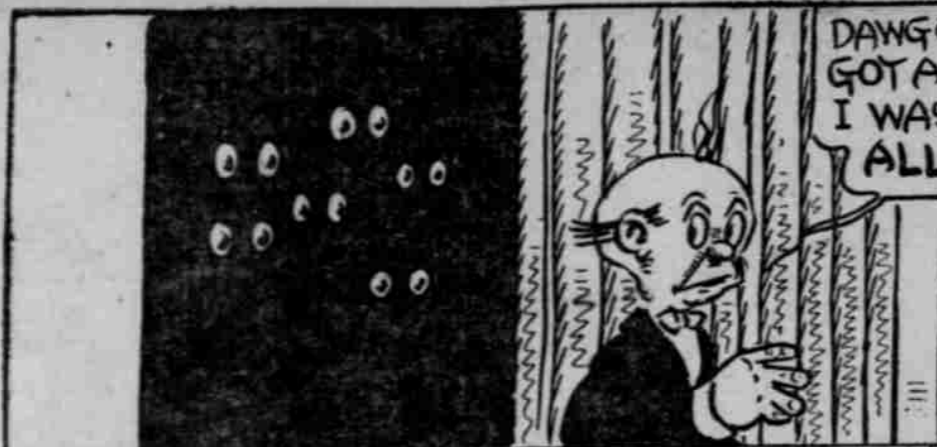


That Son-In-Law of Pa's!

Pa Recognizes Cedric's Ability as a Sleuth



DANG GONE IT, I'VE GOT A FEELIN' LIKE I WAS BEIN' WATCHED ALL TH' TIME!



BY JINKS, I'M BEGINNIN' T' LIKE THAT GAME O' 'KELLY' POOL! 46 BUCKS IN TWO HOURS PLAY AINT HALF BAD!



I BETTER HIDE IT, THOUGH, OR MA'LL DECLARE HERSELF 'IN, AFTER I GO T' SLEEP!



AH, HA?

NOW, WHILE THERE'S NOBODY 'ROUND, I'LL JUST CALL UP TH' GANG AN' SEE IF THERE'S A POKER GAME ON FER T'NIGHT.



'LO, FRANK? YA SAY THERE IS A LI'L GAME ARRANGED FER T'NIGHT? WELL, SAY-LISTEN—



—LONG ABOUT SEVEN P.M. CALL ME UP, AN' SAY THERE'S A 'SPECIAL D'RECTORS' MEETIN' CALLED FER T'NIGHT. I GOT T' STALL TH' WIFE— GET ME?

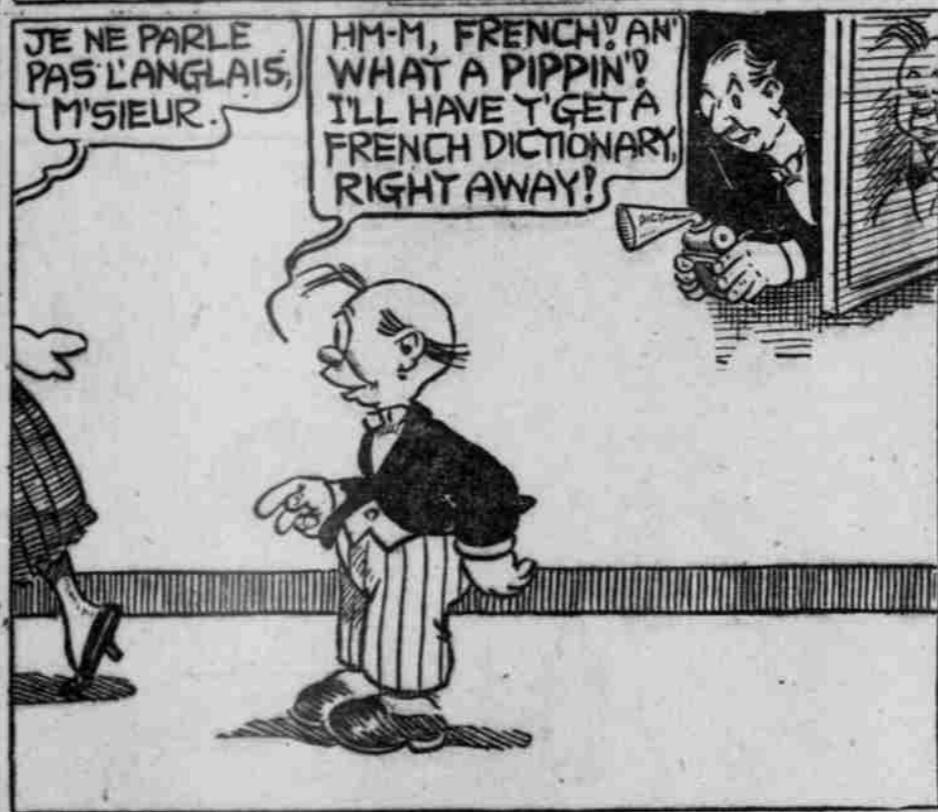


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TWEET? TWEET?



H-HELLO! WILL YA LOOK WHOS HERE? ARE YOU TH' NEW PARLOR MAID, CUTIE?



JE NE PARLE PAS L'ANGLAIS, M'SIEUR.

HM-M, FRENCH! AN' WHAT A PIPPIN'! I'LL HAVE T' GET A FRENCH DICTIONARY RIGHT AWAY!



AW- I SAY, JUST A MOMENT, FAWTHAN— I WANT YOU TO LEND ME \$200. I NEED IT TO COMPLETE MY COURSE IN THE DETECTIVES' CORRESPONDENCE SCHOOL.

HUH? NOT A CHANCE?



ABSOLUTELY NOTHIN' DOIN' I TELL YA? HOW COULD YOU EVER LEARN T' BE A DETECTIVE?

AW- BUT REALLY OLD DEAH, I'VE ALREADY BECOME QUITE EXPERT IN "SHADOWING." FOAH INSTANCE, I'VE BEEN SHADOWING YOU ALL AN' FAWNNOON, AND—



—HEAH'S A DETAILED REPORT OF YOU'AH EVERY ACTION, VERIFIED BY THESE DICTAPHONE RECAWDS AND PHOTOS, THAT I HAVE PREPARED FOAH MOTHAW.



DETECTIVE' MEE EYE? IT'S BLACK MAILIN' ME, THAT'S WHAT YOURE DOIN', YA GOSH-BLINKED PIRATE!

