



DARLING!!



WHAT IS IT, M'LOVE?



DON'T BE SILLY, MUTT! I WAS CALLING THE DOG!

MUTT AND JEFF

Merry Christmas!

By BUD FISHER



I'M PLAYING SANTA CLAUS TONIGHT AND I'M DOING IT RIGHT! I'VE EVEN GOT A REINDEER AND WHISKERS!



MUTT LIVES THE NEAREST SO I'LL CALL ON HIM FIRST!



PHOOEY ON THE CHIMNEY STUFF! I'LL GO IN THE FRONT DOOR!



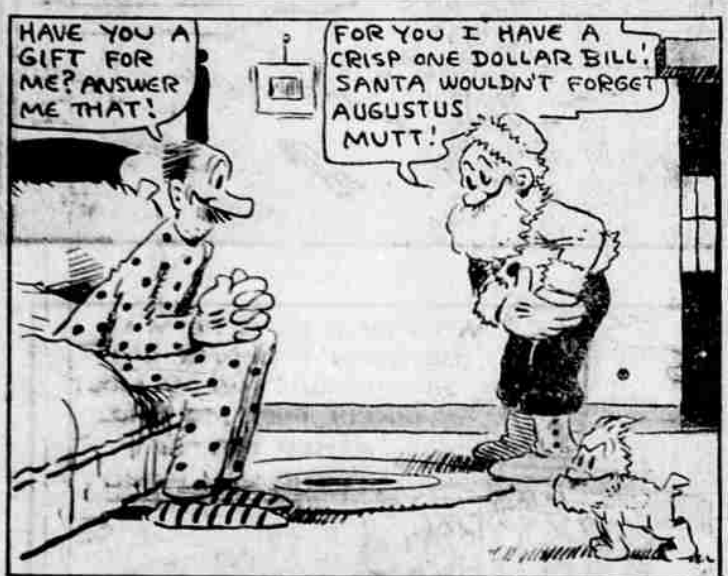
WHO GOES THERE?

MUTT, IT'S SANTA CLAUS! MERRY CHRISTMAS!



WELL, WELL! AND WHY DO YOU CALL ON ME?

BECAUSE I'M CALLING ON ALL THE LION TAMERS! THAT'S WHY!



HAVE YOU A GIFT FOR ME? ANSWER ME THAT!

FOR YOU I HAVE A CRISP ONE DOLLAR BILL! SANTA WOULDN'T FORGET AUGUSTUS MUTT!



THANKS! NOW THAT I'VE GOT A DOLLAR LET'S PLAY PINOCHE! WHAT DO YOU SAY?

NIX! MY REINDEER AND SLEIGH ARE OUTSIDE! I HAVE MANY CALLS TO MAKE TONIGHT!



I WASN'T SPOOFING! HE'S A REAL REINDEER!

HE'S A CUTE LOOKING GOAT! WELL, WELL, WELL!



YOU WORM! YOU GAVE ME A DOLLAR! YOU'VE GOT A BANJO FOR SPIVIS-

A RADIO FOR GUS GEEVEM, AND THIS SWELL OVERCOAT FOR SIR SIDNEY!



I DEMAND FAIR PLAY! HENCE, I'LL TAKE THE OVERCOAT!



BOW WOW WOW WOW!! BOW-W-R-R!

YOU BIG PIECE OF CHEESE, AIN'T YOU GOT NO CHRISTMAS SPIRIT AT ALL!



FOR SALE! ONE COMPLETE SANTA CLAUS OUTFIT. ALSO AN ASSORTMENT OF MEN'S GIFTS! CHEAP!

