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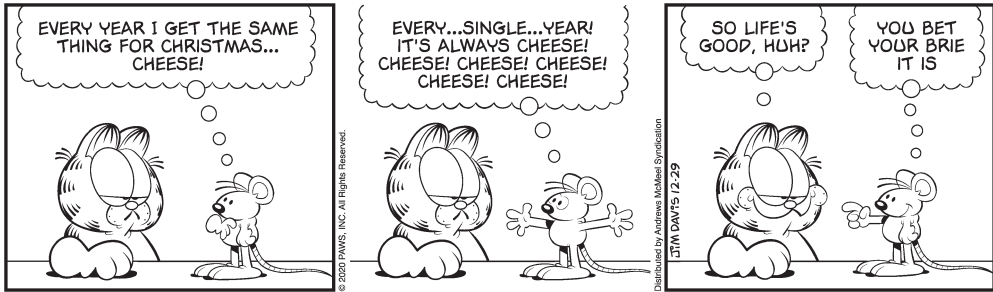
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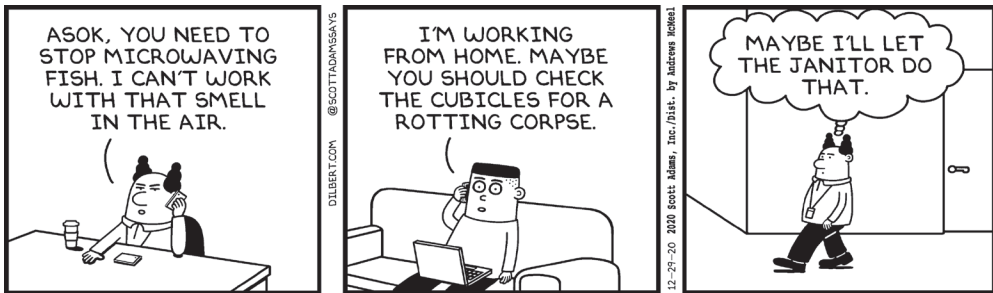
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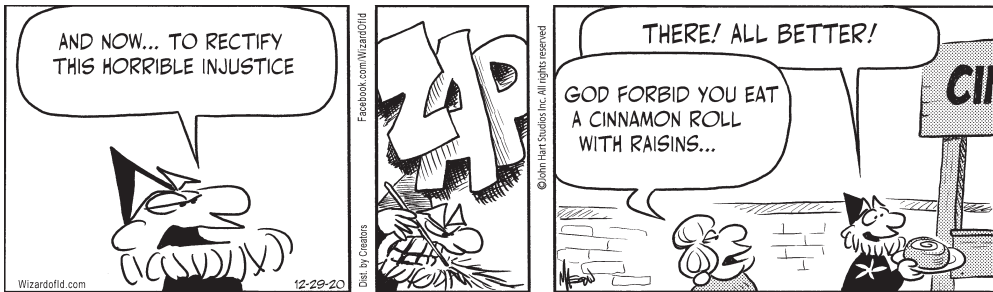
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DEAR ABBY

Discussing sex life with ex is the final straw for wife



JEANNE PHILLIPS ADVICE

Dear Abby: I have been married for 19 years now. A few years back, I came to know about my husband's platonic relationship with his old girlfriend. She lives in a different state and is married.

one will work hardest to protect your interests and proceed from there. Dear Abby: Due to COVID shutting schools down, my employer is now allowing staff to bring their kids to work if they don't have alternative child care.

My husband has long chats with her every day about everything, including our sex life. I confronted him and asked him to end their relationship because knowing that he wants me to do something in bed because his friend does it bothers me a lot.

However, we have a new employee, "Michelle," who has started bringing her 4-year-old with her. The child, I'll call her Autumn, is in her mother's office, but she's so loud, she can be heard all the way across the building!

A few weeks ago, I discovered that he still chats with her every day, and he changed her name in his contact list to hide his relationship. I feel cheated on, and I want to end this marriage.

I don't understand this. Other parents make sure their kids behave and act appropriately. What can I do to let Michelle and my supervisor know that while yes, she can bring her child with her, it's still her responsibility to make sure the kid isn't creating a distraction?

Dear Betrayed: A couple's sex life is supposed to be private. Your husband and his supposedly platonic "friend" have both betrayed the trust of their spouses. That he would expect you to do something in bed that he knows she is doing is substituting your body for hers, and frankly, it strikes me as another form of cheating.

Dear Tired Of The Noise: I do not think it would be prudent to talk about this with Michelle, which is sure to make her defensive. You should, however, inform your supervisor that because Michelle's door is left open, her daughter's "jolly" voice is creating a distraction.

You feel cheated on because you have been cheated on. It will continue as long as you allow it. Because you're afraid you will take a wrong step, start quietly gathering all the financial information you can and talk with several lawyers before deciding which

DAYS GONE BY

100 Years Ago From the East Oregonian Dec. 29, 1920

George Bennett, who says he is a buckaroo and has broken broncs for the Round-Up association, is leading a man hunt through Umatilla county today, with officers in his pursuit. He broke away from Deputy Sheriff Parker, of Wenatchee, at Rieth early Sunday morning and has not been overtaken.

The mother, Teresa Stensrud, says now that both members of her family are winners, she feels it is time to call a halt to the competition. She says she did not have a favorite in the struggle.

50 Years Ago From the East Oregonian Dec. 29, 1970

A 40-year-old Hermiston father and his teenage daughter, both students at Blue Mountain Community College, have been locked in a serious "scholastic battle" in the fall term of school.

25 Years Ago From the East Oregonian Dec. 29, 1995 An unexpected snowfall caused a flurry of accidents this morning along Interstate 84 from Boardman to Pendleton. The snow compacted on roads and highways causing fender benders and roll-overs from the slippery conditions.

TODAY IN HISTORY

On Dec. 29, 1890, the Wounded Knee massacre took place in South Dakota as an estimated 300 Sioux Indians were killed by U.S. troops sent to disarm them.

In 1975, a bomb exploded in the main terminal of New York's LaGuardia Airport, killing 11 people (it's never been determined who was responsible).

Iraq's road to democracy. In 2017, Puerto Rico authorities said nearly half of the power customers in the U.S. territory still lacked electricity, more than three months after Hurricane Maria.

In 1845, Texas was admitted as the 28th state. In 1939, "The Hunchback of Notre Dame," starring Charles Laughton and Maureen O'Hara, was released by RKO Radio Pictures.

In 1989, dissident and playwright Vaclav Havel assumed the presidency of Czechoslovakia.

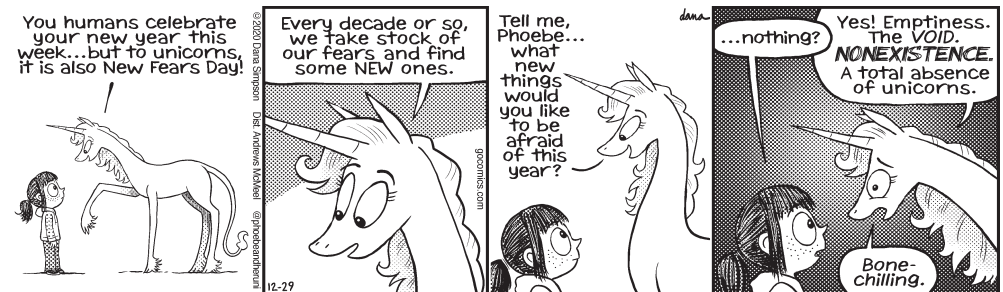
Today's Birthdays: Actor Inga Swenson is 88. Singer Marianne Faithfull is 74. Actor Ted Danson is 73. Actor Patricia Clarkson is 61. Comedian Paula Poundstone is 61. Rock singer-musician Jim Reid (The Jesus and Mary Chain) is 59. Movie director Lilly Wachowski is 53. Actor Jude Law is 48. Actor Maria Dizzia is 46.

In 1972, Eastern Air Lines Flight 401, a Lockheed L-1011 Tristar, crashed into the Florida Everglades near Miami International Airport, killing 101 of the 176 people aboard.

In 2006, word reached the United States of the execution of former Iraqi leader Saddam Hussein (because of the time difference, it was the morning of Dec. 30 in Iraq when the hanging took place). In a statement, President George W. Bush called Saddam's execution an important milestone on

PHOEBE AND HER UNICORN

BY DANA SIMPSON



BIG NATE

BY LINCOLN PEIRCE

