—The pastor of a well-known local church has received two blackmail letters recently from some woman which have been turned over to a postoffice inspector. The demand was for \$10. The minister answered the last letter and sent it by registered mail and the woman signed for it but later sent it back saying that she had opened it by mistake and that it did not belong to her.

THEY LIVE A LONG TIME IN FORSYTH COUNTY.

Special to The Chronicle. WINSTON-SALEM, March 4.—Old Richmond township, this county, can boast of greater longevity than any other section of the county. In one immediate neighborhood, 'Squire Walter, aged 87 years, his wife, 81 years, and his wife's sister, Bettie Shields, aged 84 years, all reside in one house; Joseph Shields, a white man aged 80, lives nearby, and the following aged colored people live in the vicinity: Abraham Seales, 85 years; Vina Speas, 88 years and Tabitha Sawyer, 106.

BRIEFS.

—Mr. W. L. Wilhoite, who recently resigned his position as special agent for the New York Life Insurance Company, has accepted the position of supervisor of agents for the Reliance Life Insurance Company in North and South Carolina. He will make his headquarters in Charlotte, having offices at rooms 1200, 1202, 1204 and 1206 in the Realty building.

—The first rehearsal of the chorus for the big May music festival will be held at the Stief Music House to-night at 8 o'clock. All the singers of the city are invited to take part in the chorus, which will be under the capable direction of Mr. Harry J. Zehn.

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Notice of Sale Under Execution.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA. Mecklenburg County. In the Superior Court. Hugh W. Harris, Plaintiff, vs. Charlotte Development Company, a Corporation, Defendant. NOTICE OF EXECUTION SALE. By virtue of an execution directed to the undersigned, from the Superior Court of Mecklenburg County, N. C. in the above-entitled action, I will on Monday the 7th day of March, 1910, at 12 o'clock M., at the Court House door of said County and State, sell to the highest bidder for cash, to satisfy said execution, all the right, title, interest and estate of the defendant in and to any and all mines, veins, seams, beds of ore, metals and minerals, easements or rights which the defendant, Charlotte Development Company, a corporation, has by virtue of a certain deed recorded in Book 105, page 423 of the records of Mecklenburg County, in, to and upon the following tract or parcel of land located in Raw Creek Township, Mecklenburg County, North Carolina, adjoining the lands of Robert Frazier, E. A. and James Thomas et al., to-wit: Being the tract of land conveyed to the defendant, Charlotte Development Company, as recorded in Book 238, page 358 of the records of Mecklenburg County, bounded and described as follows:—

Beginning at a large Pine, Frazier's corner, and runs thence with four of his lines (1) N. 41-2 E. 45 1-2 poles to a Black Gum (2) N. 81-2 W. 5-4-5 poles to a Pine Stump; (3) S. 79-1-2 W. 33-2-5 poles to a White Oak Stump; (4) N. 68-1-4 W. 32-5 poles to a Stone in said Frazier's lines; thence two new lines (1) N. 34-1-2 E. 64-1-5 poles to a Stone; (2) S. 64-1-2 E. 74 poles to a Stone in the center of Public Road; thence with Roads 5-1-4 E. 35 poles 17 links to a Stake; thence S. 11 E. 43-1-5 poles to a Stake in James Thomas' lines; thence with said line S. 74-1-4 W. 2-1-6 poles to a Stake P. A. Thomas' corner; thence with his line S. 41-1-2 E. 6-1-5 poles to a Stone on the East side of the Road; P. A. Thomas' corner; thence N. 82-1-2 W. 48-1-2 poles to the beginning, containing 4070 acres—being a part of two tracts of land conveyed to John W. Cross—one by John W. Montgomery and wife, by deed dated December 12th, 1899, recorded in Book 149, page 432—the other tract conveyed by Herlot Clarkson, Commissioner, by deed dated July 18th, 1895, recorded in Book 105, page 88 in office of Register of Deeds for said County. This the 4th day of February, 1910. Sheriff of Mecklenburg County, N. C. R. H. JORDAN & CO., S. W. WALLACE, N. W. WALLACE.

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