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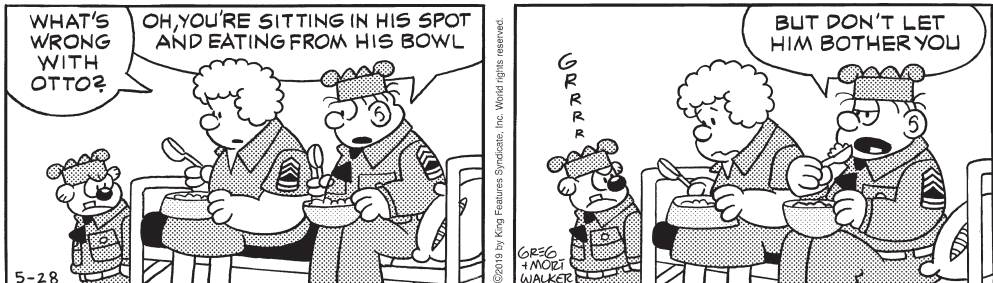
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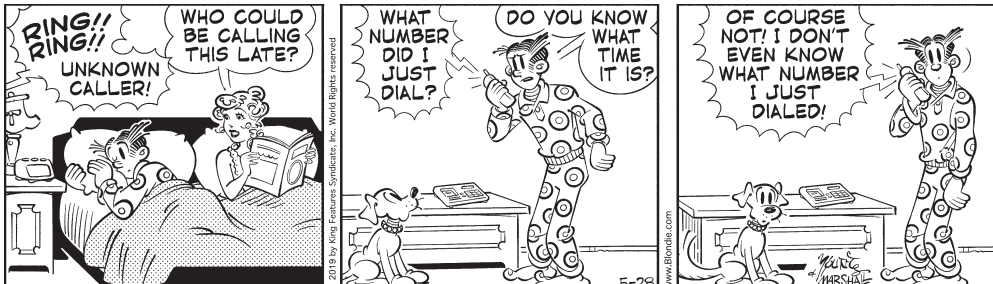
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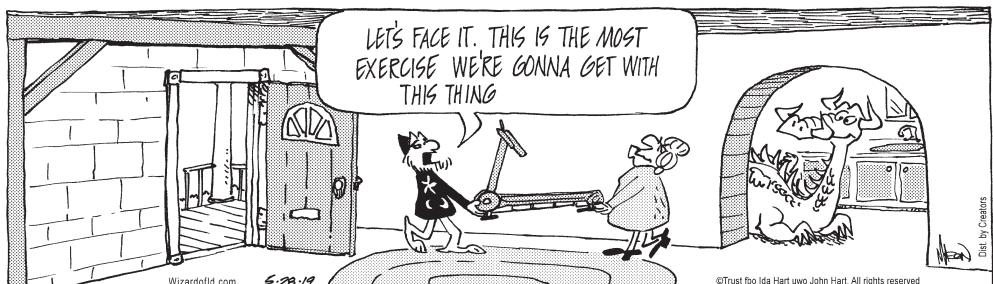
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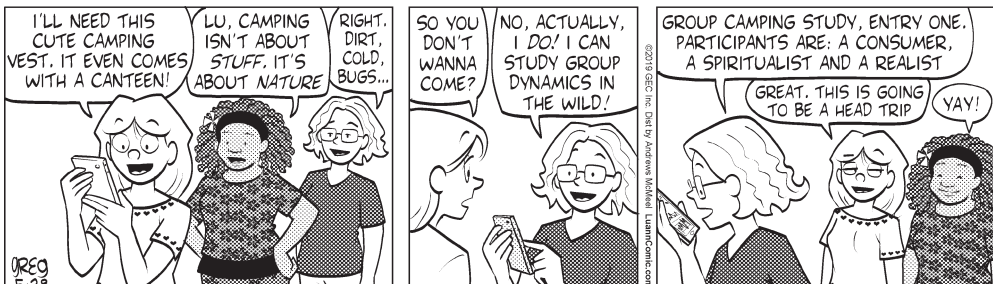
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DEAR ABBY

Memories of the good times still haunt woman after her divorce



JEANNE PHILLIPS ADVICE

Dear Abby: I was married to my husband for 29 years. We were separated off and on more than 10 of those years. We were both in other relationships but would reconnect for months and sometimes years. Then, because our lifestyles are so different, we would split up again.

concentrate on your future. See your ex as little as possible, and allow yourself to grieve the lost relationship for a specific period of time. When that time period is over, concentrate on meeting new people and cultivating new interests. If necessary, talking with a therapist may be helpful, and I hope you will consider it. There is life after this, but only if you will allow it.

I divorced him two years ago, but we see each other off and on as friends. I haven't been in a relationship since our divorce because I still love him. He couldn't stop the street life, and I got tired of living on the edge with him.

Dear Abby: My best friend of 50 years was recently diagnosed with early stages of Alzheimer's. Because her memory was beginning to slip, my husband and I moved her in with us. She pays us rent and contributes to meals.

He's now in church, off drugs. He has gained back some weight and looks like the man I first fell in love with. I tell him every time I see him that I still love him, but he doesn't believe me and acts like he hates me. We have a 27-year-old daughter he loves and sees.

The problem is, she has told friends that because she pays rent she shouldn't have to help around the house. My husband and I both work. It would be nice if she would cook us dinner occasionally or do the dishes. I have asked, but she always has an excuse. I don't know how to tell her we are not a bed and breakfast. She has the ability to help. Advice? — **Helper Needs Help, Too**

I think of the good times we had together day and night. I can't sleep sometimes and feel so unhappy without him. Abby, what can I do to move on? — **Lonely and Lost in Maryland**

Dear Helper: I hope you realize that as your friend's dementia progresses she will no longer be able to help around the house, and it could actually be dangerous for her to cook. It would be better for all concerned if her family would start looking at dementia care facilities for her, the earlier the better, so she will have time to adjust. Some of them offer graduated levels of care to meet the patient's increasing needs. Please consider it.

Dear Lonely and Lost: You may love the person your ex-husband was in the beginning, but you divorced him for good reasons. Chief among them, he became someone else because of his addiction and his choices. He may blame you for divorcing him, but if you hadn't done it, he probably would not have straightened out. Sometimes love is not enough, particularly when it's a one-way street. It is time to quit looking backward and

DAYS GONE BY

100 Years Ago From the East Oregonian May 27-28, 1919

Writer's cramp claimed one of the county's faithful servants today when County Clerk R.T. Brown took up the task of signing the 735 Umatilla county road bonds. Each bond requires the pen and ink signature of the clerk, following which County Judge Charles H. Marsh and County Treasurer Grace A. Gilliam must affix their signatures 735 times. In addition, Miss Gilliam must register each bond. The 735 \$1000 papers arrived early this morning and they will be rushed through the official channels here as the bond houses which purchased them are paying interest totaling \$113 daily. They are anxious to receive them and place them on the market.

George DeLap, whose coaching contract was not renewed. Huddleston would succeed Arnold Owens, whose contract also was not renewed. Huddleston, whose team was hosting Sacred Heart in a state B semifinal playoff game today, said he hadn't thoroughly studied the Hermiston offer and wouldn't until after the playoffs. Huddleston, a Hermiston High School graduate, has a 73-20 baseball record at Umatilla, including a 15-3 mark this season.

25 Years Ago From the East Oregonian May 27-28, 1994

A farm truck carrying fuel smashed through a Helix School wall Thursday afternoon, just minutes after students had gone home. The truck was parked next to a wheat field up the hill from the school when it slipped out of gear, rolling over playground equipment and then crashing through a second/third grade classroom brick wall at around 3:35 p.m., according to Superintendent Don Parkin. Class gets out at 3:10 p.m. "We're not holding class in there for the rest of the school year for safety precautions," Parkin said, adding that the district has filled in the gaping hole with plywood for security. The last day of school is next Thursday.

50 Years Ago From the East Oregonian May 27-28, 1969

Assistant basketball coach Don Madsen was named head coach by the Hermiston School Board Monday night. Dwayne Huddleston, Umatilla High School baseball coach, was offered the head baseball coaching job. Madsen, a social studies teacher in the high school, will replace

TODAY IN HISTORY

On May 28, 1977, 165 people were killed when fire raced through the Beverly Hills Supper Club in Southgate, Kentucky.

In 1964, the charter of the Palestine Liberation Organization was issued at the start of a meeting of the Palestine National Congress in Jerusalem.

81. Singer Gladys Knight is 75. Actor Louis Mustillo is 61. Singer Kylie Minogue is 51. Olympic gold medal figure skater Ekaterina Gordeeva is 48. Television personality Elisabeth Hasselbeck is 42. R&B singer Jaheim is 42. Actor Jake Johnson is 41. Actor Jesse Bradford is 40. Actress Monica Keena is 40. Actress Megalyn Echikunwoke is 37. Actress Carey Mulligan is 34. Actor Joseph Cross is 33.

In 1863, the 54th Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry Regiment, made up of freed blacks, left Boston to fight for the Union in the Civil War.

In 1972, Edward, The Duke of Windsor, who had abdicated the English throne to marry Wallis Warfield Simpson, died in Paris at age 77.

Thought for Today: "Courage is the most important of all the virtues, because without courage you can't practice any other virtue consistently. You can practice any virtue erratically, but nothing consistently without courage." — Maya Angelou (1928-2014).

In 1892, the Sierra Club was organized in San Francisco.

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Today's Birthdays: Actor John Karlen is 86. Basketball Hall of Famer Jerry West is

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PHOEBE AND HER UNICORN

BY DANA SIMPSON



BIG NATE

BY LINCOLN PEIRCE

