

JAKE METZKER - drunk

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Jake Metzker was jailed Saturday evening on a charge of being drunk and disorderly. He was out on north Washington street doing a bear dance and as delightfully near delirium Tremain's as he could be without actually associating with phantom snakes. Jake inherited some money from a brother some months ago and if he has drawn a sober breath since it has been against his inclination. Life for Jake will be one prolonged and juicy jug until the last penny of his brother's savings have gone for gin. - thanks to Kim H