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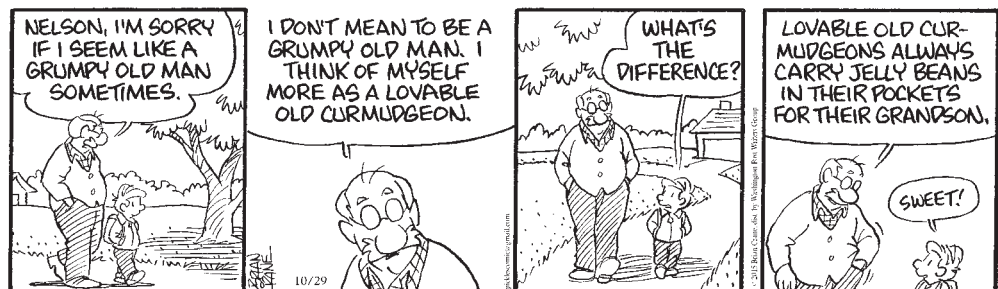
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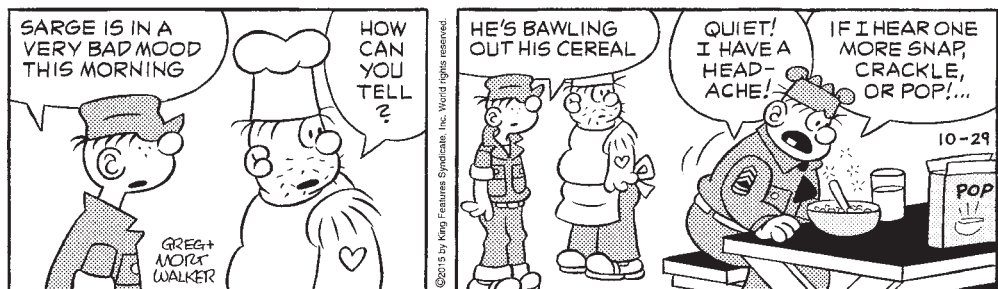
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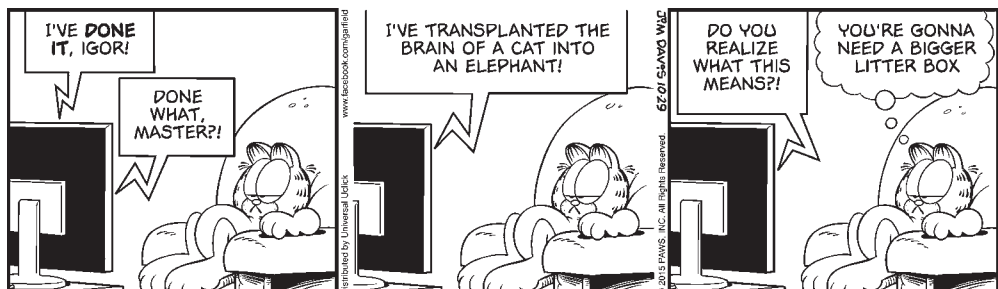
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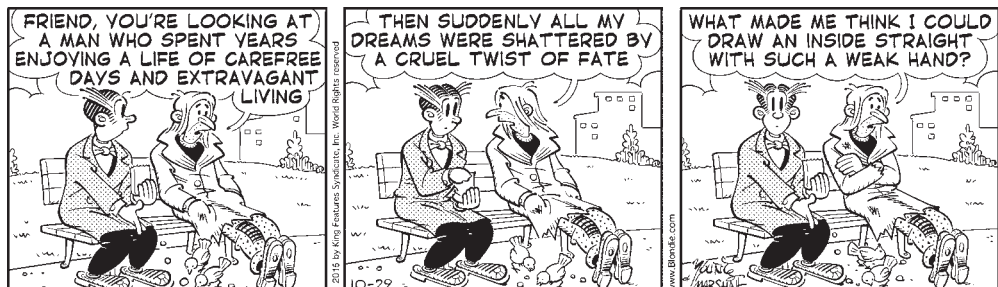
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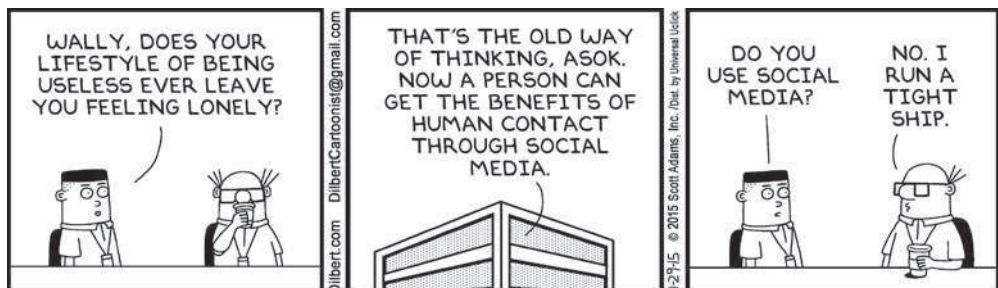
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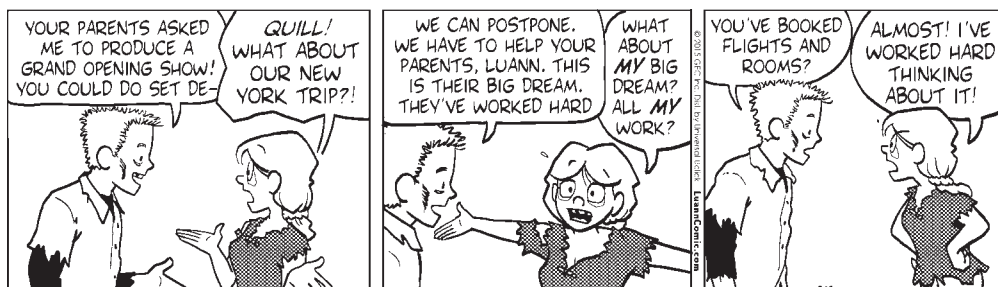
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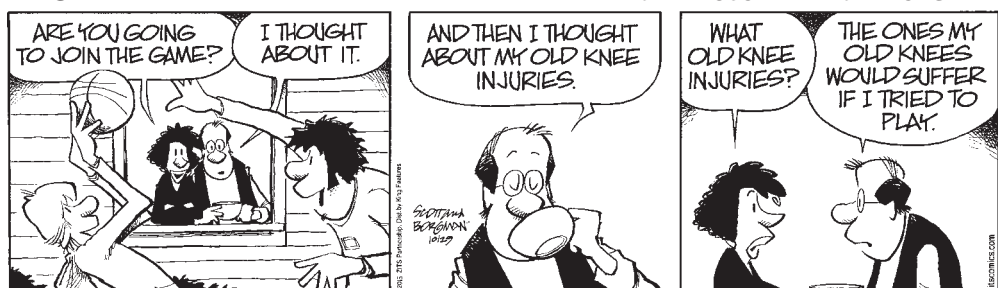
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DEAR ABBY

Granddaughter with sticky fingers is caught in the act

Dear Abby: I caught my 12-year-old granddaughter stealing. She took one of my favorite hair products, which isn't a big deal, but I'm torn over how to approach her and if I should inform her parents. There was another possible theft once before when she visited me. Some makeup blush disappeared. I dismissed it, but now I have concerns.



JEANNE PHILLIPS Advice

welcome and I feel absolutely terrible. I'm not sure how to rectify the situation. If my boyfriend can't accept my family, how is this relationship supposed to last? But another part of me wonders if his feelings are justified, and perhaps I have been too accepting of all the mistakes and grief my brother has caused my family and me. — Sad Sister In Ohio

How should I handle this? I love her unconditionally, but this needs to be addressed and I don't know how. I'm prepared that she might deny my accusation. Then what? — Alarmed In Rhode Island

Dear Sad Sister: If your brother has stolen from the family in order to feed his habit, your boyfriend has a valid point in not wanting him in the house. His reaction is intelligent. However, the ban should not extend to your entire family, and this is something you need to clarify. If your boyfriend's objective is to isolate you from all of your relatives, it's a red flag that shouldn't be ignored.

Dear Alarmed: Tell your granddaughter that you enjoy having her visit, but you noticed that several items had disappeared after she stayed with you. Ask her if she took them. Regardless of how she responds, tell her that if she wants to use something of yours, before she does, she should ask permission. If it happens after that, discuss it with her parents then.

Dear Abby: My daughter is marrying a wonderful young man who not only loves her, but also her 7-month-old daughter, who is not his. My question is one of etiquette. During the wedding ceremony, if my granddaughter starts crying, should I get up and leave with her? She's a little Mama's girl and might start to fuss.

Dear Abby: My brother is a recovering heroin addict. He stayed clean for almost a year until a few months ago, when he relapsed. He hasn't used again since his slip and continues to go to outpatient treatment.

I'd hate to miss my daughter's wedding, but don't want it to be ruined for her guests. What is the proper thing to do? — Bride's Mom On The East Coast

My boyfriend, whom I recently moved in with, doesn't want him to come to the house. He says it's to protect "his nest," and I understand why. I have tried talking with him about it because I feel that I can't have any other family members over, but that doesn't seem to matter to him. My brother heard he isn't

The proper thing to do is to ask your daughter — well in advance of the wedding — what SHE would like done in the event that her daughter starts crying or acting up during the ceremony.

DAYS GONE BY

100 Years Ago From the East Oregonian Oct. 29, 1915

The second game of the grade school football league was played yesterday afternoon at the Round-up park with the Hawthorne eleven lined up against the Lincolnites. The game was fast and exciting with wide end runs the main feature. Owing to superior weight and team work the Hawthorne school carried away the contest by a score of 33 to 0. This game places the west end team in a final run for the pennant. The next game will be played between the north side and the high school Midgets, No. 2.

he said. The new unit eliminates all tubes previously used and its transistorized circuits make for more accurate timings, he added. While the older unit couldn't penetrate larger portions of anatomy for x-rays, the new one can, thus making it a better diagnostic aid to doctors.

25 Years Ago From the East Oregonian Oct. 29, 1990

Historian Joseph Sanchez says people planning to celebrate the bicentennial of Robert Gray's exploration of the Columbia River shouldn't overlook an unknown explorer in Northwest history — Bruno de Heceta. Speaking to Hispanic students in Hermiston Saturday, Sanchez showed maps he found in Spanish archives that document de Heceta's expedition to the river's mouth in 1775, or 17 years before Gray. Sanchez, director of the Spanish Colonial Research Center at Albuquerque, N.M., said de Heceta sailed 12 miles inland in his ship the Santiago and named the river "Entrada de Heceta." In textbooks, Gray, a sea captain born in Rhode Island, is credited with discovering the Columbia River in 1792 and naming it after his ship.

50 Years Ago From the East Oregonian Oct. 29, 1965

The first mobile x-ray unit in the Northwest with a solid-state electronic timer was set up Wednesday at Umatilla Hospital. Spence Simons from Richland, with the X-Ray Department of General Electric, said the 200-milliampere unit now in use here was among the first 10 produced with solid-state timers by GE at Milwaukee, Wis. It was the first such unit delivered to the Northwest,

THIS DAY IN HISTORY

Today is the 302nd day of 2015. There are 63 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:

On Oct. 29, 1940, a blindfolded Secretary of War Henry L. Stimson drew the first number — 158 — from a glass bowl in America's first peacetime military draft.

On this date: In 1618, Sir Walter Raleigh, the English courtier, military adventurer and poet, was executed in London for treason.

In 1787, the opera "Don Giovanni" by Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart had its world premiere in Prague.

In 1929, Wall Street crashed on "Black Tuesday," heralding the start of America's Great Depression.

In 1956, during the Suez Canal crisis, Israel invaded Egypt's Sinai Peninsula. "The Huntley-Brinkley Report" premiered as NBC's nightly television newscast.

In 1964, thieves made off with the Star of India and other gems from the American Museum of Natural History in New York. (The Star and most of the other gems were recovered; three men were convicted of stealing them.)

In 1966, the National Organization for Women was formally organized during a conference in Washington, D.C.

In 1979, on the 50th anniversary of the great stock market crash, anti-nuclear protesters tried but failed to shut down the New York Stock Exchange.

In 1994, Francisco Martin Duran fired more than two dozen shots from a semiautomatic rifle at the White House. (Duran was later convicted of trying to assassinate President Bill Clinton and was sentenced to 40 years in prison.)

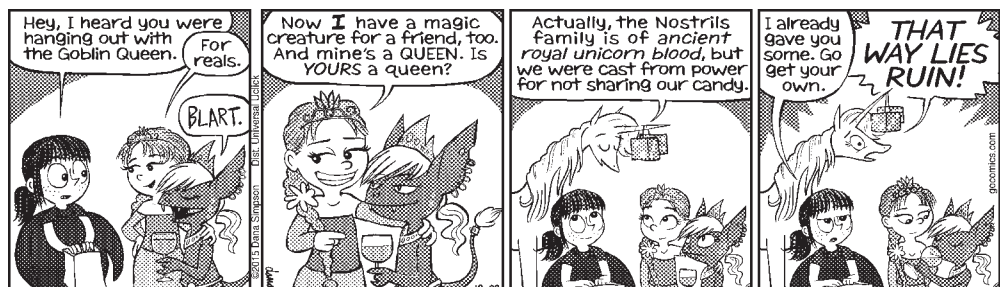
In 2012, Superstorm Sandy came ashore in New Jersey and slowly marched inland, devastating coastal communities and causing widespread power outages; the storm and its aftermath are blamed for at least 182 deaths in the U.S.

Today's Birthdays: Bluegrass singer-musician Sonny Osborne (The Osborne Brothers) is 78. Liberian President Ellen Johnson Sirleaf is 77. Country singer Lee Clayton is 73. Rock musician Denny Laine is 71. Singer Melba Moore is 70. Musician Peter Green is 69. Actor Richard Dreyfuss is 68. Actress Kate Jackson is 67. The former president of Turkey, Abdullah Gul, is 65. Actor Dan Castellana (TV: "The Simpsons") is 58. Comic strip artist Tom Wilson ("Ziggy") is 58. Singer Randy Jackson is 54. Rapper Paris is 48. Actress Winona Ryder is 44. Rock musician Chris Baio (Vampire Weekend) is 31.

Thought for Today: "Put it before them briefly so they will read it, clearly so they will appreciate it, picturesquely so they will remember it and, above all, accurately so they will be guided by its light." — Joseph Pulitzer, American newspaper publisher (born 1847, died this date in 1911).

PHOEBE AND HER UNICORN

BY DANA SIMPSON



BIG NATE

BY LINCOLN PEIRCE

