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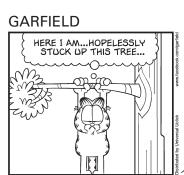


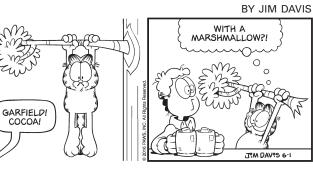
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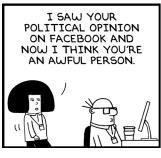








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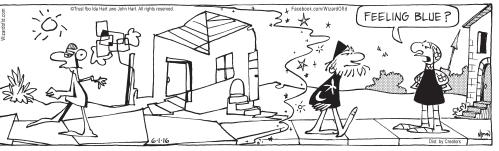






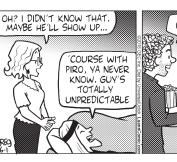
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DEAR ABBY

Woman with little experience wants freedom to live it up

Dear Abby: I'm in love with my boyfriend, and we're about to move to a huge college town. We've been dating two years and I want him to be my husband, but at the same time I want to live life. I'm not even 21 yet, and I haven't experienced life. I want to go to a bar or club and dance with whomever I want, maybe even have a hookup if it were to come down to it. I have never had a one-night stand and I don't think I would, but if it came down to it - who knows!

I don't want to hurt him, but I want him to be happy. He's happy with me and I'm happy with him. What do I do? How do I tell him I'd like freedom to be a ho? — Need To **Experience Life**

Dear Need To Experience Life: Explain to your boyfriend exactly the way you have described it to me, and if he is like 99 percent of the men on this planet, your problem will be solved. "Ho-Ho-Ho!"

Dear Abby: I'm 48 and the father of a 3-year-old son I love very much. His mother, "Chelsea," is 45. They live with me, although Chelsea and I are not romantically involved. Our son was an "oops" baby, but we chose to live together so we could have him in our daily

Since moving in, Chelsea has decided she's not responsible for any part of the household duties, nor does she have to sustain herself as we had previously agreed. I work full-time, pay all the bills and provide everything. I also do the cooking and cleaning and pay



JEANNE PHILLIPS Advice

for Chelsea's cigarettes and personal items. She claims she wants to be a stay-at-home mom — although she is more "stay at home" than "mom." This infuriates me and has led to many arguments.

I have tried reasoning with her and talking rationally; nothing works. It has turned into one shouting match after another. What can I do to set her straight while not putting our son at risk of suffering from all of this fallout?

Throwing her out is obviously not the answer. I'm just not sure what is. — **Doing It** All In Arizona

Dear Doing It All: While it would have been nice for your son to be surrounded by two loving parents who get along, that's not how it has turned out. You should not be forced to shoulder as much of the responsibility as you have been saddled with, and living in a house with parents who are at each other's throats is not a healthy environment for a child.

Chelsea appears to be lazy, and I have to wonder about how conscientious a parent she is if she sits around smoking with her child in the house all day. Talk to an attorney about assuming full custody of your son. Because his mother refuses to work, it follows that she's in no position to support him. He is old enough for day care or preschool during the hours you are working.

Then thank God you didn't marry this woman, and tell Chelsea the free ride is over. If she can't abide by the agreement you two had when she moved in, she'll have to move out.

DAYS GONE BY

100 Years Ago From the East Oregonian June 1, 1916

Confirmation of the Indians' claim to a primary right to a use of water on the Umatilla reservation; an increase of the maximum allowance of water from one-half inch to one inch per acre to the waterusers along the Umatilla river; a revision of the lists and schedules of lands in the west end of the county according to relative dates of priority; and a general agreement with the findings of the state water board. These will be the principal points in the decree of Circuit Judge Phelps in the matter of the adjudication of the water rights of the Umatilla river and its tributaries, as indicated by a memorandum which he filed today. The decree of Judge Phelps is given upon an appeal from the findings of the state water board which took testimony for five years. It is very probable that an appeal will be taken to the state supreme court from Judge Phelps' decree and the United States supreme court will doubtless be called upon to make the final determination of the respective rights of the Indians and the Byers milling interests to the use of water of the river.

50 Years Ago From the East Oregonian June 1, 1966

Pendleton played host to the Millions over the Memorial Day weekend. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Million, that is, of Encinitas, Calif., were here to pay their respects to the graves of his parents in Olney Cemetery. It was the

first visit back to Pendleton for Million since 1915. Born here, he left in 1911 to join the Marines. He made the service his career, and was a Marine for 33 years. The visitor's father was Thomas J. Million, who worked for the fire department and the city water works. "I was born right across the street from the back door of the Woolworth store — on 1st Street,' recalled the retired veteran. "And the day my father was buried, every store in town was closed."

25 Years Ago From the East Oregonian June 1, 1991

Officers from the Hermiston Police Department and Morrow County law enforcement agencies arrested nearly 20 people on drug charges this week after a two-month undercover investigation. Beginning in the early morning hours Thursday, 11 Hermiston residents were arrested and charged with drug crimes. Morrow County law enforcement officers began making arrests Tuesday. Bob Terry, narcotics officer for the Hermiston police, said the suspects were charged after an "undercover operation where they were selling drugs to the police." Terry said, "We were hooking and booking out of the DARE van" as police officers used the promotional vehicle to contact suspects prior to the arrests on Thursday in Hermiston. Terry said more arrests may be pending as a result of the undercover operation. Most of this suspects were charged with delivery and possession of cocaine, marijuana and methamphetamines.

THIS DAY IN HISTORY

Today is the 153rd day of 2016. There are 213 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:

On June 1, 1916, Louis Brandeis took his seat as an associate justice of the U.S. Supreme Court, the first Jewish American to serve on the nation's highest

bench. On this date:

In 1792, Kentucky became the 15th state of the union.

1796. Tennessee In became the 16th state.

In 1813, the mortally wounded commander of the USS Chesapeake, Capt. James Lawrence, gave the order, "Don't give up the ship" during a losing battle with the British frigate HMS Shannon in the War of 1812.

In 1868, James Buchanan, the 15th president of the United States, died near Lancaster, Pennsylvania, at age 77.

In 1915, the T.S. Eliot poem "The Love Song of J. Alfred Prufrock" was first published in "Poetry: A Magazine of Verse" in Chicago

In 1926, actress Marilyn Monroe was born Norma Jeane Mortenson in Los Angeles.

In 1943, a civilian flight from Portugal to England was shot down by Germany during World War II, killing all 17 people aboard, including actor Leslie Howard.

In 1968, author-lecturer Helen Keller, who'd earned a college degree despite being blind and deaf almost all of her life, died in Westport, Connecticut, at age

Today's Birthdays: Actor Richard Erdman is 91. Singer Pat Boone is 82. Actor-writer-director Peter Masterson is 82. Actor Morgan Freeman is 79. Actor Rene Auberjonois is 76. Opera singer Frederica von Stade is 71. Actor Brian Cox is 70. Rock musician Ronnie Wood is 69. Actor Jonathan Pryce is 69. Actress Gemma Craven is 66. Bluesrock musician Tom Principato is 64. Country singer Ronnie Dunn is 63. Actress Lisa Hartman Black is 60. Actor Tom Irwin is 60. Rock musician Simon Gallup (The Cure) is 56. Model-actress Heidi Klum is 43. Singer Alanis Morissette is 42. Educator Marci Wattenburger is 33.

Thought for Today: "When a thing ceases to be a subject of controversy, it ceases to be a subject of interest." — William Hazlitt, British essayist (1778-1830).

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