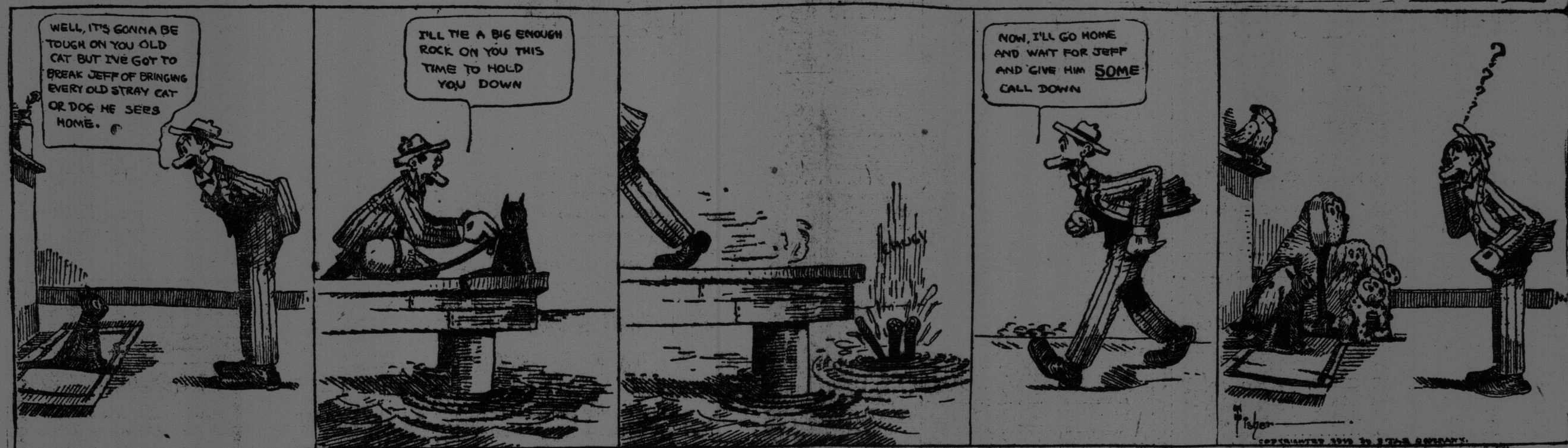


Yes, Indeed, Jeff Is Fond of Animals

By "Bud" Fisher



SPORT NEWS OF A DAY, HOME AND ABROAD

THE RIFLE

City Rifle Club.
The St. John City Rifle Club held its first annual match at the local rifle range on Saturday afternoon. The weather conditions were somewhat difficult and handicapped to a considerable extent the work of the marksmen, but some good scores were made for the first shoot. The winner of the first shoot, the winner of the rifle match, was J. J. Pinkerton, with a score of 97 points out of a possible 100; second, Major McRobbie, score 88; Class B, the winner of the second was Major W. C. Magee, 86 points; second, Staff Sergeant Alfred Bentley. The club will hold weekly sports matches from now on at the local rifle range.

FOOTBALL

Local Match.
A benefit game of football for Humphrey Jones, who is in hospital, was played on Saturday afternoon on the Marathon grounds between the St. John team and the Caledonians. The former team won 4 to 0. There was a large attendance. His Worship Mayor Frink put the ball in play. The game was a good exhibition.

CRICKET

St. John Team Wins.
The St. John cricket team defeated the West Indian Club on the Barrack Green Saturday in an interesting game. The score was 145 to 12.

E TURF

In Fredericton.
The Fredericton Park Association of officers is likely to undergo a change. Stranger things have happened, so reports go, than for President Hugh O'Neill to resignable presidency and become the secretary of the association, the position being usually that of manager.

Trainer William Shearon is expected to arrive here from Woodstock the first of next week and will establish his public training stable at the Trotting Park. He will have a large and apparently a very strong racing stable.

President O'Neill announced today that it had been decided to hold races here on June 1 and July 1 and that the program would be made up of two races and a matinee event each day. The classes will be: 230, 222, 217 and 214 all mixed events.

THE RING

Of St. John.
Joe Egan, who has developed into a clever boxer will meet Mickey Devine in Lawrence. The winner of the bout will be matched to box Steve Kennedy. The semi-final bout will be between Rodie McDonald of St. John and Terry O'Rourke.

BASEBALL

In Bangor.
A meeting of men interested in seeing Bangor represented in the Maine and New Brunswick baseball league was held at the Chamber of Commerce room, on Thursday evening and was attended by a good number of enthusiasts who listened with interest to the plans as explained by Frank Leonard, who will manage the St. John team and who has been devoting the last fortnight to assisting Bangor to make a start.

All were interested in the statement of Mr. Leonard that all teams must have a backing of not less than \$1,000, for such is the rule adopted in order that there shall be every probability that all will continue throughout the season. Usually in other years Bangor has been bothered by other teams dropping by the wayside but at present the other cities that will be in the league have strong associations already formed while Bangor is yet in the process of evolving an association.

However everything should be moving soon now. Mr. Leonard reported on Thursday evening that he had pledged between \$500 and \$800 of the required \$1,000. Some of the gentlemen present at the meeting thought that Mr. Leonard should be assisted in the work of disposing of stock and it is probable that a local committee will take hold of the matter. The money will be turned over to the treasurer of the association, who will be elected by the stockholders.

Players Well Known.
Host of last year's Fredericton team, in its first New England League game for Brockton against Worcester made three hits, one a two-bagger, scored twice and

took twelve fielding chances without an error.

For Lynn against Lawrence on Thursday Joe Neptune made two hits, seven assists and no error. Frank Harrington was called in as a pinch hitter in the ninth and got around the circuit with one of the runs that tied the game.

First baseman Gansel helped the new Portland, Me. team to win from Gray's club in Lowell, 12 to 4. Gansel had two hits and a clean sacrifice and assisted in a double play.

Larry Conley is doing some pitching for the Boston College team, and held the Middlebury, Vt., team to a single run in the three innings he was in the box on Thursday. The Boston Globe says he had wonderful cross fire outshoot. He had hit and a stolen base, two put outs and one assist. Bob Gray was not in the hit column but fished perfectly with two put outs and two assists.

Operation on Jake Stahl.

Boston, May 5.—Manager "Jake" Stahl of the world's champions Red Sox team will be operated upon in Boston today for a bone growth in his foot, which has kept him out of the game at first base. Stahl will be unable to go with the team this week on the first western trip and Captain Wagner will direct the men on the field.

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McGraw's Review of the Big Leagues

By JOHN J. MCGRAW
Manager of the Champion Giants

In discussing the American League, I am going to begin at the bottom, or what is the bottom now, and work up. Frank Chance came to New York this spring and was acquainted with his team and with little knowledge of the conditions in the American League. A big noise was made over his arrival and adherence of the New York club expected him to wave a wand and produce a league leader.

Chance has got away to a bad start. He will admit that himself. He did to the other night, as a matter of fact, when the New York American League club was playing Boston in New York and the Giants were home in town at the same time. But the manager of the Yankees has kept him out of the game at first base. Stahl will be unable to go with the team this week on the first western trip and Captain Wagner will direct the men on the field.

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