

CICERO'S CAT

BY BUD FISHER

CICERO, TONIGHT WE'LL SURPRISE YOUR MOTHER - WE'LL RING OUT THE OLD YEAR AND RING IN THE NEW WITH THIS COO COO CLOCK I JUST BOUGHT!



COO COO



IT'S TWELVE O'CLOCK, MY DEAR - NOW LISTEN TO YOUR NEW CLOCK!



MEOW! MEOW! MEOW!



MUTT AND JEFF :- It's a case of off with the old love, at this New Year's Eve Party— :- By BUD FISHER

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WHY THE TROUBLED LOOK, MUTT?

OH, I FORGOT ALL ABOUT JOE SPIVS GIVING A NEW YEAR'S EVE PARTY TONIGHT IN MY HONOR!

WELL, WHY DON'T YOU GO? YOU GOT THREE-QUARTERS OF AN HOUR YET BEFORE MIDNIGHT!

I CAN'T! IT'S A COSTUME PARTY - ALL THE COSTUME SHOPS ARE CLOSED! JOE WAS DEPENDING ON ME TOO - I'M USUALLY THE LIFE OF A PARTY!

I HAVE A SWELL IDEA FOR MAKING A QUICK COSTUME, MUTT, IF YOU'LL TAKE ME ALONG!

YOU HAVE? --- WELL, YOU WEREN'T INVITED BUT I GUESS JOE WON'T MIND IF YOU KEEP OUT OF THE WAY!

HELLO, JOE! I'LL BE OVER IN ABOUT FIFTEEN MINUTES! I'M BRINGING JEFF ALONG WITH ME -- IS IT O.K.?

I'M NOT SUCH A GOOD SIGN PAINTER BUT THIS WILL DO!

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NOW THEN, LET'S TEAR THIS TABLE CLOTH IN HALF, MUTT, AND THEN YOU DIG UP THE OLD SANTA CLAUS WHISKERS WE HAD LAST WEEK - I'LL GO OUT IN THE GARAGE AND GET THE OLD SCYTHE!

THERE YOU ARE, MUTT! YOU LOOK GREAT! YOU'RE FATHER TIME OR 1933 AND I'M 1934 'CAUSE I'M SMALL -- SEE?

WELL, IT'S NOT SO GOOD BUT IT'LL HAVE TO DO, SINCE I TOLD JOE I'M COMING OVER!

WE HAVEN'T GOT MUCH TIME LEFT BEFORE MIDNIGHT - LET'S TAKE THIS CAB!

HELLO, EVERYBODY!

HAPPY NEW YEAR!

BONG! BONG! BONG!

TOOT TOOT

OUT WITH THE OLD YEAR! - AND IN WITH THE NEW!

HAPPY NEW YEAR!

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HAPPY NEW YEAR, MUTT!

MERRY FOURTH OF JULY!

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