

Francois Lake W. I. Meeting

FRANCOIS LAKE—The March Women's Institute meeting was held at Mrs. S. Loveseth's at the Co-op mill settlement with ten members present. The sum of \$10 was also sent for the W. I. Memorial Fund. A parcel was collected to send to England, and a box of old Christmas Cards to War Veterans who re-make them for sale.

A concert was planned for the first Friday after Easter. This will include a play by the Francois Lake Players who took part

in the play at the Christmas Concert. This one is also a comedy, and is entitled "No Flowers Allowed."

The District W. I. is still trying to procure services of a competent eye ear, nose and throat specialist. Several members embroidered articles during the meeting.

Mrs. Loveseth served a delicious lunch at the close of the meeting. The April meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Holtz at the Landing.

Anna Emerson, "Miss Smithers"

SMITHERS—Miss Anna Emerson, beautiful daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Emerson, was awarded the title "Miss Smithers," before a record crowd at the St. Patrick's Day Beauty Contest and Dance held under the auspices of the Smithers Junior Chamber of Commerce.

Competition was keen as five lovelies, who vied for the title, charmed spectators and judges alike with their beauty and poise. The judges were: Claude Parrish of Houston, Frank Dockrill, Telkwa; and Tom Marshall, Hazelton.

Miss Emerson will be this community's contestant for "Miss Northern B.C." in the competition to be held at Smithers in conjunction with

Silver Tip—

Stewart Mine Returns High

STEWART—The 1949 progress report of the Silver Tip Gold Mines Limited, which is situated in the upper Salmon River area, suggests that this property is well worth watching. Development was largely confined to the May P. J. Vein which gives promise of producing a good tonnage of shipping ore.

W. R. Tooth manager at Stewart, states that the width is 5 feet, 1½ to 2 feet, being high grade and the balance being good milling ore.

A shipment of 203 sacks—about 9½ tons—was sent to Trail Smelter. The Smelter assays ran gold 0.475 oz., silver 73.6 oz., lead 16.6% zinc, 23.4%. Net returns were: gold 4.391 oz. \$155.37; silver, 680.43 oz. \$520.84; lead, 3,069 lbs. \$373.09; zinc, 4,327 lbs. \$90.35; a total of \$1,139.65, less freight and treatment \$429.34, leaving the net proceeds of \$710.31.

With continued development the indications are that this property should do well in the future.

The Smithers Junior Chamber of Commerce Spring Frolic on May 4 and 5.

Extra Treat At Festival

Music and drama enthusiasts had an unusual treat at the Civic Centre last night when James McGrath Department of Education, adjudicator for plays for the music festival here, rendered dramatic and vocal numbers.

Mr. McGrath, a former professional stage actor, and now engaged in professional direction in Victoria, presented numbers exactly as he did in the York and Scarborough Civic Theatre. He presented Rudyard Kipling's famous "Cameos" and also sang "Tommy Lad" and "As You Pass By."

He kept the audience fastened to their seats. A former Army man, he fought in India during Kipling's time and later stated he actually met the water boy "Gunga Din" about whom Kipling wrote.

The two words, he said, Gunga and Din, are a mixture of Mohammedan and Hindu.

Stewart Library Proving Popular

STEWART—The Stewart Branch of the Canadian Legion opened a library and recreation centre in their Club Rooms on Columbia Street last Friday. Judging from the opening night turnout it would appear as though this will fill a long felt want. Books from the Provincial Travelling Library will be available.

HOTEL ARRIVALS

R. Nelson, W. H. Tarbuck, G. O. Stratton, Vernon Miller, G. E. Foster, J. Templeton, C. D. Bannerman, W. Drexal, F. Shields, C. D. Marlatt, E. C. Mapson, A. R. Thompson, D. P. Hunter, Vancouver; H. B. Thompson, Prince

George; D. R. Russell, Steveston; Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Griffiths, Mercer Island, Washington; Mr. and Mrs. William Harvey, Mrs. F. Morowski, Ocean Falls; Verdun, Que.; E. Bolton, Port Lt. Cdr. D. H. Tye, Hollyburn; Essington; J. McGrath, Victoria; Smith, D. Matheson, Stewart.

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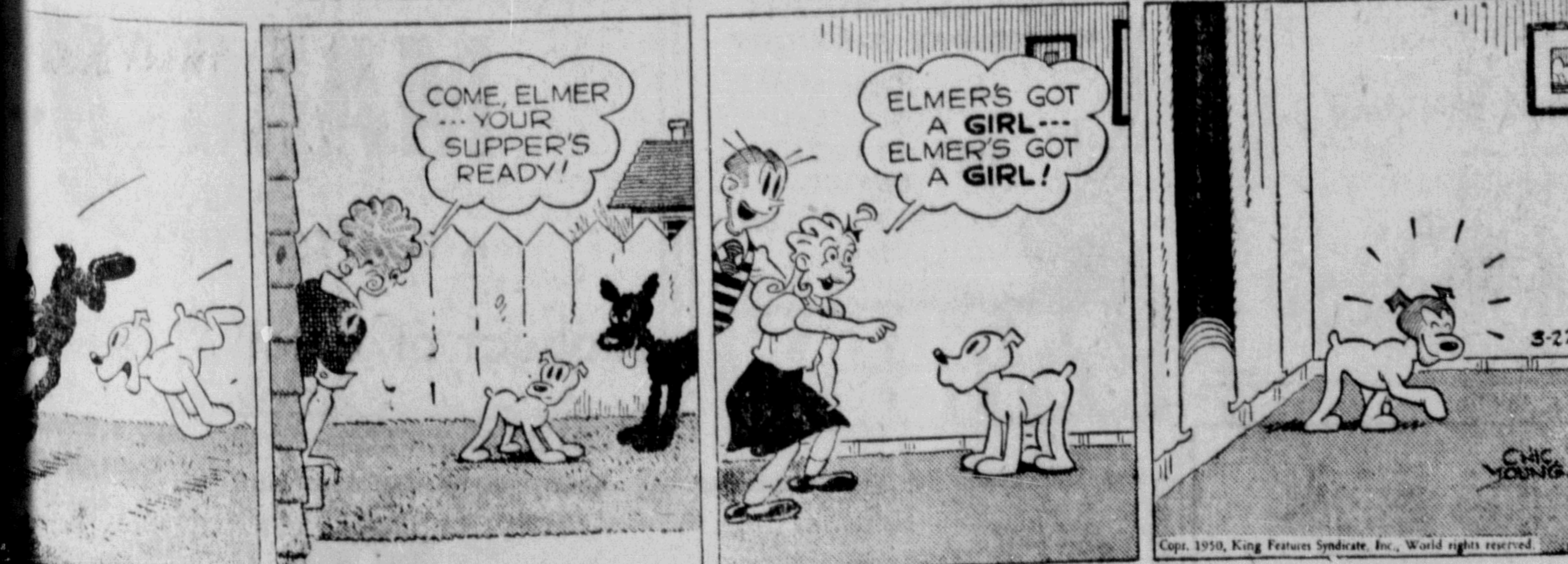
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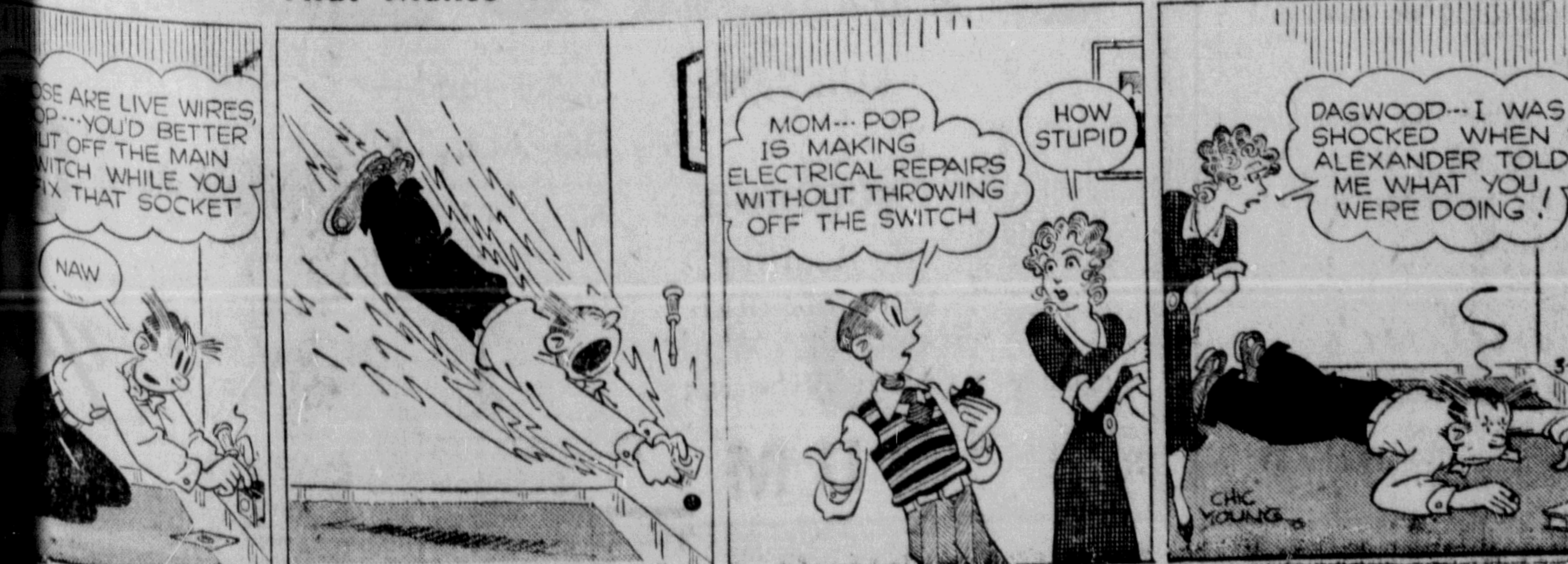
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