

CLOVER CLUB

WEEKLY SATURDAY NIGHT DANCE
OPEN TO THE PUBLIC
Tables Reserved. Make your Reservations Early by Calling 1222.
—CAFETERIA—
Dancing at 9 O'clock with Legionaires Orchestra
ADMISSION 50c EACH

TRYON W. I.
The regular monthly meeting of the Tryon Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. George Pratt, Feb. 19th, with twenty-one members present.
The President, Mrs. Walton Tombs presided. The meeting opened with singing of the Hallelujah and the Creed repeated in unison.
A letter was passed in to Mrs. Mary Crawford for blankets, which she expected soon.
It was decided to hold the annual support in the Community Hall. The committee in charge of arrangements are Mrs. M. Urie Howatt, Mrs. Vivian Bartlett and Mrs. Sheldon Howatt.
The principal's report needs a new chair for the teacher and a clock. It was voted that two dollars be paid towards buying clock.
It was voted to set aside as much money as possible for modernizing the school.
New School committee. Mrs. Spurgeon Clark, Mrs. Robert Crawford and Mrs. Eric Craig.
The committee reported having made three calls with fruit taken. It was voted that all bills be paid.
A letter from Mrs. Leard was added to the committee.
It was decided to send to P. E. I. Libraries for books. The cancer campaign was left over till next meeting.
Making of a nursery mat was discussed and Miss M. R. Gamble was appointed to have charge of same.
Four letters of thanks for Christmas boxes were read. It was voted that a letter of thanks be sent to Mrs. Blanchard and Mrs. A. Howatt for donations. Next meeting to be held at the home of Mrs. Robert Crawford to have charge of programme will call to be answered with a Book I Have Read and Enjoyed. The new member joined Institute tickets amounted to \$137. Donations \$2.25. Programme, Education for citizenship was presented by Mrs. Florence Mabey. Meeting closed with the National Anthem.

LONG RIVER W. I.
The February meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Ernest Dunning with an attendance of sixteen members and forty visitors. The meeting opened by singing the Creed in unison. School committee reported that blinds, soap and paper towels were needed. Sick committee reported having sent fruit to one. Three members paid fees. New committees appointed were as follows:
Sick. Mrs. W. E. Johnstone, Mrs. Allan Brown and Mrs. Hedley Paynter.
School. Mrs. Fitzsimmons and Miss Mae Pound.
Lunch. Mrs. W. E. Johnstone, Mrs. Andrew C. Johnstone, Mrs. Fitzsimmons and Miss Mae Pound.
Programme. Mrs. Arthur Johnstone and Mrs. Heath Campbell.
It was moved and seconded that the secretary write to the P. E. Island Libraries for a box of books. Collection amounted to \$1.60.
Mrs. Ralph Johnstone kindly invited members for next meeting. Roll call to be answered by an Irish joke. The National Anthem brought business to a close.
A very beautiful lunch was served and with a hearty singing brought an enjoyable evening to a close.

FIRST STAMP IN U.S.
The first United States postage stamps were issued March 3, 1847.
LIVE BY THE SEA
Six out of every 10 Australians live in harbor cities.

Brereton Understands Women

By John Halloway Horn

"That would have to be discussed. My idea is that after the fixed charges have been met—rent, royalties, stage carpenter, props, costumes, wages, and so forth—the balance would be divided equitably between us. I should produce most of the plays myself."
"I think it an interesting experiment. It is very doubtful, though, how the people round here would react to it."
"I've thought that out. The bulk of the middle-class people are more or less dependent on their amusement, and would probably come to us in preference to the pictures."
"But the bulk of the people—the people you rely on to fill your cheaper seats?"
"To a great extent their minds are cinema-sodden—they prefer their salmon reddy-cooked, out of a tin—but surely there are many who would prefer a play where they can see the actual actors. The great advantage of the scheme is that it would provide work for eight to ten people who need it rather badly. It's very good of you to listen to me. I had no earthly justification for worrying you."
"My dear Murray, I'm very interested. I'll do it for you with pleasure."
"I say—but I thought you'd just turned the idea down. It really is very decent of you. I hardly know how to thank you, sir. It was only when I attempted to outline the scheme to you that I saw how impudent it was."
"Nonsense! You'll probably make a success of it, and it won't cost me a penny. Good luck!"
After discussing the prosaic details of the business side of the project the two men shook hands.
Within half an hour Murray was back with a bank document for Brereton's signature.
"I rang up Ahrenstein who owns the theatre—I've already ceased to think of it as a derelict cinema—and he is willing to let me use it on a six months' agreement. That commits us to paying rent for six months, of course," he added doubtfully.
"Don't worry about the rent. It's going to be tremendous fun," Murray said enthusiastically. "The theatre comes out into the country in search of an audience."
"Now go right ahead and let me know from time to time what happens. I shall probably be in British in July—I usually am—but I shall be back in the early autumn if all goes well."

Contract Bridge

By JOSEPHINE CULBERTSON

REOPENING THE BIDDING
Perhaps the most delicate of all bidding situations is the reopening of the auction after the original bid has been passed out. Consider this case:
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Both sides vulnerable.
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This was the actual bidding in a New York bridge club:
South West North East
Pass 1 Pass Pass
2 Pass Pass Pass
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South, of course, made his contract without difficulty, but he would have been able to go game at notrump with equal facility.
Some readers may question North's failure to act over the two-diamond bid, pointing out that he held 2-1-2 honor-tricks that he had not indicated. The fact is, however, that any bid by North at any time during the actual auction would have been distinctly optimistic. In situations of this nature, South, who passed originally, is supposed to count on his partner for support—East having confessed dire weakness—and therefore North, knowing this, is in the position of having to discount some of his own values—his partner has already bid them! This, admittedly, is a somewhat unsatisfactory solution, but the sad fact is that no one has yet been able to devise a perfect method of handling these "reopening" situations. In view of this deplorable and irrefutable fact, South must strive to make his reopening bid more encouraging than the actual South player did in this case. With five diamonds that could be considered solid, and with three other minor honors scattered throughout three suits, it would have been considerably better, psychologically, for South to reopen with a one-no-trump. His lack of a sure spade stopper should have been no great deterrent under the circumstances, and the probability is—North would have been glad to raise in notrump, because a n-trick objective would not have seemed remote.
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KING OF THE ROYAL MOUNTED



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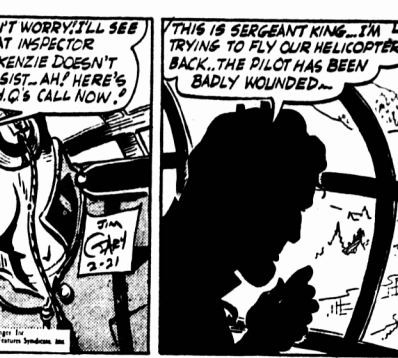
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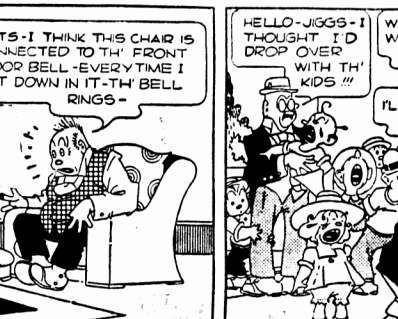
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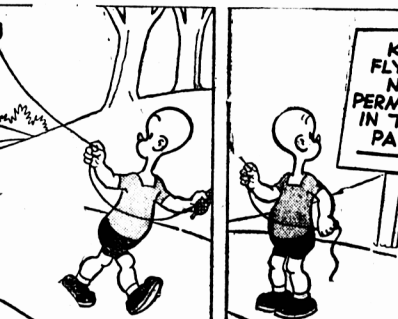
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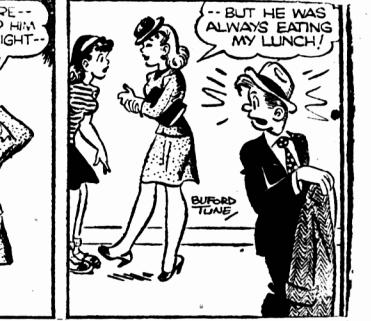
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DAILY CROSSWORD

ACROSS
1 Dry, as wine
4 Turf
7 A kind of
8 Group of people
10 Kind of
11 Southeast wind
13 Revolve, as a grant
14 Part of "to be"
15 Perform
17 God of rocks and herds (Gr.)
19 Female pig
20 Negative reply
21 Nourished
22 Gull-like bird
23 Island in Atlantic (Port.)
25 Male deer
27 Lever
28 Zirconium (sym.)
30 A heavy
31 Shoshonean Indian
32 Bill of an anchor (naut.)
33 Neuter pronoun
34 Aloft
35 Dens
37 Nobleman
39 Cant
40 Measure of medicine

DOWN
1 Furnished with a sole
2 Otherwise
3 Held together, as with a clamp
4 Quantity of yarn
5 Burden
6 Carried
7 Receiving set
9 A reigning house of England
10 Stable
12 Strewed, as seeds
18 Skillful
19 Body of water
20 Cigarette (slang)
22 Attempt
23 Spring month
24 The Emerald Isle
25 Vessel
26 Carried
28 Navigator
29 Pause
31 Overturn
32 Little pig
34 One of the bears (Astron.)
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Yesterday's Answer
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CRYPTOQUOTE—A cryptogram quotation
MVA JCCS NPBMA AFMVASKA BVPMB
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Yesterday's Cryptograms: A TABLE-TALKER RICH D
SENSE AND WITTY WITHOUT WITS' PRETENSE—MATHER
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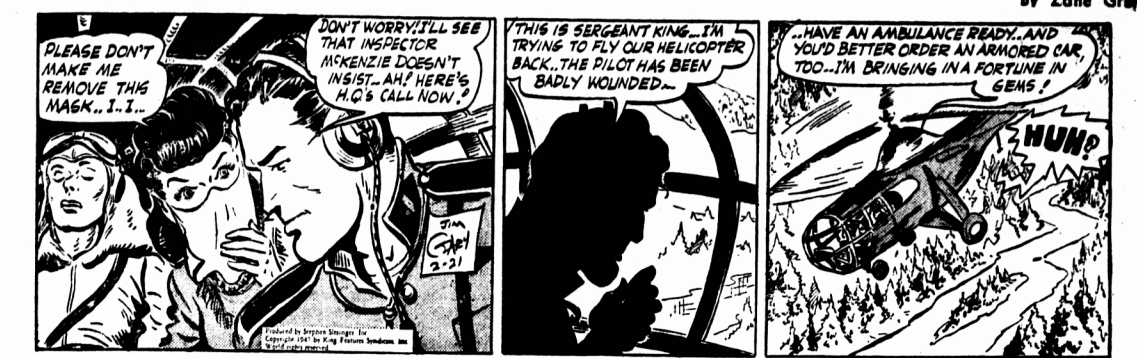
OUT OUR WAY

By J. R. WILLIAMS



OUR BOARDING HOUSE

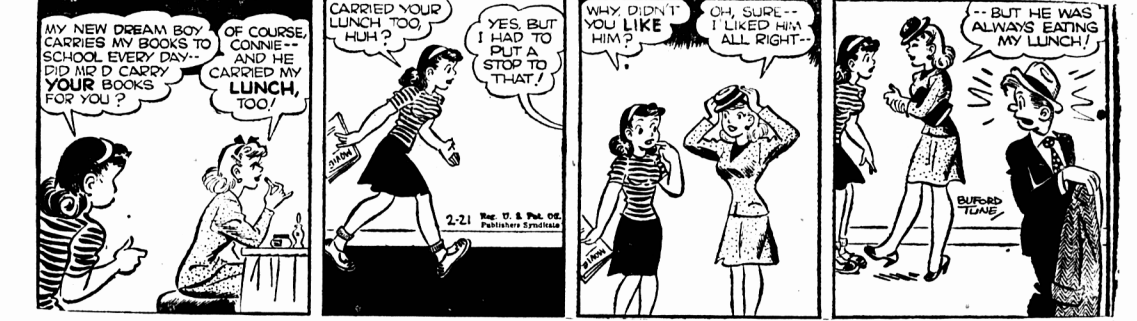
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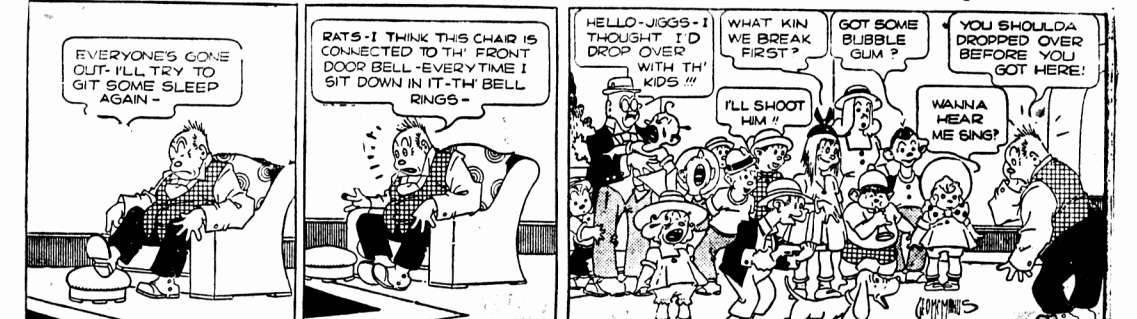
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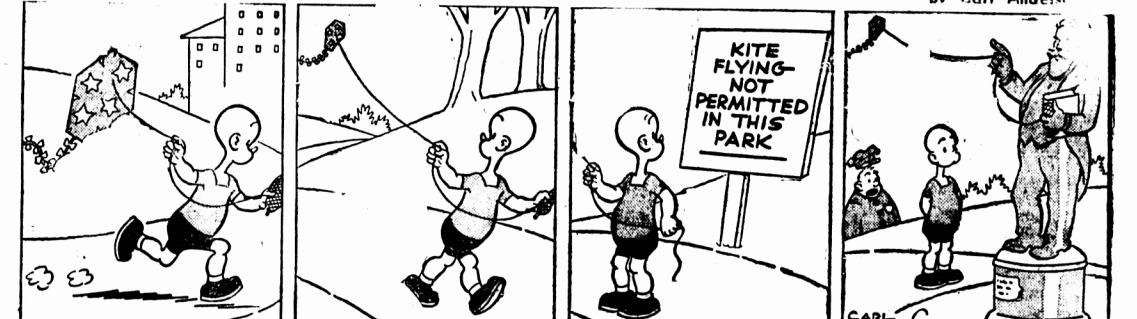
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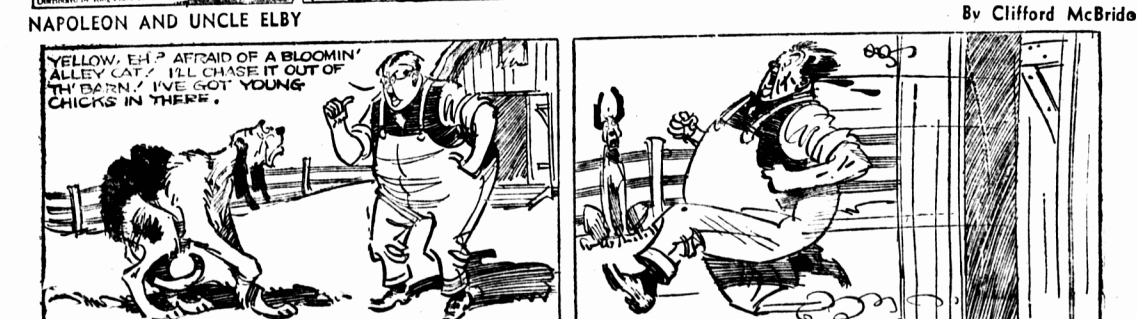
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