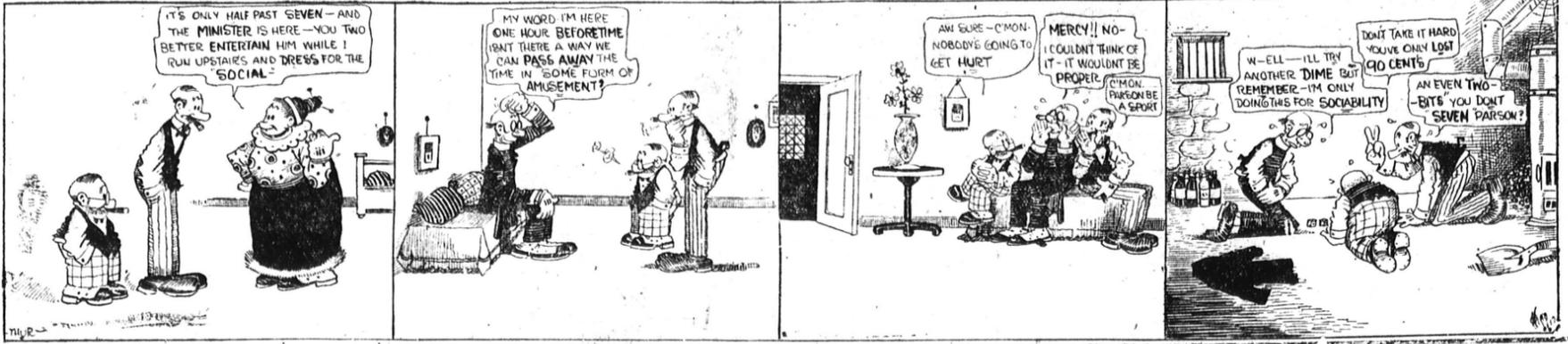


HITT AND RUNN—Cheer Up Parson—Remember That Temptation Is No Respector of Persons!

BY HITT



Charles A. Brazee, Bulb Grower on Harbor Blvd. Is Famous All Over the World as Iris Expert

Not the least famous man in man and Seedsman, Mr. Brazee's the Torrance district is Charles accomplishments are heralded in a Alexander Brazee, whose flower long and prominently displayed ar-

ships bulbs to Holland, we publish the article in full. It follows: Charles Alexander Brazee is a man without a hobby, according to his story, but just let anyone talk to him fifteen minutes any time outside of his sleeping hours and you will find that his hobby in his work—and his work (about 16 out of every 24 hours) is raising letter bulbous iris.

October 22, 1870, at Ogdensburg, New York, although one would not believe his age if one were to follow him from morning to night. No task is too hard for him nor are the jobs too long or tedious if it involves raising letter bulbs or getting better cut flowers on the market.

While he was still with the J. M. Gasser Co., the urge of Horace Greeley's advice seized him and grabbing bag and baggage, he headed for God's own country south of the Tehachapi.

zee shipping iris to all corners of the world in competition to all growers and it is surprising but true that the Dutch growers themselves buy a great deal of his stock for shipping on their orders in America as well as some foreign countries.

It would not be proper to write this article and have you believe that raising iris is all Mr. Brazee does for a living, for it is not. In and around the Los Angeles flower market he is known as an expert flower grower.

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