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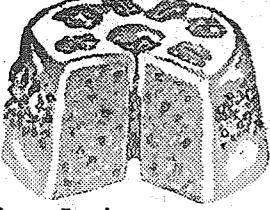
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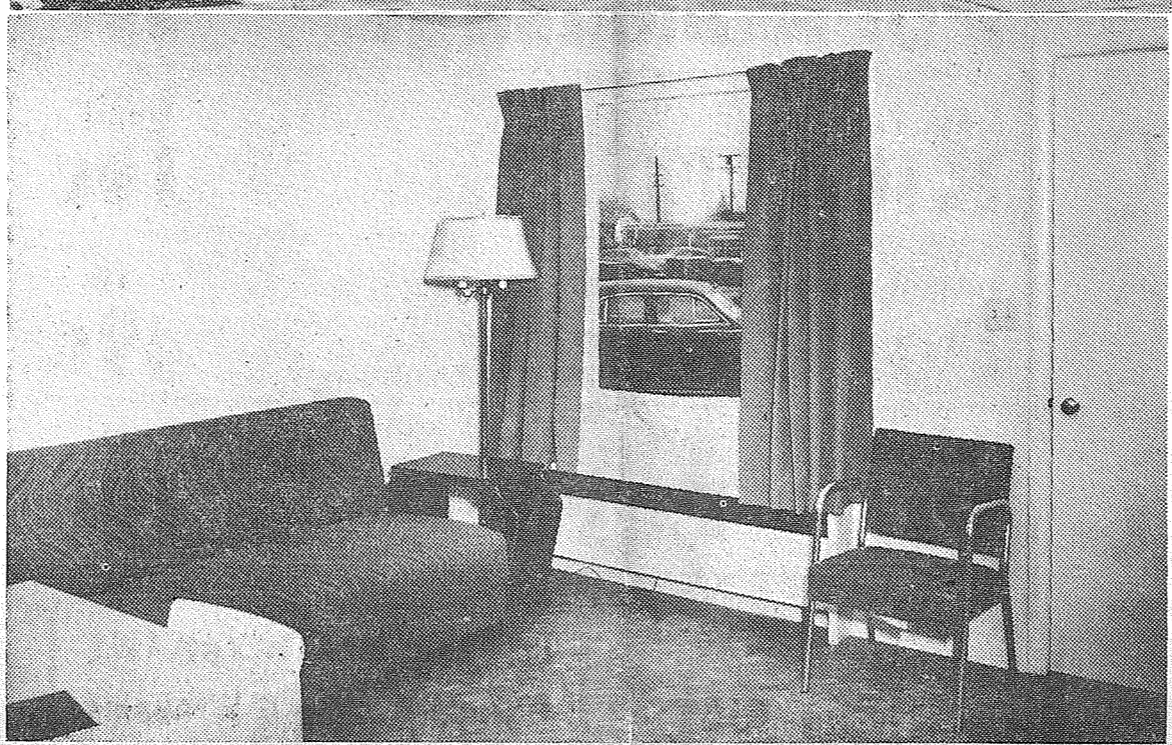
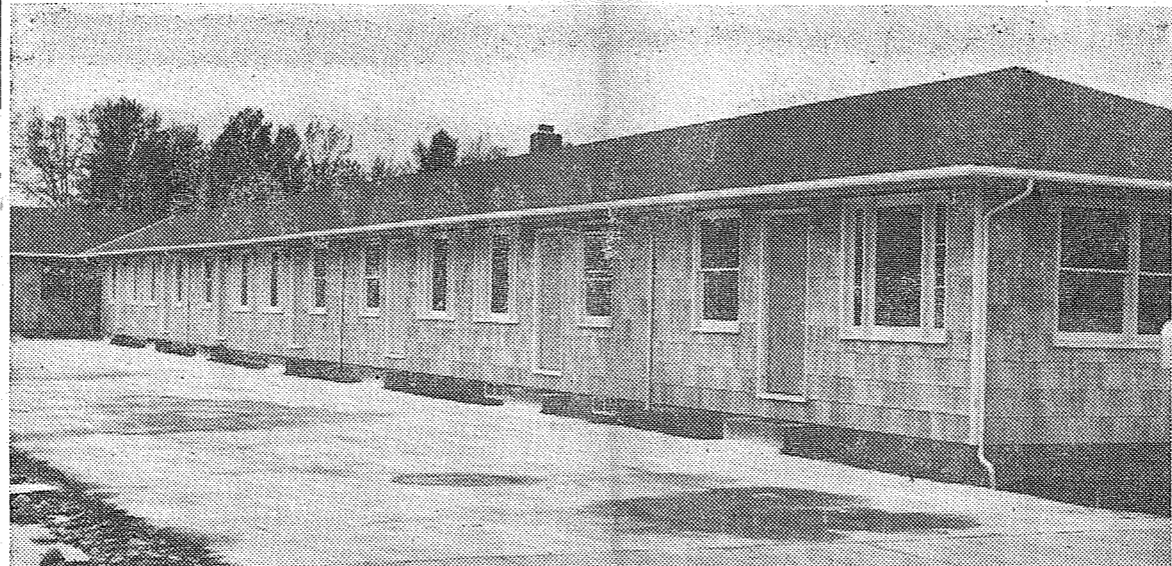


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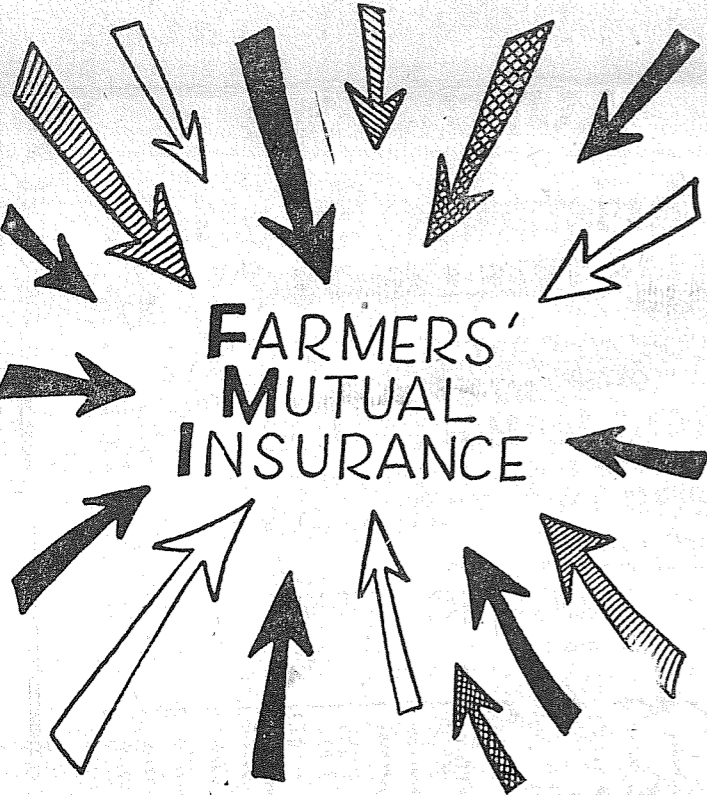
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Puyallup and City Power

(by Tony Zehnder)

The Puyallup City Council passed and rushed a proposal to the December 9 ballot, to condemn the properties of the

Puget Sound Power & Light Co. in the city, and certain other areas outside the incorporated limits.

This is very unusual, considering the fact that no group of

citizens in the city were asking or working toward this end. No effort was made to get the views of the citizens or other interested groups who would be vitally affected by this decision.

The council at present has its hands more than full wrestling with police, sewer, and garbage problems. Why are they in such a rush to put forward a proposal that would involve the city in

a long, bitter and costly condemnation suit? Does any emergency exist that justifies hasty action of this sort?

It is true that the Puget Sound Power & Light Co. has

sold large segments of its system to various Public Utility Districts, both by condemnation and negotiation, and that it will probably sell the rest of

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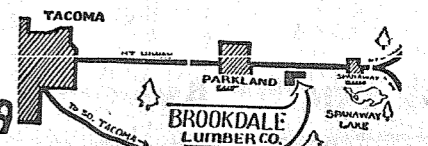
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Ses Palo, California. Grandma Ralph also wishes to thank all her friends and neighbors for all the beautiful cards (52) sent

to her while she was ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Bibby returned from a business trip to

Freewates, Oregon, returning they visited relatives in Portland, Oregon and The Dalles, bringing a sister, Mrs. Nellie Crum, home with them for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Simons drove to North Hollywood, called there by the death of Bill's Father. Returning to Longbeach, they visited Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Tippie (Mildred Bibby).

Mr. and Mrs. DeBois from Alderwood Manor and Mr. and Mrs. Merle Ard from Bremerton, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Bibby over the Thanksgiving holiday.

Barbara Toburen was pleasantly surprised when a group of mothers and daughters surprised her at the home of Mrs. Clarence Ralph with gifts for her future home. There were 25 guests who spent an enjoyable evening playing games. Late refreshments were served by the hostess. The wedding date is December 30.

June Dillman and Peggie Ralph returned to Bellingham Normal, Sunday, after spending their Thanksgiving vacation.

Miss Georganna Martinson, niece of the A. Martinson's of Pennsylvania Avenue, from Pencer, Minn., is visiting here for the winter and is attending Puyallup High.

The Elmer G. Carlson Orthopedic Guild will meet at the home of Mrs. Joseph Elyea, Monday, December 4th at 12:30. They will make their final plans for their Christmas Bazaar, to be held at the Summit Trading Co. December 7th and 8th. The proceeds of this sale will be used to help build a Children's Hospital in Tacoma in the near future.

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1 package vanilla pudding powder 1/4 cup finely cut nuts
1 cup brown sugar 1/4 cup chocolate morsels
1/2 cup Fat Milk
Grease a pan about 8 x 4 inches. Mix in saucepan until smooth the pudding powder, brown sugar, milk and butter. Cook and stir over low heat until sugar dissolves. Boil slowly, stirring now and then, until candy reaches soft ball stage. Remove from heat and add nuts. Beat until candy begins to hold its shape. Pour into greased pan. Cool thoroughly. Heat chocolate morsels over hot water until partly melted. Remove from heat; stir rapidly until completely melted. Pour over candy; spread to edge of pan. When firm, cut into inch squares. Makes 32 squares.
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Visiting From Port Ludlow
Mr. O. W. Brown, of Port Ludlow spent last Wednesday evening and Thursday morning at the home of his grandson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Clinton and family, in Seattle.

Visiting In Prineville, Oregon
Mrs. Carl Fynboe Jr., recently spent a week or so visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martinson, in Prineville, Oregon.

Ladies Auxiliary To Hold Cake Sale
The Ladies Auxiliary, unit 104, Fleet Reserve association, will hold a cake sale Saturday, December 2nd, at the Midland Food Market. Mrs. Lena Malik is in charge.

CANYON ROAD CARD PARTY
Tomorrow night at 8:00 p. m. will be the second in the winter series of card parties held at the Canyon Road Community hall and sponsored by the Ladies Auxiliary. High and low prizes will be awarded in Canasta, Pinochle, and 500, if desired, and a door prize will be awarded. Refreshments are also included in the 50c admission price. Mrs. G. A. Carmack and Mrs. Fred Patrick will again act as general chairmen for the affair, and will be assisted by the following: Mrs. Paul Bacon, prizes; Mrs. James Carlisle, scorekeeper; and Mesdames Wm. Mildon and Carl Munsen, refreshments. Refreshments will be donated by members of the Ladies Auxiliary.

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The young folks will start the evening by arriving at Leo Marshall's place on Vickery Rd. at 5:15 p. m. for the first course. Committee in charge there to be Ruby and Mary Marshall and Barbara Tharge. Then they will go on to the Ellis Anderson home on Ghering Road

for salad and the main course. Committee in charge at Andersons' to be Betty Anderson and Nancy and Gloria Bostwick. They will finish out the meal at the Gilbert Carlson home on Carlson Road where entertainment will follow the dessert. Committee in charge at the Carlson home, Eleanor Gilreath, Mary Farley and Barbara Spitzer.

It looks like a very gay time in store for these 4-Hers and their friends. 35 cents is the price of each ticket.

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An evening of entertainment has been planned for merchants and their wives, as the Eagles go "all out" in extending their hospitality to all persons engaged in business in the area of the Daffodil Aerie.

Representatives of the Lodge are this week extending personal invitations to all merchants in these three towns. However, if you are a merchant, and for some reason, are missed by the personal representative, you may accept this notice as your invitation and join other merchants of the area at Eagles Hall in Puyallup, at 200 E. Main, above Gifford Motor Co., at 8:00 p. m. on Wednesday, December 9th.

December 2nd at 10 a. m. The girls are asked to bring a sack lunch.

Mr. George Kohl, who resided with his daughter, Mrs. Ray Steadman in the Vickory Road district, passed away recently. Mr. and Mrs. Steadman and daughter Sandra, have gone to Wisconsin for the funeral.

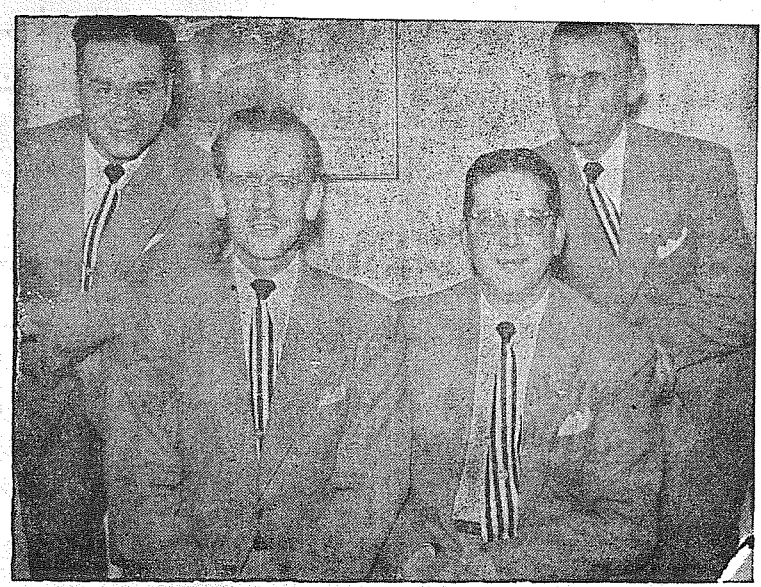
Mrs. Harvey Weeks, Sr., gave a "Get Acquainted" party recently for neighbors of Mrs. Ben Peters, a new resident of the community. Invited to spend the afternoon were: Mrs. N. J. Engles, Mrs. C. W. Lasham, Mrs. Jack Heath, Mrs. Floyd Cox, Mrs. R. Geise, and Mrs. I. Evensen. The ladies had a very enjoyable time, topped off with refreshments served by Mrs. Weeks.

Heartfelt sympathy is extended to the Sullivan family on the sudden death of Mr. Joe Sullivan, long time resident of the Waller Road District. Mr. Sullivan passed away last Saturday. He resided with Mrs. Sullivan at the family home on Ghering and Carlson Road.

The W. R. Grange Auxiliary will meet at the home of Mrs. H. Rouse on Vickory Road December 6th for a noon luncheon. This will be the Annual Christmas gift exchange for the ladies.

Something special for Waller Road Sunday School for Dec. 3rd. Missionaries George and Dorothy Drotz Johnson will have charge of most of our combined service next Sunday. Dorothy has returned from work among the people of Assam, India. She will have pictures, slides, articles of interest, and thrilling stories from her work among the Assamese. She has information from this area which was devastated by a violent earthquake. Dorothy was formerly from Puyallup; George is from Rockford, Ill. Soon they will be returning to Assam.

This event will be a highlight of the year. Make sure you pass this information on to your friends and neighbors.



Among the barber shop quartets scheduled to take part in the third annual Parade of Barber Shop Quartets, at the Puyallup High School Auditorium, Saturday night, will be the Mountain-Aires from Enumclaw.

The Mountain-Aires are northwest District Champions. Pictured, from left to right, they are: Eddie Hotten, tenor; Tom Hansen, baritone; Alan Cromwell, bass; and Mel Olean, lead.

INSIDE SCENE
From The Capitol
By GORDON NEWELL

A number of important changes will be coming up inside the state Democratic organization between now and January 8, when the Legislature convenes at Olympia.

Among the most important decisions will be the selection of a state party chairman. The regular term of Chairman Art Garton expires this month.

Party insiders still won't hazard a guess as to who will be picked to guide the Democratic Party destinies for the next two years, but behind-the-scenes moves are under way.

In Seattle veteran King County Democratic Club President Geo. Ryan will also be retiring from office this month. Ryan, who has served 15 terms as head of this key party organization, has been warned by his doctors to slow down. His successor will be chosen on December 9.

A great amount of organizational work must be done by Democratic lawmakers before the Legislature meets. Democrats regained the control of the Senate which they lost in 1946 and will also hold the upper hand in the House.

House Speaker, Senate Pro-tem President and majority leaders will have to be decided upon before the opening gavel bangs in January. Democratic majority in the Senate is slim and party men are anxious to effect a smooth-running organization to ensure maintenance of their leadership.

Considerable compromise may be expected in 1951 legislative matters. Republican Governor Langlie still holds the powerful veto axe, although the Legislature will be a Democratic one.

At the last session, with legislative majorities split, the Gov. was able to financially hamstring the other elective officials, who are all Democrats.

This time the Democratic officials will be backed by a solid majority in the lawmaking chambers, and will be in a much better position to make their demands stick.

Faced with a clear mandate from the voters for economy, the legislators probably won't be in a mood to throw the state's funds around promiscuously, but a little more expenditure on the part of some of the elective officials would result in tremendously increased income for the state treasury.

Many of the elective offices are primarily revenue producing agencies, but Governor Langlie overlooked that fact in many cases. He appeared to be so anxious to deprive them of possible patronage that he vetoed their appropriations on a wholesale scale.

The Attorney General is charged with prosecuting persons or firms guilty of fraud or larceny against the state. In cases of misuse of state-owned resources he is the official responsible for getting restitution and turning the damages over to the state treasury.

It is only good business to provide him with the investigative and legal staff required to carry out this responsibility.

The Secretary of State is authorized to collect the value of all unbranded logs for the benefit of the state treasury, and to license and collect fees from out-of-state corporations doing business in the state of Washington.

Governor Langlie vetoed the funds required to carry on these activities, although they would bring in many times the amount of the cost of administration.

These, along with certain proposed activities of the state land office—the inventory of state resources, for instance—are not just money down the drain. They are sound business prac-

ices, which would bring in new and badly needed revenue to the state treasury.

Fortunately for the state's taxpayers, the new alignment of power in the legislature will probably insure that these functions are carried out. They are already authorized by law, but previously the appropriations to carry them out had been red-lined by the Governor. He'll probably have to do a little horse-trading this time.

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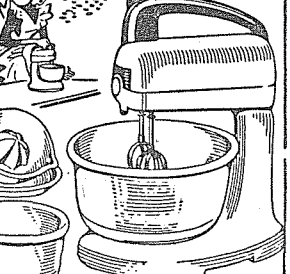
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Municipal Power

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its holdings to a group of Util-
ity Districts after an act of the
last legislature is validated by
the Supreme Court. The power
company is not going out of
business when this matter is
settled.

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people of Pierce County now
being served by Puget Sound
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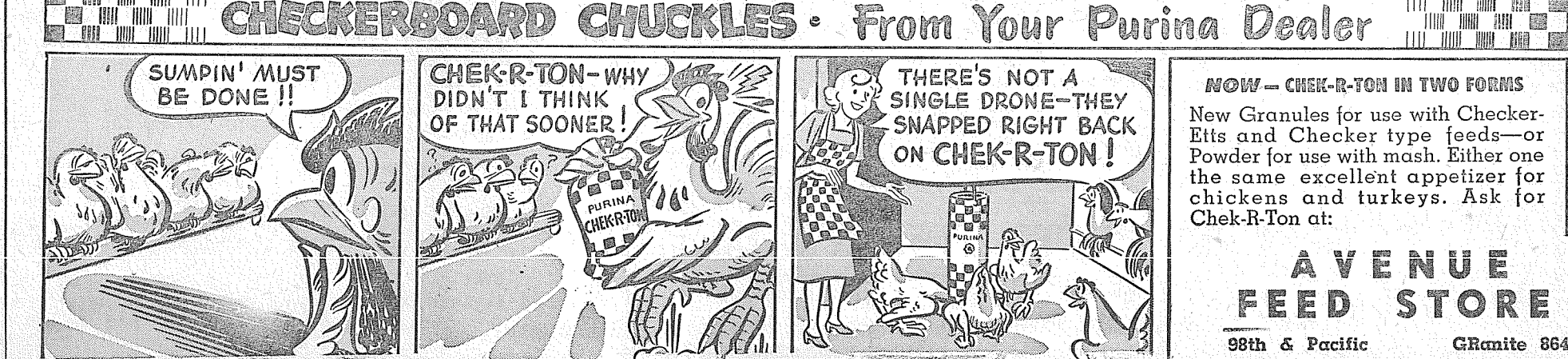
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would ask, and get, hundreds of
thousands of dollars in sever-
ance damages. These often cost
up to a third of the cost of the
system. A condemnation suit
could drag out over a period of
two or three years, starting in
the local courts and wind up in
the Federal Courts in San Fran-
cisco. The city would start from
scratch to pick up a manager
and a crew to run its little is-
land of power. It could not af-
ford to hire the kind of techni-
cal management, or keep an
inventory that a county-wide
public utility district could.

Another point is the city's re-
lations with its trading area.
They are looking with ap-
prehension at having the Puy-
allup city council dictating
their power needs, without hav-
ing a voice in the matter. Sum-
ner and Buckley have turned
thumbs down on the municipal
power and will be included in a
Public Utility District. If Puy-
allup isolates itself in a mun-
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rural trade.

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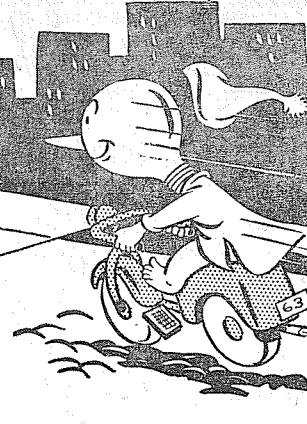
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