French Fried Potatoes

Cut the potatoes into strips less than a half-inch thick. Heat Crisco to such a temperature that it will brown a bread crumb in twenty seconds. You can count seconds by saying one hundred and one, one hundred and two, etc.

Drop in the potatoes, a few at a time. They will cook in four to eight minutes—less time than it usually takes and your kitchen will be free from stifling, greasy smoke.