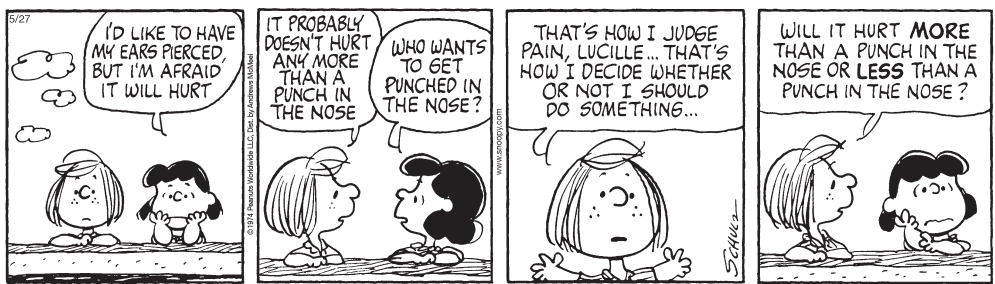


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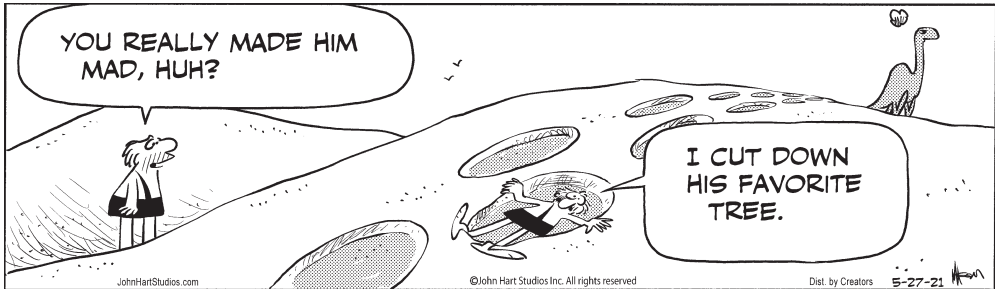
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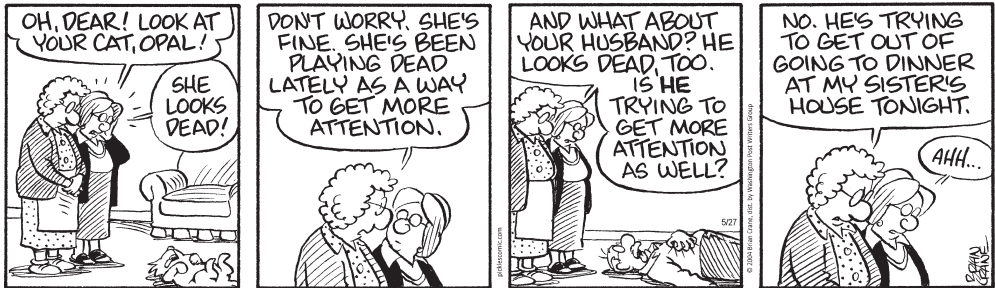
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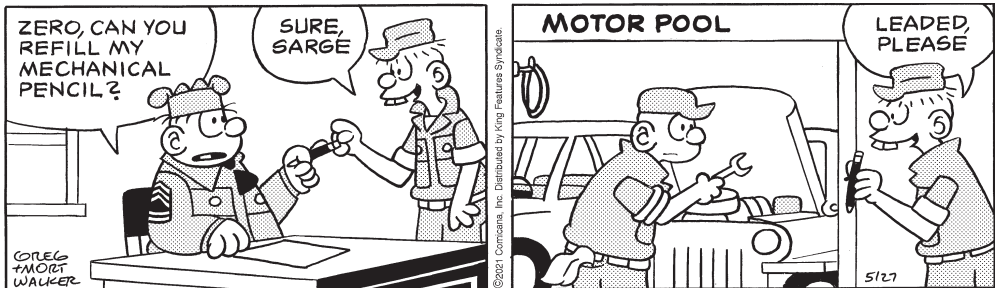
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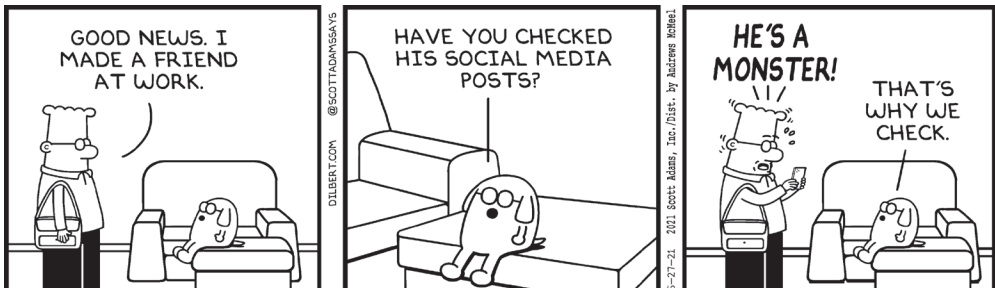
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DEAR ABBY

Forgetfulness in everyday life leads to much anxiety

Dear Abby: While I am excited for new opportunities in my life, I cannot shake the feeling I am losing something. I am always losing something, whether it be my phone, my keys or my wallet. Once I lost my retainers and had to pay \$300 for new ones.



JEANNE PHILLIPS ADVICE

I have trouble keeping track of things. I'm afraid it will create serious problems when I begin a career and lose something, which could cost me my job. I'm also worried that I'll inherit important items from my family and lose them. I'm nervous about being in charge of my own life when I can't even keep track of the \$5 in my pocket. I urgently need this bad habit to change. Is there anything that will help me? — Losing It in Georgia

Dear Losing It: Your problem may not be as uncommon as you fear. Have you ever heard the adage, "A place for everything and everything in its place"? It's good advice. Choose one location to place your phone, your keys and your wallet when you come home. Once you form that habit, you will always know where your things are. (There is an app, Find My Device, that may help you locate your electronic devices if you have a computer. There are also companies — like Tile — that can help you locate lost items, such as your keys or wallet.)

Some people with attention deficit disorder lose track of items because they are easily distracted and focus on more than one task at once. When you are holding your phone, keys, etc., reminding yourself to stay

in the present may help. If none of these techniques works for you, discuss your fears with a licensed psychotherapist, who can help you determine what's at the root of your problem and help lessen your anxiety about the future.

Dear Abby: I have been with my boyfriend/best friend for about six years now. We moved in together a little over a year ago and have discussed marriage. The issue is, one of his sisters has an alcohol problem. She becomes rude and tries to bully others when she drinks. When she does that to me, I return the treatment, and she turns to her brother and attempts to make him side with her.

I know how important family is. Because I'm not related, I am left feeling vulnerable — like she may disrupt my relationship with her brother. I love him, and I really try with her. I think she would be happy if her brother were more available to hang out with her. She's a tomboy and often hung out with him prior to us moving in together. Please help me figure out a solution. — Competing in California

Dear Competing: One option might be for you and your boyfriend to leave when his sister starts drinking. Discuss this with your boyfriend/best friend. If you haven't done that, please do. His sister may be trying to divide and conquer, but enlisting him to her side will be much more difficult if he simply responds by telling her, "I don't want to be involved in this, Sis. Leave me out of it, and stop picking on my girlfriend."

DAYS GONE BY

From the East Oregonian

100 Years Ago May 27, 1921

A telegram received this morning by J.T. Brown from Hoboken notifying him that the body of Fred Kees will not be started on its journey across the continent until after midnight tonight caused a change to be made in the arrangements to have his funeral services held in conjunction with the Decoration Day services at the cemetery Monday morning. The parade which will be formed at the court house square at 8:30 will start wending its way to the cemetery at 9 o'clock sharp. Every ex-service man is requested to be in his uniform, if it is at all possible. Those who for any reason can't wear a uniform are expected to be there in "civvies."

50 Years Ago May 27, 1971

Rob Roy of Pendleton isn't sure that the name he bears has anything to do with an invitation he received to teach school in Scotland next year. "But it caused a lot of comment when I was there last summer with the folk singers," he grinned. Rob and his wife, Anita, are making preparations for their year in Arbroath, Scotland, a town about the size of

Pendleton on the North Sea. The city, north of Dundee, is the ancient site of the signing of Scotland's declaration of independence, said Rob. Rob will take a year's leave of absence from Pendleton High School, where he has been choral director for more than 10 years, to work in the music department of two high schools in Arbroath.

25 Years Ago May 27, 1996

In sports, it's not always such a bad thing to get greedy every once in a while. Instead of winning just one state title like he did last year, Mac-Hi's Craig Douglas got both hurdle titles at the Oregon Class 3A Track and Field Championships Saturday afternoon. His performance topped several high places by athletes from Umatilla County. In the Class 4A meet, four Hermiston Bulldogs scored points and three of the four Pendleton Bucks who qualified for state finished in the top eight as well. Douglas defended his 300 intermediate hurdles title with a state-record time of 38.65 seconds. Earlier in the day, he edged out Taft's Damien Davis with a wind-aided 14.72 performance in the 110 high hurdles.

TODAY 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.

In 1861, Chief Justice Roger Taney, sitting as a federal circuit court judge in Baltimore, ruled that President Abraham Lincoln lacked the authority to suspend the writ of habeas corpus (Lincoln disregarded the ruling).

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

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 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).

In 1942, Doris "Dorie" Miller, a cook aboard the USS West Virginia, became the first African-American

to receive the Navy Cross for displaying "extraordinary courage and disregard for his own personal safety" during Japan's attack on Pearl Harbor.

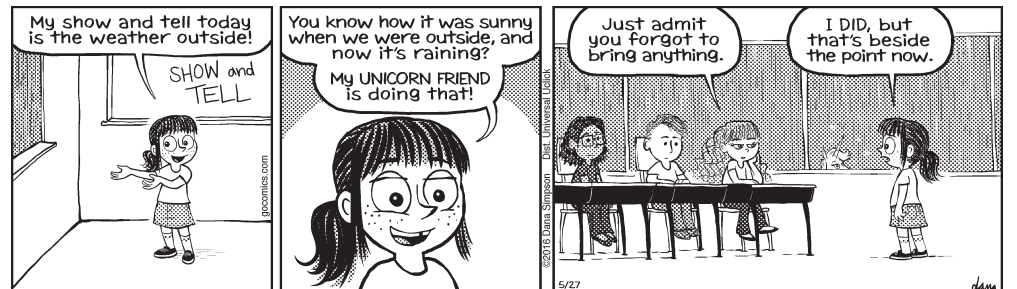
In 1993, five people were killed in a bombing at the Uffizi museum of art in Florence, Italy; some three dozen paintings were ruined or damaged.

In 1994, Nobel Prize-winning author Alexander Solzhenitsyn returned to Russia to the emotional cheers of thousands after spending two decades in exile.

Today's Birthdays: Former Secretary of State Henry Kissinger is 98. Actor Bruce Weitz is 78. Singer Siouxsie Sioux (The Creatures, Siouxsie and the Banshees) is 64. Rapper Andre 3000 (Outkast) is 46. Rapper Jadakiss is 46.

PHOEBE AND HER UNICORN

BY DANA SIMPSON



BIG NATE

BY LINCOLN PEIRCE

