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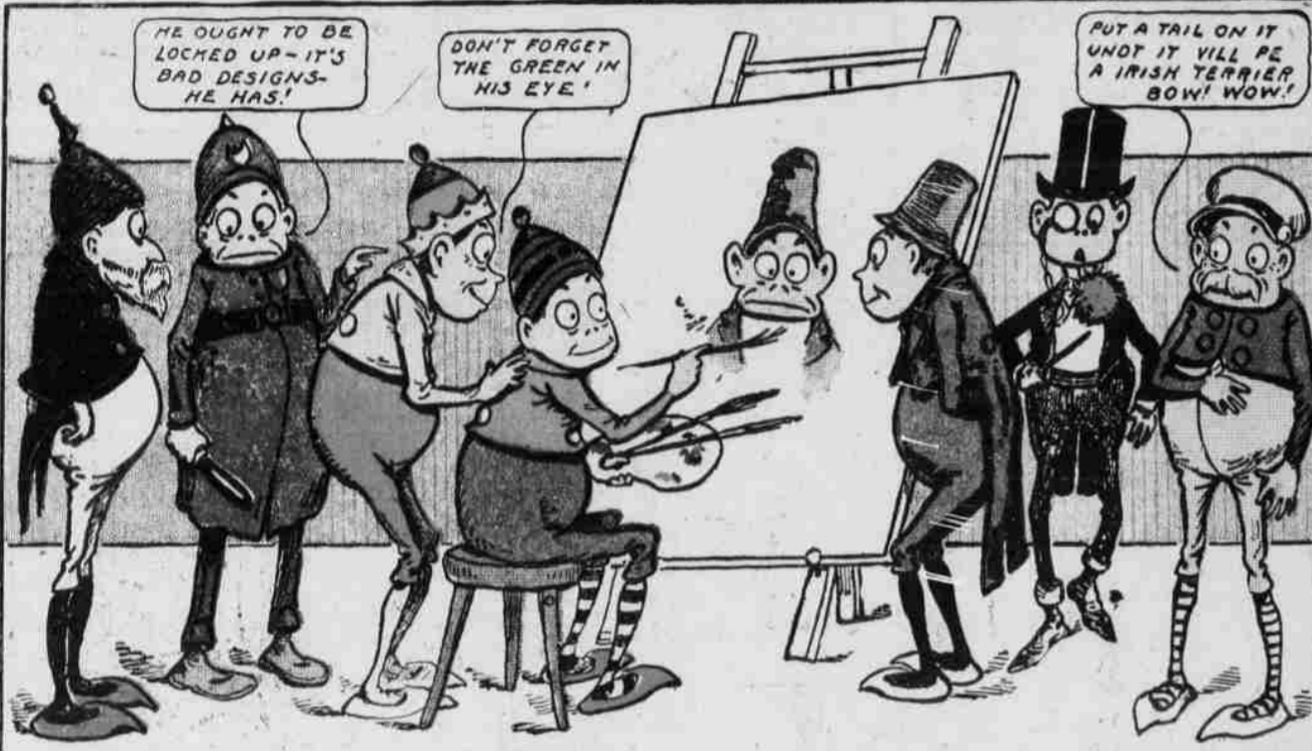


# BROWNIE of BROWNIETOWN

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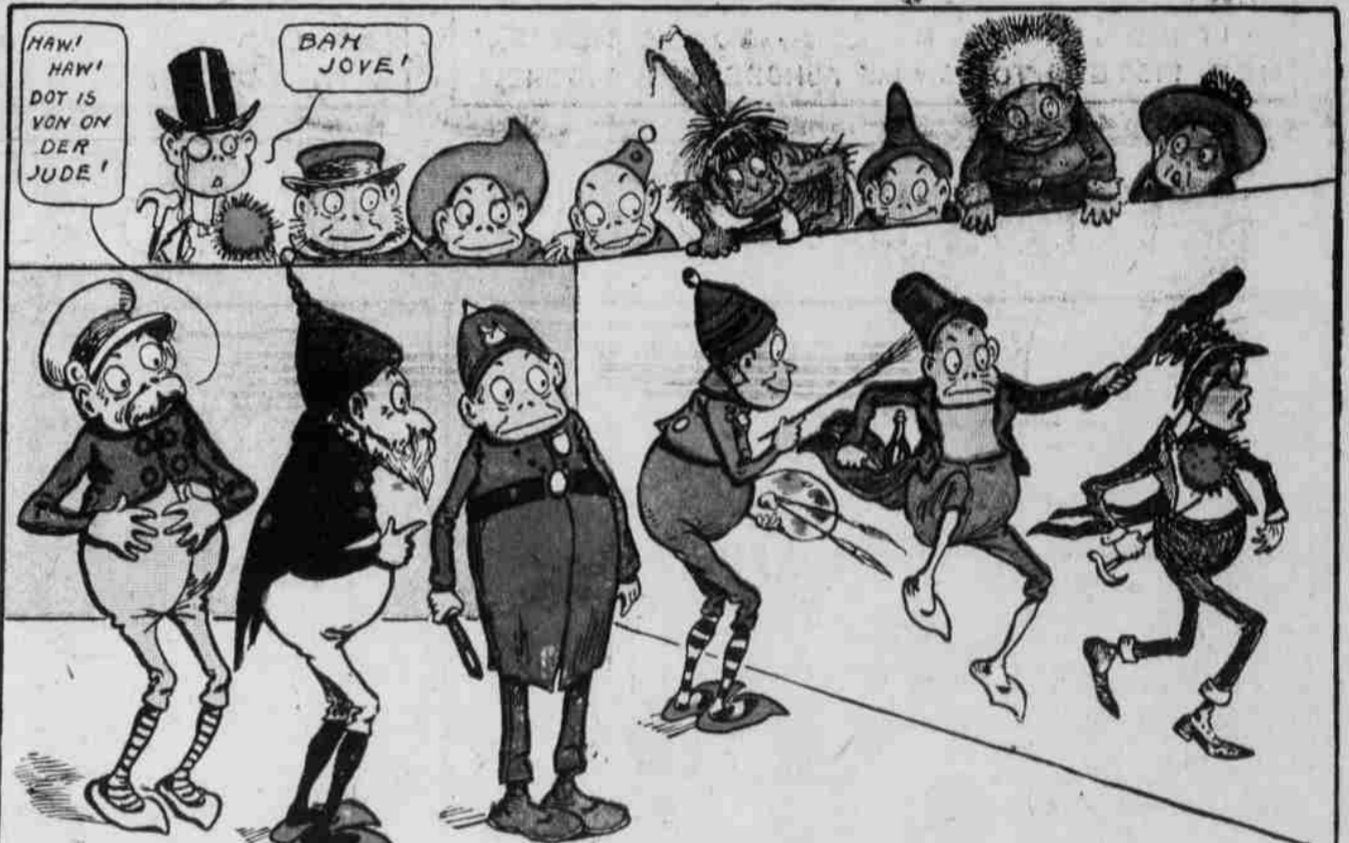
THE BROWNIE CLOWN HAD GOT A START, TO SOME EXTENT IN SCHOOLS OF ART.



AND STILL THE GIFT CAME AT HIS CALL, WHEN DECORATING FENCE OR WALL.



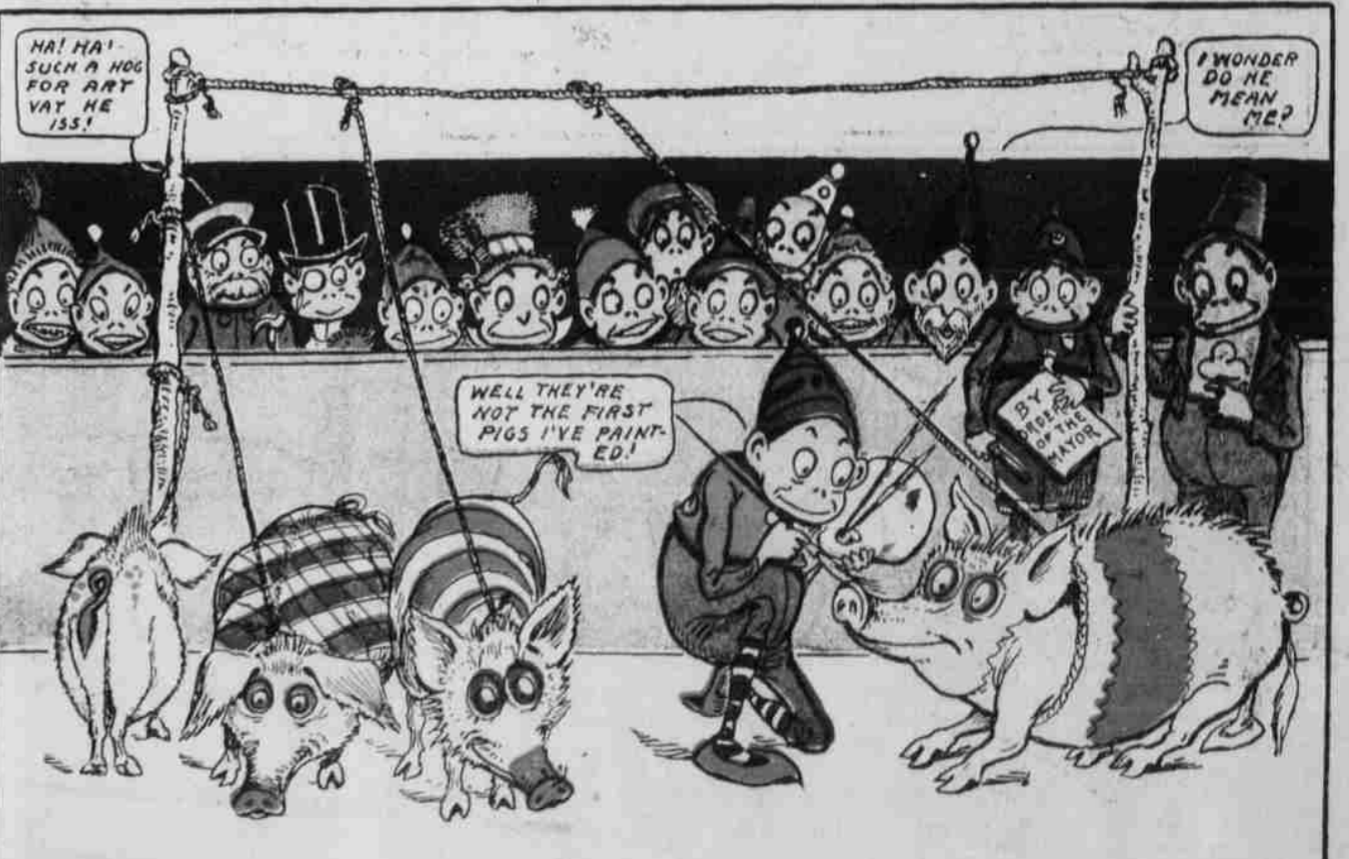
OFT' TIMES HE SKETCHED WITH TIRELESS HAND, THE LEADING MEMBERS OF THE BAND



SOME LAUGHED WHO HAD ESCAPED HIS TOUCH, AT THOSE WHO WERE SPREAD OVER MUCH.



HE COULD NOT FLATTER AND AT LAST, INTO DISFAVOR HE WAS CAST.



AND THEN WAS FORCED IN LIEU OF FINE, TO DECORATE SOME STRAYING SWINE.