WONDERWORD®

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HOW TO PLAY: All the words listed below appear in the puzzle — horizontally, vertically, diagonally and even backward. Find them, circle each letter of the word and strike it off the list. The leftover letters spell the **WONDERWORD.**

MERRY CHRISTMAS, FRIENDS! **Solution: 12 letters**

E	D	N	Y	R	Y	T	S	T	N	E	S	E	R	P
C	W	E	A	L	E	R	I	S	E	A	S	O	N	O
I	I	G	L	M	I	I	A	S	N	L	T	F	E	I
N	S	O	N	S	W	M	N	T	I	O	E	E	V	N
O	H	T	R	I	B	O	A	D	S	V	P	L	I	S
I	E	E	R	T	P	N	N	F	E	E	I	N	G	E
T	S	T	F	I	G	P	F	S	Z	E	O	S	N	T
A	T	N	R	E	M	E	A	L	P	I	R	G	I	T
R	U	A	L	E	S	M	I	R	T	I	O	O	K	I
B	N	V	T	T	T	G	E	A	W	N	R	L	C	A
E	T	I	I	S	H	N	C	R	G	R	J	I	O	Y
L	S	V	I	T	I	A	I	G	R	D	E	A	T	P
E	E	R	S	E	V	L	E	W	D	Y	S	A	S	P
C	H	I	M	N	E	Y	J	O	Y	F	U	L	T	A
C	C	A	N	D	Y	C	A	N	E	E	S	U	O	H

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Angel, Birth, Candy Cane, Celebration, Chestnuts, Chimney, Christmas Eve, Eggnog, Elves, Family, Festive, Gifts, Give, Happy, Holly, House, Jesus, Joyful, Lights, List, Logs, Love, Meal, Merry, Nice, Pets, Poinsettia, Presents, Reindeer, Santa, Season, Sled, Snowman, Spirit, Star, Stocking, Tree, Vacation, Visit, Winter, Wishes, Wrapping, Wreath

Monday's Answer: Pork Pies

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SUDOKU

Complete the grid so that every row, column and 3x3 box contains every digit from 1 to 9 inclusively.

MONDAY'S SOLUTION:

3	9	2	5	1	6	8	4	7
4	7	6	8	2	9	3	1	5
1	8	5	4	3	7	6	2	9
5	6	9	3	4	8	1	7	2
8	1	4	7	9	2	5	3	6
2	3	7	6	5	1	4	9	8
6	5	3	2	7	4	9	8	1
7	4	1	9	8	5	2	6	3
9	2	8	1	6	3	7	5	4

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		7		5		9		
	2			6	3			4
3				2				
		2			5			6
		9				2		
7			2			8		
				9				2
5			4	3			1	
		4		7		6		

DIFFICULTY RATING: ★★★★★★

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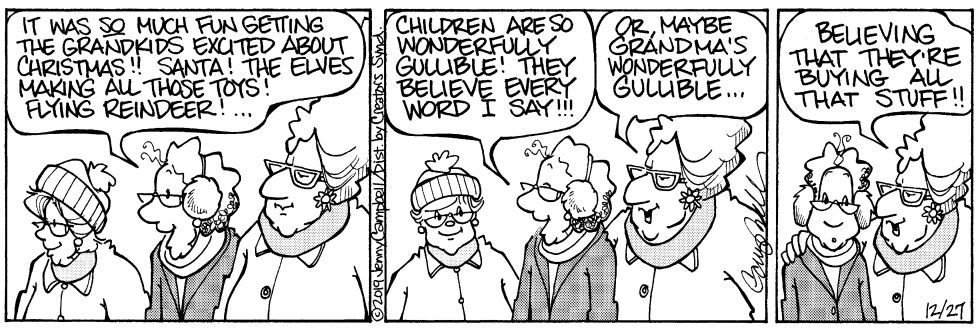
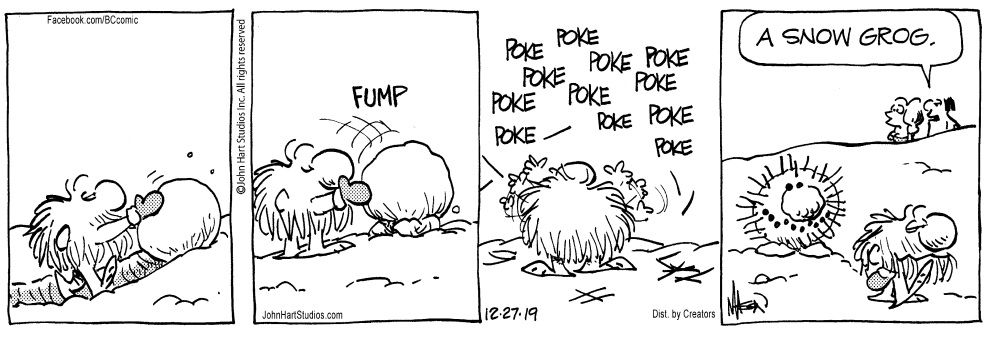
OTHER COAST

FLO AND FRIENDS



PEANUTS

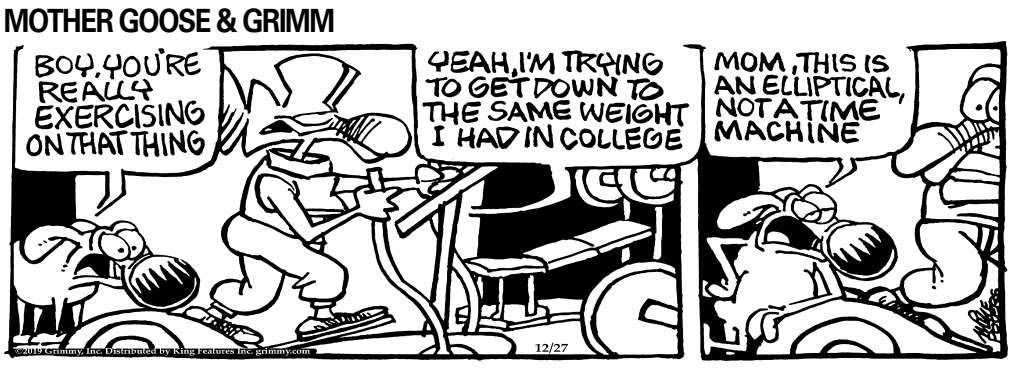
B.C.



PICKLES

BOUND & GAGGED

MOTHER GOOSE & GRIMM



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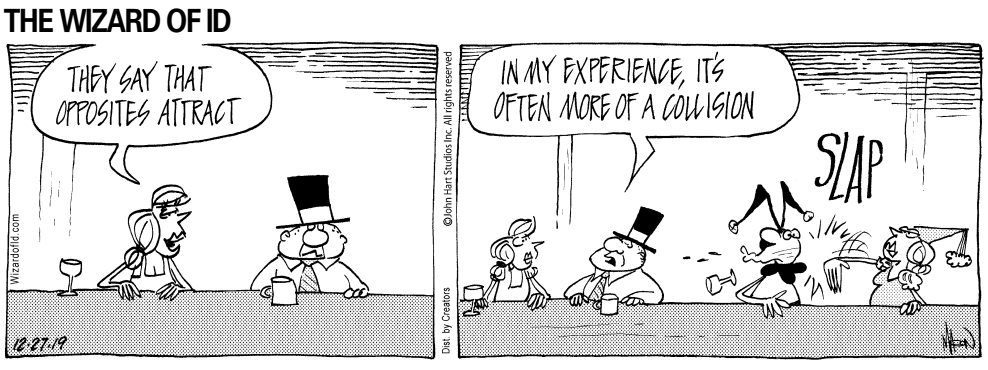
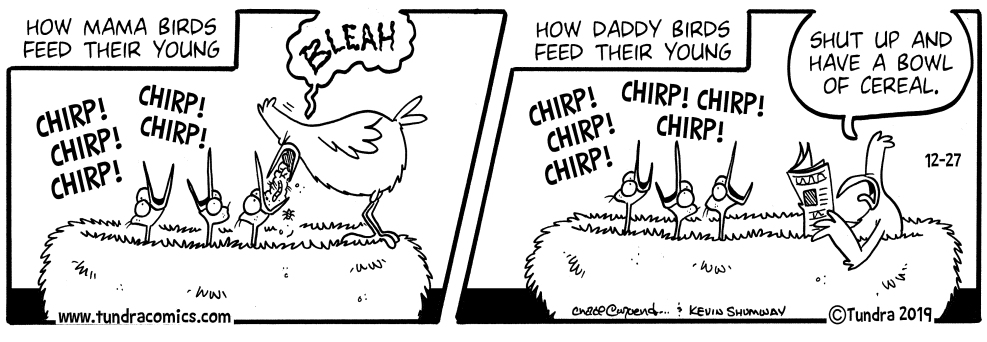


BREAKING CAT NEWS

TUNDRA



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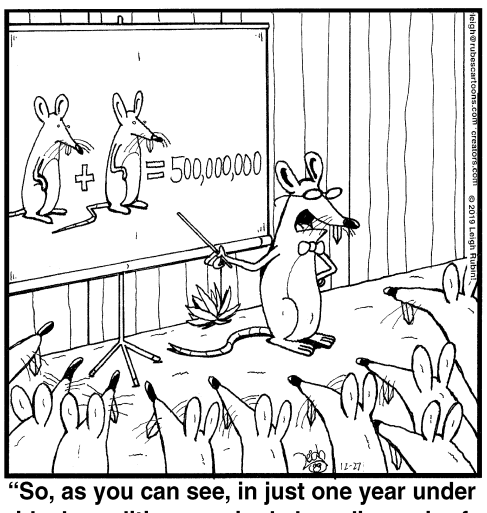
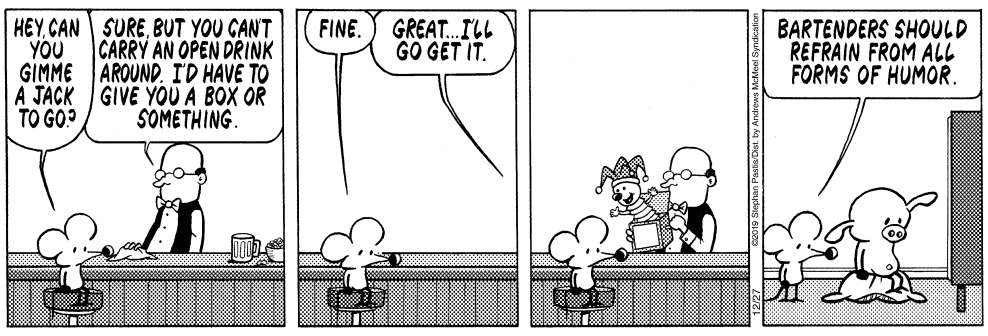


"So, as you can see, in just one year under ideal conditions, a single breeding pair of us and our descendents would theoretically be able to produce a whoppingly diverse, disease-spreading population of half a billion! ... And that, ladies and gentlemen, is the key to successful infesting."

CLOSE TO HOME

"Whatever you do, don't go to Westlake Orthopedics! They totally messed up Walt's double-knee replacement!"

PEARLS BEFORE SWINE



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