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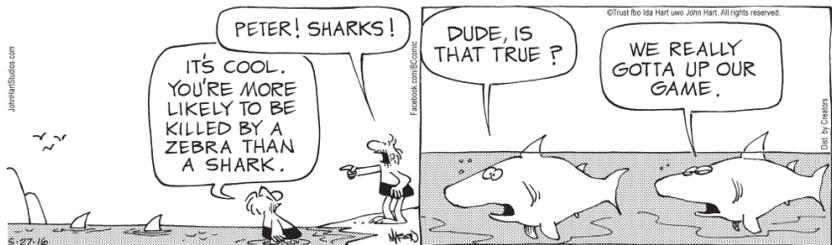
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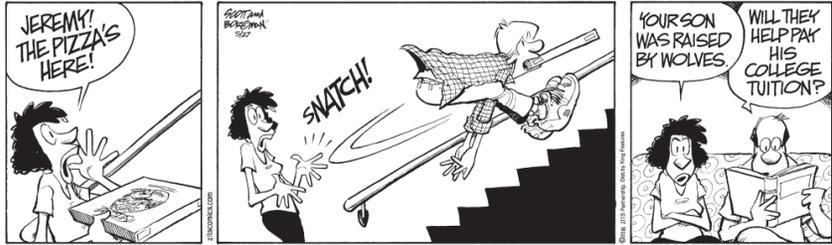
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DEAR ABBY

Give thanks on Memorial Day during moment of remembrance

Dear Abby: Americans are at their best when they unite around a noble purpose. On Memorial Day, that purpose is the National Moment of Remembrance. On that day, all Americans are asked to pause wherever they are at 3 p.m. local time to honor our fallen.



JEANNE PHILLIPS Advice

Dear Abby: My mother died in her sleep last year at our home. She was 97. We cleaned the carpets and repainted the room, removed the hospital bed and replaced it with a brand-new one.

We recently asked some friends to stay overnight at our house, and they called back to ask if they would be staying in the room Mama had died in. We have a second guest room, although it's smaller and so is the bed (full, not a queen). They seemed

hesitant. After the call I found myself feeling offended. I keep thinking that if the shoe was on the other foot, would they shut down a room of their home if someone had died there? We have had other houseguests who didn't mind staying in the room.

These people are supposed to arrive soon. Should we arrange for them to stay at a hotel? — Feeling Offended

Dear Feeling: Please don't take their reaction as a personal insult. Many people are squeamish about staying in a room in which someone has died. I see no reason to banish these people to a hotel during their visit. Call them back, offer them the smaller guest room and enjoy their visit.

Dear Abby: I'm a 77-year-old man. I am not currently involved with a woman, but I have had two marriages and numerous serious affairs. I'd like to know how it became the man's responsibility to put the toilet seat down. Women seem to believe it is written in law, a rule by Emily Post or one of the Ten Commandments. — Flushed In Florida

Dear Flushed: It's all of the above. And I think I know why you have had two marriages, numerous serious affairs and are not currently involved.

In 1971, No Greater Love, a patriotic organization, was founded by a woman named Carmella LaSpada. It initiated the National Moment of Remembrance in 1997, which was later established by Congress in 2000. The Moment is observed by thousands of Americans at Major League Baseball games across the country.

For more than 40 years, the AFL-CIO, North American trade unions, ironworkers, sheet metal, air, rail and transportation workers along with No Greater Love have honored our fallen, our troops, our veterans and their families. Our union members are proud to support the National Moment of Remembrance.

As one nation under God, we should join together to honor those who died for our freedom — each one an American treasure. — Eric Dean, General President, International Association Of Bridge, Structural, Ornamental And Reinforcing Iron Workers

Dear Mr. Dean: I am aware of the loyal and generous support the unions have given to No Greater Love and the families who have lost beloved family members in wars and military conflicts. For that I thank you.

Readers, it is my sincere hope that you will take a moment from your busy day to join us at 3 p.m. in honoring our fallen military men and women on Memorial Day, Monday, May 30. — Love, Abby

DAYS GONE BY

100 Years Ago From the East Oregonian May 27, 1916

To establish a wheat cleaning and grading plant in Pendleton for the purpose of cleaning wheat to be shipped east in bulk is being actively discussed in farmers union circles and it is said that tentative plans for such an establishment are likely to be carried out. If the enterprise is carried through it will mean an important new industry for Pendleton and that a large part of the wheat of the inland empire will be shipped east via Pendleton and here cleaned and graded in transit. The plan contemplated at present calls for the use of the property on East Webb street, owned by the Farmers Union. The property provides trackage arrangements with both railroads and is adapted to the purpose of a cleaning plant.

50 Years Ago From the East Oregonian May 27, 1966

Catherine Sue Etter, 17, has been named recipient of a \$4,000 Georgia-Pacific Foundation scholarship. Miss Etter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Etter, Pilot Rock, graduated in her class of 52 with high honors. Her accumulative grade point average was 4.0. She

was given a special service award and chosen Girl of the Year on May 20, and also named Future Homemaker of America for 1965-66. She plans to attend Oregon State University this fall where she will enter with scholarship honors.

25 Years Ago From the East Oregonian May 27, 1991

Excitement is in the air at Lincoln and West Hills elementary schools. Learning about France has been made fun. Students can be heard saying "bonjour!" and "oui, oui!" The parents of the students, and others in Pendleton, have caught on to the excitement. What prompted this keen interest in a foreign language and country? That's easy. Seventeen fifth graders and three advisers from Melun, France, have been in Pendleton since May 15, visiting as many places as possible. The students have stayed with the families of children attending West Hills and Lincoln schools. The Association French American Classes arranged the visit, with the help of Susan DeMarsh, principal of the two schools. The visit has provided an opportunity for the children to exchange cultural experiences and has fostered interest in foreign language study.

THIS DAY IN HISTORY

Today is the 148th day of 2016. There are 218 days left in the year.

Today's Highlights in History:

On May 27, 1941, the British Royal Navy sank the German battleship Bismarck off France with a loss of some 2,000 lives, three days after the Bismarck sank the HMS Hood with the loss of more than 1,400 lives. Amid rising world tensions, President Franklin D. Roosevelt proclaimed an "unlimited national emergency" during a radio address from the White House.

On this date: In 1896, 255 people were killed when a tornado struck St. Louis, Missouri, and East St. Louis, Illinois.

In 1929, Charles A. Lindbergh Jr. married Anne Morrow in Englewood, New Jersey.

In 1933, the Chicago World's Fair, celebrating "A

Century of Progress," officially opened. Walt Disney's Academy Award-winning animated short "The Three Little Pigs" was first released. In 1935, the U.S. Supreme Court, in Schechter Poultry Corp. v. United States, unanimously struck down the National Industrial Recovery Act, a key component of President Franklin D. Roosevelt's "New Deal" legislative program.

In 1936, the Cunard liner RMS Queen Mary left England on its maiden voyage to New York. The first Aer Lingus flight took place as a de Havilland Dragon carried five passengers from Dublin to Bristol, England.

In 1937, the newly completed Golden Gate Bridge connecting San Francisco and Marin County, California, was opened to pedestrian traffic (vehicles began crossing the next day).

Today's Birthdays:

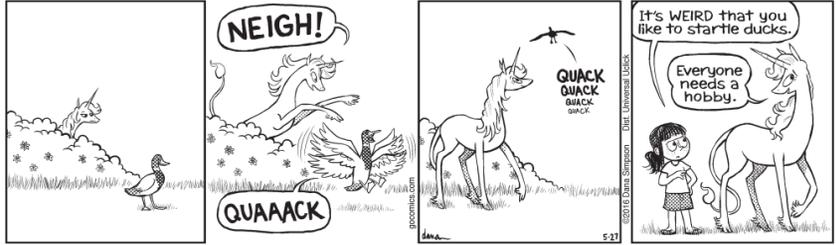
Pulitzer Prize-winning novelist Herman Wouk is 101. Former Secretary of State Henry Kissinger is 93. Former FBI Director William Sessions is 86. Actress Lee Meriwether is 81. Musician Ramsey Lewis is 81. Actor Louis Gossett Jr. is 80. Rhythm-and-blues singer Raymond Sanders (The Persuasions) is 77. Actor Bruce Weitz is 73. Singer Siouxsie Sioux (The Creatures, Siouxsie and the Banshees) is 59. Comedian Adam Carolla is 52. Rock musician Sean Kinney (Alice In Chains) is 50. Actor Jack McBrayer is 43. Rapper Andre 3000 (Outkast) is 41. Rapper Jadakiss is 41.

Thought for Today:

"Great wisdom is generous; petty wisdom is contentious. Great speech is impassioned, small speech cantankerous." — Chuang-Tzu, Chinese essayist (c.369-c.286 B.C.)

PHOEBE AND HER UNICORN

BY DANA SIMPSON



BIG NATE

BY LINCOLN PEIRCE

