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As Told to James Gordon Fraser  
By Frank Matty

I said in an earlier chapter of these reminiscences that I give James K. McGuire credit for putting Syracuse on the map—for making a city out of a village. And I meant every word of it.

He was, by long odds, the most remarkable and unusual figure ever produced by Syracuse from a political standpoint. I doubt if we will ever see another like him. Conditions today don't make it easy.

Jim McGuire started even lower than I did in the social and political scale. He was born in New York and brought here by his parents when he was a baby. He grew up on the old North Side, without many advantages. I don't mean that he was a waif of the streets, but he didn't have a lot of things that other kids had, and it was pretty hard sledding for him at times.

He went to the old Christian Brothers Academy, I think, and I know he was a newsboy and a bootblack. He was also, at one time a "train butcher," as they called the boys who sold papers and things on trains. When I first noticed him, he was working for Ross Spaulding and Bradford Kennedy in their hardware business.

McGuire had a natural gift for politics. He was one of the few men I ever knew who could mix with everybody and still seem to stay a little away from them. I don't know exactly how to say it, but what I mean is that he seemed to impress everybody he met that he was no ordinary man. He was not a lawyer, but he was a better orator than any lawyer. He could "spread the oil," as the boys used to say, and he could also "lay on the mustard." I have heard him giving me a taste of both.

McGuire was around Democratic meetings all through the early '80s. He got acquainted with the folks who were running things, and they liked him. One time—I think it was about 1886 or 1887—they nominated him for member of assembly and didn't find out until the caucus was over that he wasn't old enough to vote, let alone run for office. Some mayor—probably Bill Kirk—appointed him a member of the library commission, but he wouldn't take that. He didn't want to get into a rut, he told me later, because he had figured out that a politician in a little job seldom got a bigger one.

It wasn't until 1895 that he was ready to jump into the center of the stage. And when he did, he certainly made a spectacular jump.

One of the first things he did was to consult me. He came over to my place one day and told me he thought he would go into the caucus after the mayoralty nomination. Jake Amos was just finishing up his last year, and after the hot water in which our aldermanic combine had kept Cowie and Amos, McGuire figured the time was ripe for a good Democrat. I thought so, too. And when I thought it over, I couldn't see where we could do any better. I have always been a great believer in the young man in politics. There is something in a young fellow that an old man hasn't got. Look at Marvin right now. He's a youngster, really, but he has the people with him. And it was that way with McGuire.

Well, I saw a few people and McGuire said a few and pretty soon, we had it lined up. We used to meet in the evening and talk it over, and the more I saw of McGuire, the more I was impressed with him. I went into the caucus with enough votes to swing his nomination, and I delivered them. And I want to say, right here and now, that I never failed to deliver every vote I could control for McGuire—on election day. I held out a few on him occasionally in the Common Council, but when he was running for office, he always was able to count on everything Frank Matty could give him.

The Republicans were in a row in 1895. Belden and Hendricks were fighting each other like a couple of tomatoes hung on a clothesline, and there were lesser battles within the organization. The regulars wanted to nominate Charlie Saul, the seed man, for mayor, and they did nominate him, but it aroused so much dissension that Charles Baldwin, another Republican, decided to run as an independent. That's always had, as I suspect either John O'Brien or Joe McKee of New York City, can tell you. The only way to win is to hold all your own party and take a few away from the other fellow.

Anyway, it made a three-cornered race, and that was pie for Jim McGuire. He got 9,000 votes and, as I remember it, the regular Republican ran a poor third. Saul and Baldwin, together, got more than McGuire, and that was always a sore point with him. I got his goat several times afterward by reminding him of it when we were having a difference of opinion about something.

McGuire was no sooner elected than the newspapers began calling him "The Boy Mayor." He was only 28, at that, and I guess he was probably the youngest mayor in the country of any city as big as this. We had just under 100,000 population then and were just beginning to grow.

I'll have a lot more to say about McGuire's administration, which covered the six years to 1901, but I might as well go on with McGuire, the man.

I fought him on a lot of things while he was in the city hall, but I want to point out that everything I fought him on was political. I didn't fight him when he wanted to build schoolhouses and firehouses and pavements and do other things to improve and expand the city. Right now, nobody could go over the record of the votes in the Common Council in those years and find one that would justify him in saying that Frank Matty stood against progress. And that is a lot of comfort to a man at my time of life.

McGuire should have been governor of the state. He almost made it in 1898, but he got caught between the millstones of Hill and Croker and Van Wyck was nominated. McGuire would have been a great national figure if he had made the grade that time, and he was mighty close to it. It shows you how slight a change in affairs can change a man's life. Instead, he went on running for



FRANK MATTY.

mayor until he got beat. He lost to Jay B. Kline, another political phenomenon, after beating Donald Dey and Theodore Hancock, the father of Clarence and Stewart Hancock. For a time, he kept his hand in here, maintaining control of the organization through Bill Rafferty. But eventually, his interests took him away from the city entirely. He tied up with one of the two great asphalt trusts and made a mint of money.

In his later years, he spent a lot of time and money in the cause of freeing Ireland, and he was pretty helpful there, too. He died in 1923, after a career that any man might well be proud of. When I want to get a thrill out of something, I still take out my scrapbook and read the speech McGuire made in the Driscoll campaign, when he reviewed his life and times. It was one of the greatest speeches that ever fell from any lips in Syracuse—and I have heard some good ones.

But, of course, you want to remember that what I am saying about Jim McGuire now is said in the light of calm reflection, for which I have had plenty of time in later years. I didn't arrive at those conclusions about him all at once. After I got into the city hall, I had to go into the ring with him before the chair was hardly warm. I'll put down what I recall about some of those scraps.

# Nottingham Alumni To Meet Thursday

The fourth annual alumni assembly at Nottingham High School will take place at 11 o'clock Thursday morning with "Youth Plans for a Civilized World" as the topic of discussion.

Alumni who will express their opinions are Miss Alice Horrocks, James Lyke, William MacLeod, Robert Smith, Thomas Dyer, Gerald Wiseman and John Berry.

Miss Marian Foster, chairman of the student social committee, will open the assembly followed by Philip Mitchell, chairman, who will present the speakers. Richard Gale and Miss Barbara Clark, authors of the Alma Mater, will lead the singing of the song. Fred J. Biere, principal, will also speak.

# HUNT ROBBERS KIWANIS PICKS FIELDING

Beaten and robbed of \$22 by an unidentified assailant early Wednesday morning, Lyndon F. Meagley of 2043 Bellevue av. was reported in a serious condition at Syracuse General Hospital, where it is feared his skull is fractured.

In the meantime police, with a meagre description of the thug, are scouring Syracuse for the man's attacker.

X-ray examinations will be made at the hospital this morning to determine the full extent of the head injury. Meagley has numerous cuts and bruises about the head and face.

Police were called into the investigation after Meagley had been taken to the office of Dr. Thomas P. Foreman, 401 Delaware st. After a cursory examination, Dr. Foreman ordered him taken to the hospital.

According to Patrolman Edward

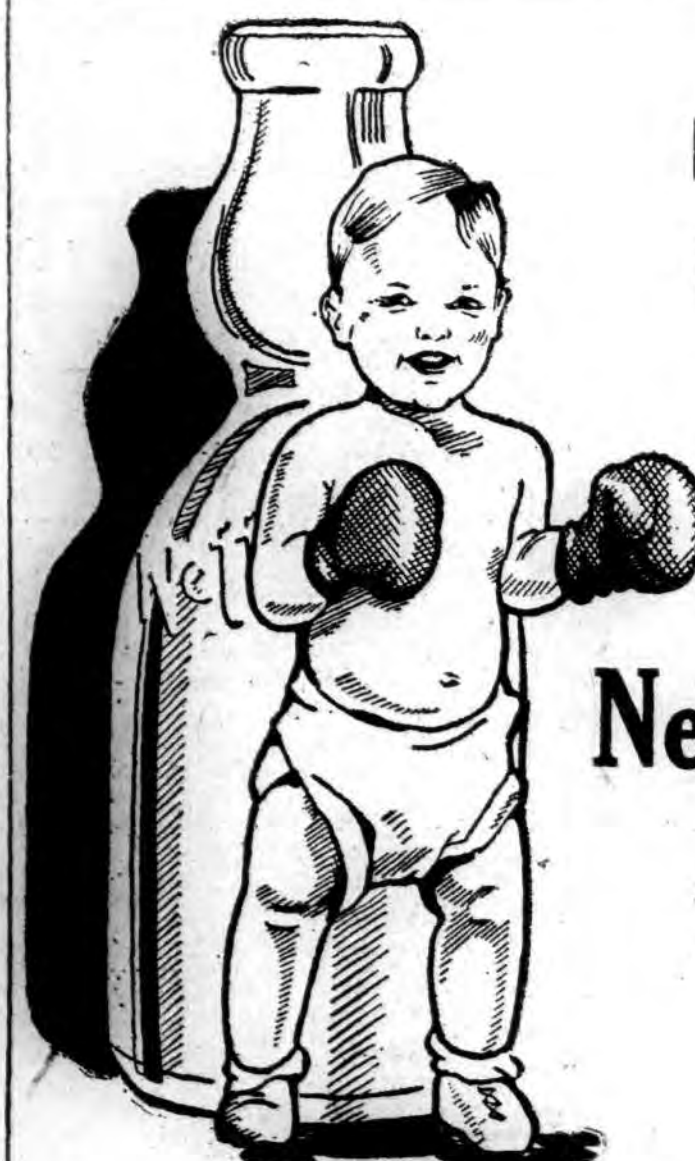
Members of the Kiwanis Club at their annual meeting in the ballroom of Hotel Syracuse yesterday elected John Fielding president. Other officers named are Harry W. Davies, first vice president; C. T. Twichell, second vice president, and James Y. Hurch, treasurer.

The secretary will be elected by the board of directors at its meeting Monday.

Three directors were elected. They are: L. Earle Higbee, Gabriel Fleischman and Charles Pross.

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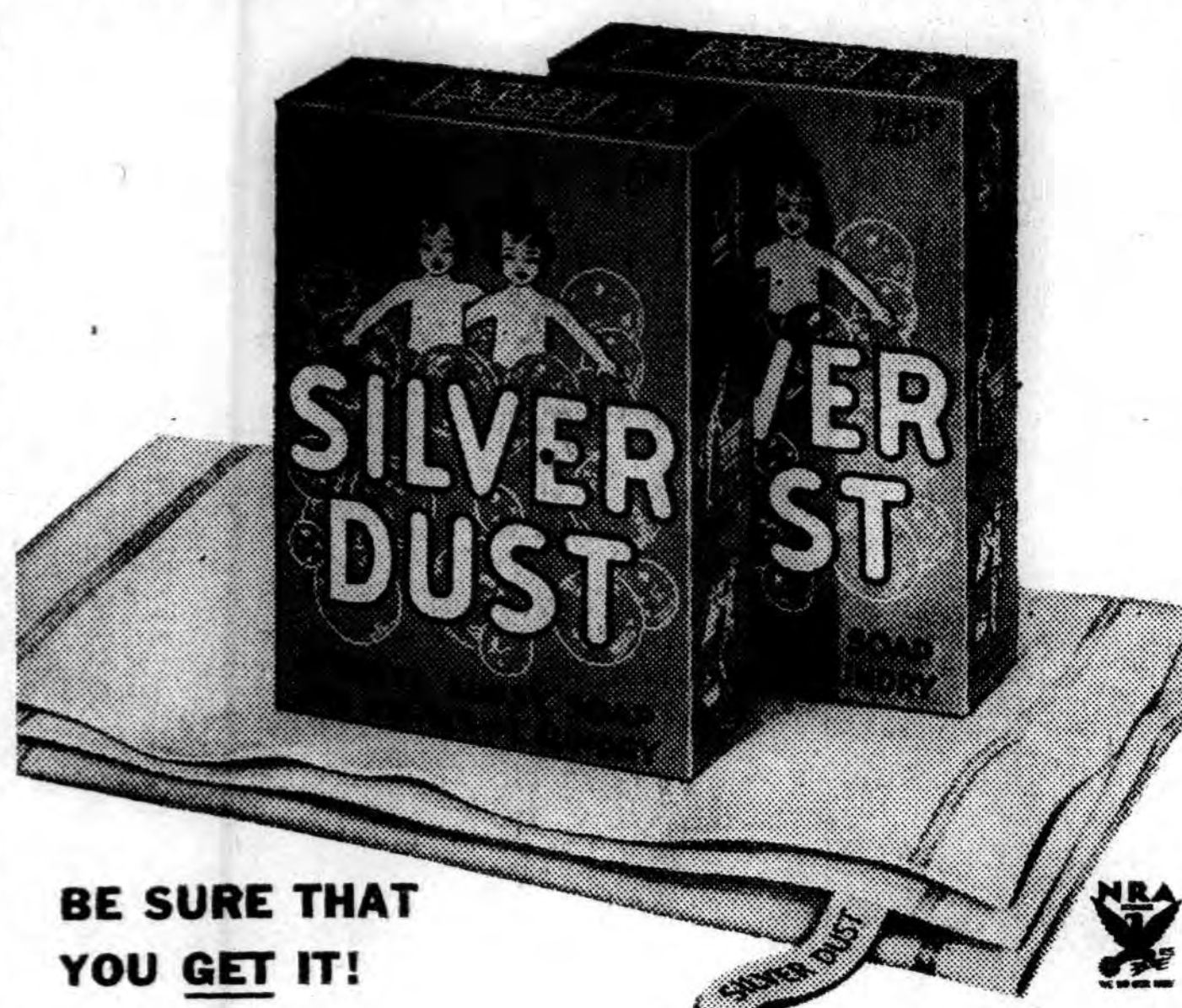
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