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Central Power Light Increases Power

Central Power and Light Company, which has been building at top speed since World War II to meet the rapidly-growing electric service needs of South Texas, increased its power supply more than 24 per cent in 1951 as the heavy requirements of defense mobilization were added to the normal uses of electricity.

The amount of electric power available to customers from CPL was increased by 49,000 kilowatts in 1951, and at the end of the year the company had 165,000 kilowatts more on the way, either under construction or on order.

CPL President Lon C. Hill, reviewing the developments of the past year, reported that all requirements for electric service in South Texas were fully met. CPL's total power supply in 1951, from its own plants and firm purchase contracts with neighboring systems, was 247,000 kilowatts. This is more than double the 109,500 kilowatts available at the end of World War II. Customer use of electricity increased about 16 per cent during the year 1951.

Anticipating still greater increases in both normal and defense requirements for electricity, the company completed one new power plant in 1951, continued construction of a large addition to another, and ordered equipment for two more large additions. Equipment for still another generating unit, which will be the largest in the CPL system when installed, was ordered in 1950.

The new power plant completed in 1951 is located at Laredo and has a net capability of 33,000 kilowatts. Firm purchase contracts provided 16,000 kilowatts additional for the CPL system. The plant under

construction during the year, a 33,000 kilowatt addition at Victoria, is scheduled for service late in 1952. A 66,000 kilowatt unit ordered in 1950 will be installed in the Corpus Christi area and will begin operating early in 1954. Available as of January 1, 1952, is still more power in the amount of 20,000 kilowatts procured through contract with a neighboring system.

While providing new power at an unprecedented rate and planning for more in the years ahead, Central Power and Light Company has also expanded its facilities for delivering this electricity to the users. One of the highlights of the year was the building of the first 138,000 volt transmission line in South Texas, as from a point north of Pleasanton to Victoria. Additional lines of this voltage will be built to form a new back-bone transmission system throughout South Texas, with voltage twice as high as existing transmission lines. Altogether in 1951, Hill asserted, the company spent more than 12 million dollars for new electric and ice service facilities, mostly for power plant equipment, transmission lines and substations, and electric distribution equipment. The 1952 plans call for an expenditure of more than 13 million dollars, Hill said, contingent upon the availability of materials. During the first five post-war years (1946-1950), the CPL expansion program cost an average of well over nine million dollars a year. The company's total utility plant investment has approximately doubled since the end of World War II.

Hill emphasized that this great expansion program must continue—not only to supply the growing needs of homes, farms, commerce and existing industry, but also to meet the stepped-up requirements of defense. More

electricity must be made available in South Texas for petroleum, chemicals, agriculture and many other activities vital to national defense, and it must be ready on time. In carrying out its building program, however, Central Power and Light Company—like the rest of the electric industry—is faced by a bottleneck in the flow of steel, copper, aluminum and other vital materials. Hill warned that the industry's expansion program cannot be carried out on schedule unless these materials are made available in the necessary quantities to both equipment manufacturers and power suppliers.

The electric industry, Hill said, has proved that it is equal to all normal and emergency demands unless hamstrung by government controls and government competition. After successfully fulfilling the gigantic electricity requirements of World War II, the industry met the post-war challenge of rapid industrial expansion and sharp increases in the use of electricity in homes, farms, and business establishments. During the six post-war years of 1946-1951, the industry invested about 10 billion dollars in new facilities—accomplishing the largest expansion program ever undertaken by any industry. This was done without a penny of government tax money, Hill explained; instead, the electric industry was and is a large taxpayer. The expansion program is scheduled to go forward even faster in the three years 1952-1954, when the industry expects to spend seven billion dollars more for new facilities.

Texas Employment Commission

Employers in Texas who come under the provisions of the state's unemployment insurance law have a good record of paying their payroll taxes. These taxes go into a fund that insures employees against the hazards of losing a job, the Texas Employment Commission reported today.

TEC said that since the unemployment insurance program was first instituted in Texas back in 1935, and through November this year, some 80,359 employers have become liable for the payment of the unemployment tax. Actually, of the latter total only 32,083 employers are still in business and have active accounts. The remaining 48,276 employers have either gone out of business, reorganized, or have terminated coverage under the unemployment insurance law when the number of workers in their employ was reduced below the eight that made them subject to the unemployment insurance law.

The agency further pointed out that of the 80,359 covered employers, approximately 4,500 still owe \$1,707,168 in unemployment taxes. This amount represents only four-tenths of one per cent of the taxes reported for all periods since 1935. Many of these employers have died, others are dissolved corporations, and still others have gone into bankruptcy.

TEC said that of the \$1,707,168 outstanding balance, \$1,193,463 is considered possibly collectible, and \$513,705 probably can not be recovered.

TEC pointed out that after paying unemployment insurance to legitimately unemployed workers since 1938, and after reduction of unemployment tax rates, Texas still has some \$246 million dollars in its trust fund.

March of Dimes Head For Theaters Named

AUSTIN, Jan. 9.—Mark Cole of Rosenberg, general manager of the Cole Theaters, Inc., has been appointed Texas Theater Chairman for the 1952 March of Dimes, Lloyd Gregory of Houston, state campaign director, announced here today.

A former president of the Rosenberg Community Chest and the Chamber of Commerce, Cole has been very active in community affairs, including the annual March of Dimes. As chairman for the State's theaters, Cole will coordinate show activities, including distribution of the March of Dimes film trailer, and will marshal support for the January polio drive among Texas show men.

"Theater men of Texas have greatly aided in publicity and in collections during the March of Dimes each year," Cole declared. "Many managers have given their leadership to this important drive, which will be conducted from January 2-31 in 1952."

"The upward surge of polio incidence during the last four years has far outdistanced funds available for patient care, research, and professional education. Year after year, March of Dimes contributions have moved steadily ahead, but the March of Polio has continued to outpace the March of Dimes. This year, the theater men of Texas are looking forward to intensifying their cooperation with National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis county chapters to see that sufficient funds are raised. That sufficient funds are raised."

From State Health Officer

Austin, Tex. Jan. 4.—Carelessness in the treatment of respiratory disease is not only foolish but very hazardous, according to Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, who warned Texans today to be on guard against such illnesses as lead to pneumonia.

Dr. Cox pointed out that pneumonia can and does strike with little or no warning, and in many instances its forerunner is a simple cold, an attack of influenza, or some other respiratory infection.

"A cold or any other infection of the breathing passage which makes one constitutionally weak especially if it is accompanied by fever, demands the immediate attention of the family physician. To self treat and fight on one's feet a condition of this kind is to endanger life unnecessarily. It is advisable to take all possible steps to avoid respiratory illnesses since they so frequently lead to that dangerous complication—pneumonia."

Dr. Cox stressed the fact that it is important to build up, normal physical resistance by sufficient outdoor ventilation, adequate nourishing food, outdoor exercise and sufficient sleep, but added that the family physician should be called immediately if, in spite of such care, a respiratory disease develops.

"Guard against pneumonia which is a communicable disease. It may be acquired by direct or indirect contact with a pneumonia patient. Reduced bodily resistance resulting from habitual disregard for normal physical requirements, makes pneumonia doubly hazardous. A physician should be consulted immediately upon the appearance of any respiratory ailment."

MENTAL MEANDERINGS

It may be a new year, but there doesn't seem to be too much of anything new cropping up in the papers excepting rehash of old things, new occurrences that have old endings, troubles, wars—all most familiar to the people who read the papers. There are some who say they do not read the papers because of the bad news which are carried in them. Might as well stuff cotton in your ears so as not to listen as to what is going on. Now that we advocate promiscuous listening to everything that goes on—we doubt if anyone, even one who wants to learn all about everyone—would do that. But we wonder what sort of a life one leads who does not care to know what is happening in Korea, Germany or anywhere else on this old world—if it happens anywhere just now it is of much interest to everyone, including ourselves, for we are now, as never before, all affected by what others do, especially those who like to dabble with nitro and dynamite, political or otherwise. What our government does is something which we are all beginning now—and we hope not too late, to realize—to know concerns and affects all of our lives. What happens elsewhere in this mad old world affects our government and its actions—therefore us. What happens in our own neighborhood, in our community, likewise affects us. So, being affected, so to speak, its up to us to take part in what we will do collective to clean up a place, solve a problem, or help the government keep functioning. The Poll Tax is one way in which we can all help this government of ours. You will have an opportunity—if you have the poll tax or are exempt—to take a hand in solving these problems, at all levels of state and government—if you can vote. Therefore pay that poll tax, and get set. 1952 is yours, Mr. Voter.

Between traffic deaths and those resulting from plane crashes, as well as other acts of violence, it seems that death continues his merry way, and with considerable help from the individuals themselves, does right well, in spite of all we can do to halt its mad rush.

There is a shortage of almanacs this year, so we are told. Well, we were wondering right along what we would do if these little valuable booklets failed to come out on time. How to predict the weather at home, how to find the best fishing days, how to learn when our good and bad days are, how to do this and that, what we can do better in the kitchen, on the farm, and lots of general information which to many might seem old and useless. But then, we have always had a warm spot in our heart for these little almanacs, even though we don't believe in them as much as we did, years ago.

The income tax blank is with us again. These please remits from the government heralded the new year, just when everyone was recovering from the Christmas to and including New Year binge. It also marked the flowing of the bills we ought to pay for what we bought when

to be as it usually is, tax payment.

The Holiday period—from the Sunday prior to Christmas, to January 2 was quiet and unbelievably free from all sorts of differences, difficulties and noise and disorder. However, January 2nd busted loose again. On that day, both County and Justice Courts had their hands full, with a drunken driver case, an aggravated assault, traffic causes, besides there being a death, a fire, an automobile accident with injured folks, and some minor legal misdemeanors. At least, everything waited until the close of the holidays. Oh yes, there was a marriage and the only thing lacking was of any birth reported. Then, too, the weather changed from pleasant it had been in the holiday season to rainy and cold. That's all we can recollect happened at that time.

The past year—old 1951—may be past, but it will not be forgotten soon. In one field especially here, that of sports, it saw the rise of the best football squad ever to don the Brackettville colors. The 1951 Tigers not only started off good, but they continued their stride, and gained impetus, as the season wore on. The Tigers not only won a clear slate over their regular schedule to cop the district title, but won the bi-district title and then the regional flag. There was no disputing the strength and skill of this team, the first to ever win a clean slate for any year for the Tigers. They won over three district winners, bested an old foe, and in all respects established a record to stand for some time.

While the drilling and prospecting for oil continues in this area, it seems to many of us that very little in the way of encouraging results is to be had. This territory we are living on was once unquestionably volcanic country, and there are many signs of such volcanic origin—in our iron rocks, lava beds, warm sulphur water, asphalt, gas, oil seepage, etc. It may well turn out here like it did over in Asia, where a large tract of unexplored land was bypassed by those seeking oil in Turkey and Iran, and this land, considered worthless was ascertained to be one of the richest potential oil fields in the world.

Don't forget to start that victory garden, as soon as the weather permits. It does not take too much effort to start a garden, and to get therefrom some very substantial savings for the family food budget. Of course, we have the rivals for the said garden in some insects and birds and perhaps the neighborhood chickens, but it can be made to pay its way.

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Local News

Paul Sultenhuus of Del Rio was a business visitor in Brackettville Friday evening.

Mrs. Dan Fritter was in Del Rio several days last week under medical treatment.

Orchards free to you free each pound of Maryland Club of coffee. No limit. Sale Friday Jan 18 and 18-19. - Burris Red & White.

Mrs. Buster Schwandner is able to be up and around a though somewhat crippled from an accident.

There appears to be quite a number of cases of influenza in the community and a number of people have been quite ill. The flu seems to keep a person down for several days.

The Junior Debs had a meeting on January 7. They planned for a valentine for a valentine party. The Junior Debs will meet on January 21. All officers and members of the club are urged to attend.

The number of poll taxes paid up to January 12 was 275. This is a small number of election year and many, many more are going to have to be paid up to catch up with normal payments.

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ARTHUR BERRY PASSES AWAY

The community was shocked Monday afternoon by the sudden demise of Arthur Berry a long time resident of this community. Death was attributed to heart failure, but he had been in failing health for some time. He was working in the Lone Oak building at the time.

Funeral services at this writing had not been completed but burial was set to be in the family lot at Eagle Pass.

Mr. Berry and wife had been residing in Brackettville for many years and are well known to all. Their daughter, Mrs. John Sheedy also lives here. To all those who mourn his loss the people of this community and county extend condolences.

TOPPING AT END ANN STREET

Topping of a large sector of the area fronting the Shaker Feed Store on Ann street and its juncture with the Rock Springs highway has been about completed. The topping will service a large portion of this area with this hard surface traffic turning and parking.

PREDATORY ANIMAL CATCH

Government trappers in Kinney County during the month of December came up with a record catch of 44 coyotes and 7 bobcats which they trapped and killed during the month. This marked one of the biggest hauls for these trappers, two of whom have been working in the county. This catch was besides that made by other trappers and ranchers working individually and together in the county.

WARN DRIVERS ON SPEED

Motorist who use Ann Street are being warned to exercise all caution necessary to safety in the school zone. The habit some drivers have of driving at a faster speed than that allowed by law in school zone recently came near causing a fatality and wreck. The youngsters narrowly escaped being injured when a driver braked to a quick stop to keep from hitting them and a second car behind the first nearly crashed in trying to avoid the sudden stop of the first car.

In order to protect the children the school zone speed limit of 15 miles per hour is going to be enforced and this warning should be heeded by all concerned.

New assortment desk blotters at the News Mail office.

FOR RENT—All or part of of the Windus residence. See Mrs. H. J. Manny.

The New World Study Club will have a **CALE AND PIE SALE** on Saturday, January 26, at 3:30 p. m. at Petersen & Co.'s store.

MUST FILE SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER

If you work for yourself and have never had a social security account number you will need one when you file your income tax return for 1951, according to John K. Shelton manager of the San Antonio Social Security office. Shelton stated that there might be a delay in issuing the account numbers if all the self employed persons who need numbers waited until the last minute to get them.

He added such persons should make application for their account numbers as soon as possible in order to avoid the late rush and a possible delay in the filing of their tax returns. The Social Security office is located at 419 South Main Avenue.

Veterans Questions And Their Answers

Q.—What requirements does a recently-discharged veteran have to take out the new type of non-convertible Government term insurance?

A.—He must have been ordered to active duty for 31 days or more; served since June 27, 1950, and been released from active service.

Q.—I have a permanent National Service Life Insurance policy. While on active duty in Korea, I was granted a waiver on part of the premium, but was told to keep on paying the full premium anyhow. What is VA going to do about the waived portion that I paid, now that I've been released?

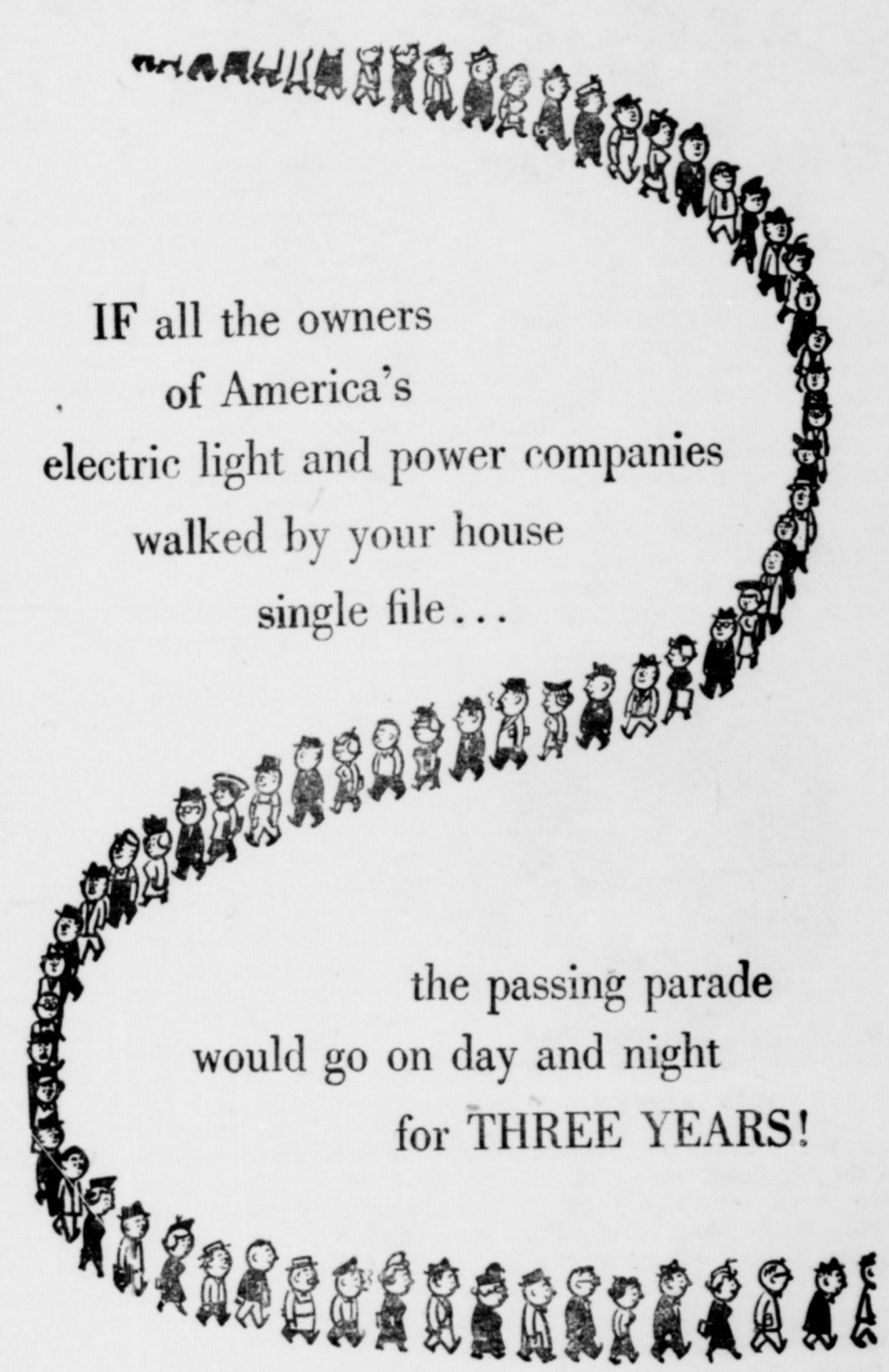
A.—VA will refund the waived portion in a lump sum. The money you receive will be the portion of the premium that was waived, with interest, for the entire period that the waiver was in force.

Q.—I surrendered my permanent National Service Life Insurance policy for cash when I went on active duty recently. I am about to be discharged, and I would like to know how to get my policy back.

A.—You have two courses of action, but in either case you must act within 120 days of your separation from active service: (1) you may apply to VA in Washington, D. C., for a new permanent policy of the same plan and not in excess of the amount of the surrendered policy, and pay the required premium, or (2) you may reinstate your surrendered permanent plan by paying the required reserve and the current month's premium. Your nearest VA office can give you further details.

Q.—I have a term NSLI policy on which the premiums were waived during my military duty. What do I do to keep it in force after I am released from service?

A.—You should resume payments of the required premiums to the VA in Washington, D. C. within 120 days after your release from active duty. Your best bet is to make the first payment as soon as possible.



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Social - Personal

Mrs. Mattie Hybarger left Sunday for a visit of several days in San Antonio and other points.

FOR SALE—About 16 squares used corrugated iron roofing at the Methodist Church. See L. A. Nease.

Mr and Mrs. George Sims of Carrizo Springs, were visiting in Brackettville Saturday with relatives.

C. P. L. crews during the past week were replacing old cross-arms on poles in the downtown business area.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Thomson, of Del Rio were Brackettville visitors Thursday evening to attend the Episcopal meeting.

Miss Ruby Ann Veltmann who had been visiting her parents here over the week end, Sunday returned to her school in San Antonio.

Rev. and Mrs. Theodor Mahler of Uvalde, were in Brackettville Sunday where Mr. Mahler filled his regular appointment at the Methodist church.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Judge and small son, Mrs. A. E. Judge and Mrs. John Hally and baby were San Antonio visitors last week end.

Mrs. C. L. St. John and young nephew, Kerry Cochran, of Corpus Christi spent the week end in Brackettville visiting with their many friends and acquaintances.

There will be a Mission in Spanish at St. Mary Magdalen's Catholic Church, beginning Sunday January 28 and continuing through February 3. Father Montenegro will conduct this Mission.

The Kinney county commissioners court met Monday January 14, in regular quarterly session. A considerable amount of business was transacted. All of the commissioners were in from their respective precincts.

The Brackettville Tigers and Del Rio Wild Cats tangled here last week in two games. In one between the first teams of the two schools, Del Rio won 44 to 37. The Brackettville B team bested the Del Rio B team by a score of 37 to 29.

We wish to make a correction which was handed to us. The name of the Second Prize winner of the indoor Christmas lighting should have been that of Alfred Beyers. Through error the name had been given as Alfred Ewers.

The delay in securing stickers for automobiles to denote they have passed inspection was extended to September 1 by the State Highway Department last week. This does not mean that the law has been nullified or repealed at this time but that it just has been given motorists more time to comply with said law.

Don't miss Maryland Club Coffee day at our store Friday and Saturday. Get your orchid.—Burris Red & White

Mrs. Hans Petersen, of Del Rio was visiting in Brackettville Thursday evening.

PALACE

Matinees Only Saturdays and Sundays
Saturdays—8 to 11 P. M.
Sundays—2 to 6 P. M.

All other days shows start at 6:30 P. M.

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Saturday

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TUESDAY

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NEW WORLD STUDY CLUB

The New World Study Club met in regular session Monday night, January 7th in their new club room at the Burris Red & White. Mrs. Joe York, president, presided and roll call was answered by "My Greatest Achievement of 1951"

Mrs. C. O. McKinney read the constitution and by-laws after which Miss Else Sauer conducted an interesting parliamentary procedure drill.

The nominating committee recommended the election of all present officers for the new year and the following were elected by acclamation: Mrs. Joe York, president; Mrs. C. O. McKinney, vice president; Mrs. Edith Bursey, recording secretary; Mrs. H. J. Manny, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Payne, Kilbourn, treasurer; Mrs. L. A. Nease, historian; Mrs. C. B. Ballantyne, reporter; Miss Else Sauer, parliamentarian; and Mrs. G. O. Rome, Federation Councilor.

After the club collect the meeting adjourned.

Plans are being made by The New World Study Club for the observance of safety week, Jan. 28 through Feb 1.

Prizes will be awarded for the best posters submitted by school children including the Brackettville school, the Carver school and the Spofford School. All posters will be on display during the week. The school paper will feature safety week and plans are being made for an out of town speaker and also for movies. Watch the next issue of

this paper for further information on this worth while project.

BRACKETTVILLE PTA MET

The Brackettville P.T.A. held their monthly meeting in the High School Auditorium January 14th. Because of sudden illness in the community and the sudden death of Mr. Berry the major part of the program had to be omitted.

The harmonic band of the elementary school rendered a nice selection. Mrs. Mildred Koss's room won the attendance banner for the month.

The following is the program for February 11th: student program—"Patriotic Program" by Mrs. Carle's room. Prayer—Mrs. John Burris. Talk—"Looking Back—Looking Forward"—Mr. Payne Kilbourn.

Among those from here who attended the quarterly meeting of the Firemen Winter Garden Association in Piedras Negras last Sunday were: V. Christensen, C. H. McDaniel, Jim Ayers, Mr. and Mrs. H. Zinsmeister, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Butler and Mr. and Mrs. James Morris. The next quarterly meeting will be held in Brackettville the third Sunday in May.

Ordered to report for induction from Kinney and Val Verde Counties included three from Val Verde County and two from Kinney, these latter being Leonard Elmo Ward and Eugene Caldwell.

Dutch Wardlaw of Del Rio was in Brackettville Monday afternoon on business.

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Mrs. Ruth LaLonge, Secty.
Mrs. Charlotte Golemon

NAME EXTRA TRAPPER

At the regular meeting of the Kinney county commissioners court Monday a conference of the Mole Trapping Club was had with the court. Under the set up as of the present time, the court had been paying one third of the amount paid the trapper, and the ranchers members of the club paid the other two thirds. Under the new agreement the county pays its one third amount the state will pay the same and the Club one thirds.

The Brackettville city council held its regular monthly business meeting Monday night.

MAY CLOSE SPOFFORD EXCHANGE

The Del Rio & Winter Garden Telephone Company which operates exchanges in Brackettville and Spofford will in the near future close the exchange at Spofford and piece a number of private phones on a party line system. That was indication given when J. F. Beidler south of town requested permission to establish private lines from the ranch to Brackettville and enable himself and other ranchers there to secure direct lines to town.

The Boys Scouts will pick up your old paper Saturday January 19th. Please tie them up and put them at your front gate.

Jimmie Thomas, George McCollam and Kerry Cochran were Del Rio visitors Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Richard Olivera and Mary Alice of Harlingen visited last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bias Olivera.

Joe Jett of Lowe Kinney Co. was a business visitor in Brackettville Monday.

ON DISPLAY SATURDAY

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HOUSEHOLD MEMOS... by Lynn Chambers



Enhance Breakfast Appeal with Hot Breads (See Recipes Below)

Hot Breakfast Breads
WHEN THE FAMILY gathers for breakfast in the morning, there's nothing like a batch of freshly-baked hot breads to help start the day with a genuine smile.

Grandmother knew that the best way to get those late risers out of bed on time to speed them off to school, was to wave a wand of fragrance from her oven. That irresistible odor of something baking is the best alarm anyone can have.

What's the homemaker's reward for getting out of bed just a bit earlier to bake in the morning? Why, those lusty, wonderful appetites and the pleasure of seeing her family off to a good and cheerful start in the morning!

To save time in the morning, have all ingredients measured the night before, ready to combine and bake. While baking, you can set the table in a gay cloth with cheery dishes, and start the other things for breakfast: fruit, cereal, beverage, meat and eggs.

*Spicy Oatmeal Muffins (Makes 8-10 large muffins)
1 cup quick rolled oats, uncooked
1/2 cup buttermilk or sour milk
1/2 cup applesauce
1 egg, beaten
1/2 cup brown sugar
1 cup sifted enriched flour
2 teaspoons baking powder
1/2 teaspoon soda
1/2 teaspoon cinnamon
1/2 cup melted shortening

Combine rolled oats and buttermilk; mix well. Add applesauce, egg and sugar. Sift together dry ingredients and add to mixture, stirring only enough to combine. Fold in melted shortening. Fill greased muffin pan 3/4 full. Bake in a hot oven (425°F.) 20 to 25 minutes.

Apricot Coffee Cake (Makes an 8-inch square)
1/2 cup shortening
1/2 cup sugar
2 eggs
1 1/2 cups sifted enriched flour
4 teaspoons baking powder
1/2 teaspoon salt
1/2 cup milk
1/2 cup quick rolled oats, uncooked
1/2 cup cooked, dried apricots (well drained)

Remove 1 cup of this mixture to a small bowl; blend with milk to form a paste (do not try to smooth). Add paste to shortening mixture and mix just enough to hold dough together. Transfer dough to board or pastry cloth which has been dusted with flour. Knead lightly. Roll dough slightly more than 1/4 inch thick; cut with floured cutter. Place biscuit in muffin pan which has been rubbed with shortening, in which 1 teaspoon butter, 1 teaspoon brown sugar and chopped pecans have been placed. Bake in hot oven (425°F.) 15 to 20 minutes.

Cinnamon Pinwheels (Makes 16 medium pinwheels)
2 cups sifted flour
3 teaspoons baking powder
1 teaspoon salt
1/2 cup shortening
1/2 cup milk
FILLING:
2 teaspoons cinnamon
1/2 cup sugar
2 tablespoons butter

Sift flour, baking powder and salt into bowl. Cut in shortening (with knives, fork, or a blender) until the mixture looks like coarse cornmeal. Remove 1 cup of this mixture to a small bowl; blend with milk to form a paste (do not try to smooth). Add paste to shortening and mix just enough to hold dough together. Transfer dough to board or pastry cloth which has been dusted with flour. Knead lightly. Roll dough to oblong shape, about 10" x 18". Sprinkle with cinnamon and sugar and dot with butter. Roll lengthwise in same manner as jelly roll and seal edge tightly. Cut slices; place on cookie sheet or in muffin tins which have been rubbed with shortening. Bake in hot oven (425°F.) 12 to 15 minutes.

Corn Cheese Muffins (Makes 12 medium muffins)
1 cup sifted flour
1 teaspoon salt
3 teaspoons baking powder
3 tablespoons sugar
1 cup yellow corn meal
3/4 cup grated sharp cheese
1 egg
1 cup milk
2 tablespoons melted shortening

Sift flour, salt, baking powder and sugar into a bowl. Add cornmeal and cheese; mix. Beat egg slightly; combine with milk and melted shortening. Add liquid mixture to dry ingredients and stir until just mixed. Place in muffin tins which have been rubbed with shortening. Bake in a moderately hot oven (400°F.) 25 minutes.

Butterscotch Pecan Biscuits (Makes 16 to 20 medium biscuits)
2 cups sifted flour
3 teaspoons baking powder

LYNN SAYS: Plan A Sensible Reducing Diet
Any meat may be eaten with the exception of pork which is high in fat. Use only cuts, however, that can be broiled, baked or roasted. If extra interest is desired in vegetables, cook them in bouillon or season with celery or onion salt or herbs. A good dressing for vegetable salads includes tomato juice seasoned with salt, pepper, dry mustard and a clove of garlic.

LYNN CHAMBERS' MENU
Pan-Fried Liver with Onions
Parsleyed Potatoes
Creamed Spinach
Apple, Celery, Nut Salad
*Spicy Oatmeal Muffins
Butter
Peach Crisp
Beverage
*Recipe Given

SPORTSMAN'S HORIZON
By JIM RHODY

Right Clothing

A light jacket is essential when fishing in the mountains, both in spring and summer. Early morning or late evening breezes are often very cool and the light leather jacket or poplin windbreaker is good the year 'round in high country. A slicker or plastic raincoat will come in handy for sudden rain squalls.

Your list of accessories besides rod, reel, line, and hip boots should include a creel, landing net, bait box spinner-and-lure box, leader box, split shot, snelled hooks, jack-knife or small hunting knife, a fishing license and directions on how to get to your fishing spot.

Waders of the waist-high variety are not essential for stream fishing in spring. Most bait fishing is done from shore. Lake fishing may call for waist-high waders. In all cases, cultivate a healthy respect for the water. Losing your fitting is no fun and the water is uncomfortably cold and often dangerously swift.

A pair or two of heavy wool socks in rubber boots when fishing in the spring will cushion the foot against uneven rocks. Wool socks also keep your feet warm despite the low temperature of the water in which you may be wading.

As a word of precaution, in the spring time it is a good idea to put a couple of blankets in the back of your car when starting out in the Rocky Mountains. These blankets, plus a couple of chocolate bars may prove to be life-savers if you get stuck in mud or snow. A coffee pot and a can of coffee under the back seat might be useful on such an occasion, too.

Wear loose, comfortable trousers, a woolen shirt, a short fishing jacket with plenty of pockets and a felt hat when you start fishing. Remember a belt too... for holding up your boots. The bulge at the waistline may sustain your trousers but the extra tug of boots may cause you embarrassment in the end!

The hippopotamus differs from the rhinoceros in having four instead of three toes.

Surprise!

It was a very unhappy landing for a large flock of Canada geese which stopped for a rest in Raleigh county one night a few days before the goose season opened. The incident was reported to the conservation commission by Conservation Officer Progresso Tocado.

Instead of a placid pond, the honkers came down about 11 o'clock on the sheet metal roof of the machine shop of the Winding Gulf Collieries at Riffe's Branch. Floodlights shining on the roof was believed to have attracted the geese.

Hearing a commotion of thumping, honking and hissing on the roof, Nightwatchman E. E. Rinehart at first was startled. Then, realizing what was happening, he rushed outside amidst floundering geese and flapping wings, and turned off the lights. Soon the thumps on the roof stopped and Rinehart turned the lights back on. All but six of the geese promptly took off. The six appeared dazed and some were bloody but all but one soon staggered up and made takeoffs. The remaining one, still stunned, was captured. By morning he had recovered his equilibrium and Rinehart carried him home and placed him in a chicken coop. Tocado was notified, came and examined the goose and found both wings apparently in working condition. Carrying the honker to the 800-acre lake at Flat Top, the officer placed him in the water to recuperate. Returning to the lake two days later to check on his patient, Tocado found the latter apparently had resumed his southward flight.

The bald eagle was adopted as our national emblem by the Congress on June 20, 1782.

Hard to Beat

A good split bamboo fly rod is a thing of beauty and personality. When you hold it in your hand it seems to say to you, "Let's go fishing!" It asks for a place on your team, and promises an eager participation that helps you capture all the fun there is in fishing.

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Good Dry Flies

Dry flies, as their name indicates, are tied so they will float. They must be tied on light hooks and have hackle that is stiff and glossy. One must pay a good price for really good dry flies, for they are expensive. If one wants the best—and nothing else should do—one must pay more, but results will more than compensate for the outlay. Poorly-tied dry flies won't float properly and, consequently, won't catch as many fish as those properly tied.

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Save Steps
A towel rack, nailed to the wide end of your ironing board or near it, will save you steps when you're ironing small pieces.

Boiling Sweetpotatoes
Add a slice of lemon to peeled sweetpotatoes while they are boiling. It will keep them clear and free of any discoloration. This is especially true for candied sweetpotatoes.

Ironing Hint
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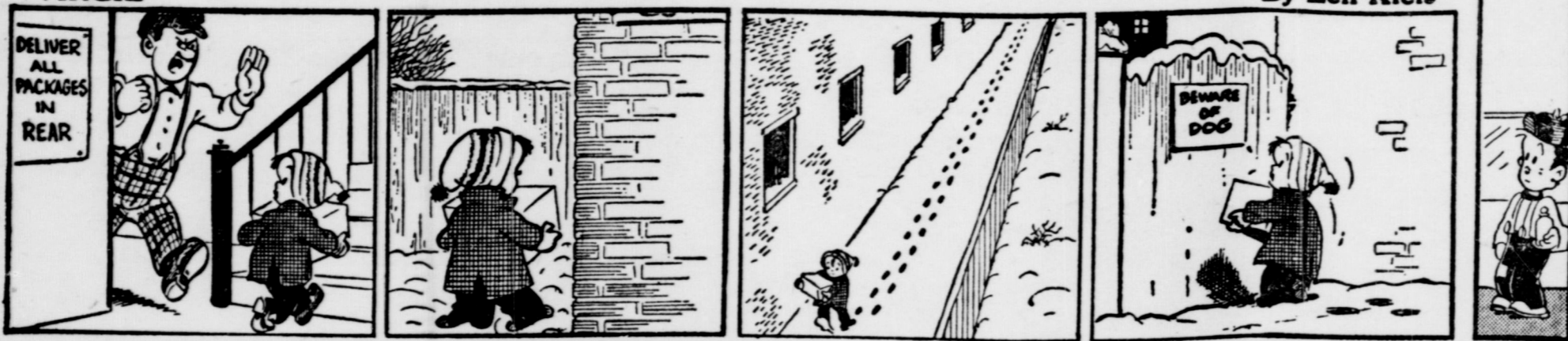
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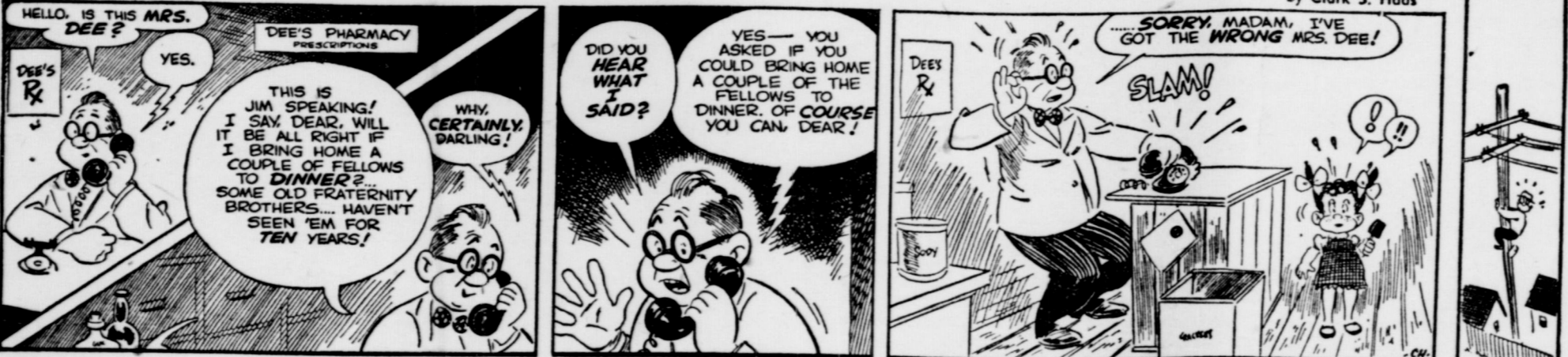
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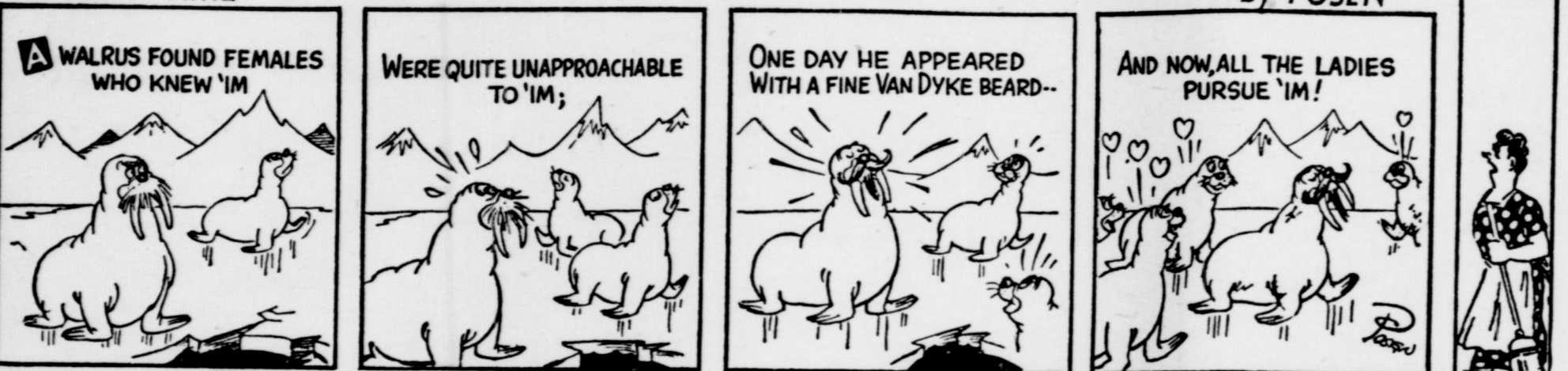
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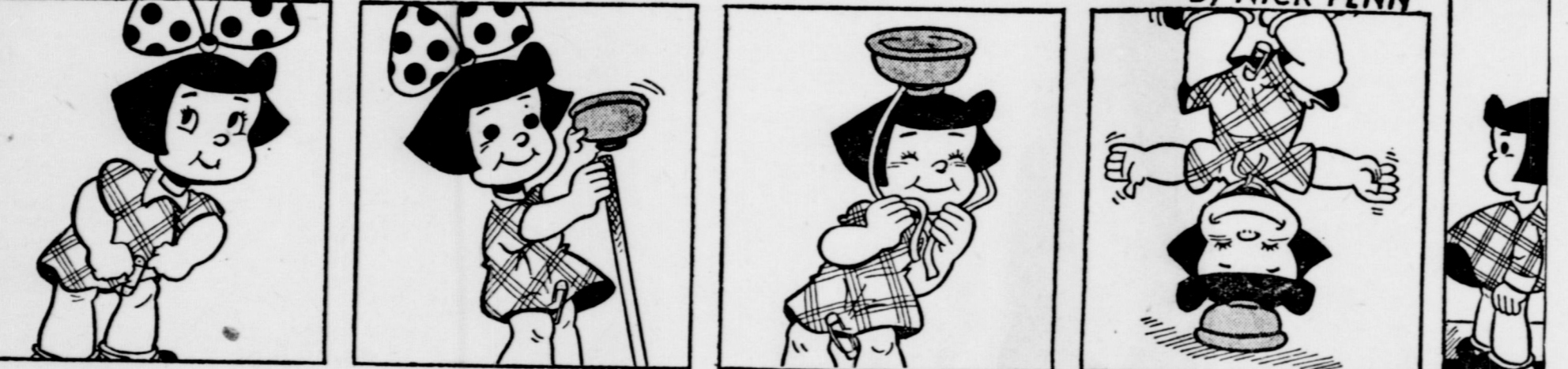
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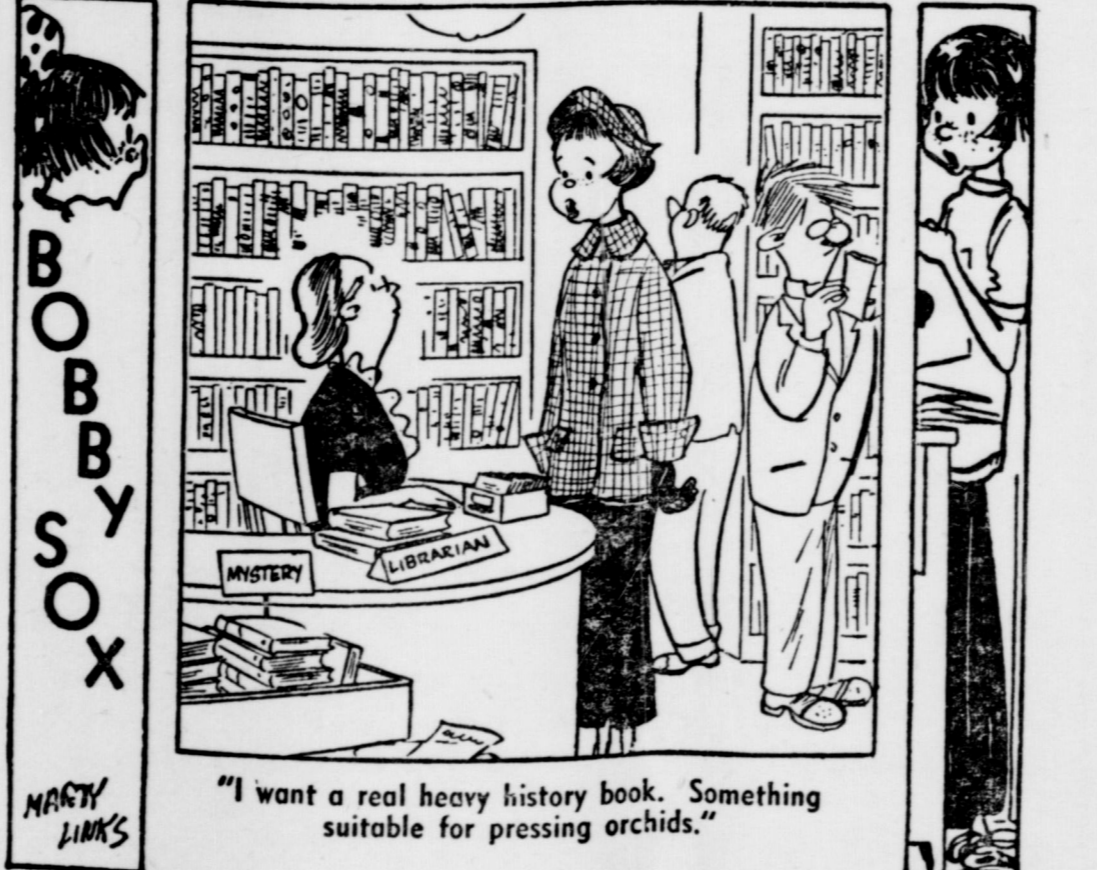


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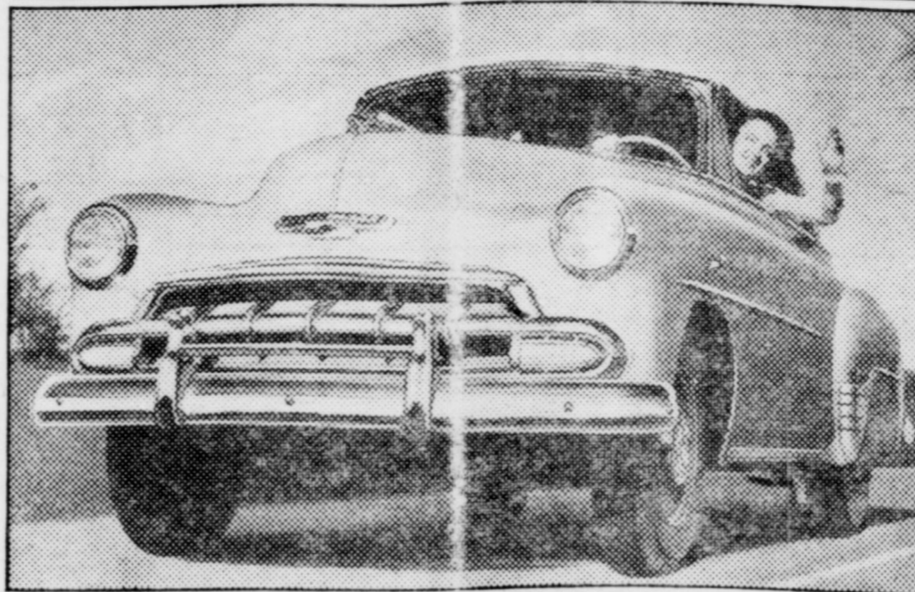
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