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Synopsis

Broad

"DON'T SLIP"
Starring Billy West
and Ethlyn Gibson

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Billy is having a hard time saying good-bye to his fond mamma, but at last he tears himself away and on going out finds it is raining. He puts on his overcoat, rubbers and opens his umbrella and it is no longer raining. He takes them off and it is raining again. On investigating he discovers the gardner is so busy talking to the maid that he has turned the hose on Billy.

Billy revenges himself by turning the hose on the gardner but there is a leak somewhere and the water spurts out where the maid is standing making her skirt creep up to her waist.

A young lady is exceeding the speed limit, a cop in close pursuit. On coming up he tears the summons and warns her not to speed again, whereupon she steps on the gas, knocks the cop over and SPEEDS away. She stops at a delicatessen and beckons to the young man of the store. Billy is passing and thinks she is calling him. She orders a dozen bananas and Billy enters the store to get them. He comes back to find a big burly fellow in a truck - the truck having hit her car and sent it on its way. Billy leaves in a hurry and goes down the street eating the fruit and strewing the peelings as he goes.

A roughneck who has been waiting for the girl falls on the peelings several times. On seeing the cause of the mishap he chases Billy and threatens to fight. Billy throws all the peelings around him and runs away. The roughneck tries to follow and slips. On all fours he has to creep to dry land. Billy takes refuge in a house, looks out of the window and sees the roughneck outside. Just then the girl comes up and calls Billy. Billy jumps out of the window knocking down a flowerpot which hits the roughneck. The roughneck comes up and says he wishes to buy Billy a cigar. He starts to beat him up but Billy turns the tables on him and escapes again.

Billy passes through the park and sees the roughneck taking his girl out for a canoe ride. He gets a canoe with no bottom and challenges the roughneck to a race saying he will win in a WALK. They start - Billy wins. The roughneck starts to fight and falls over with Billy's trousers and shoes in his hands. The girl thinking Billy is torn in two falls into the lake. She screams for help. Billy sees an old man sitting on a bench asleep, he uses him as a canoe and saves her just as the roughneck dives in after her. Enraged he again pursues Billy who is getting into an auto with the girl. Billy rides over him and on arriving at the girl's house the roughneck gets out from under the car. He hits Billy on the head with a piece of board. Billy hits him back and goes in with the girl to meet the folks.

The End.

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