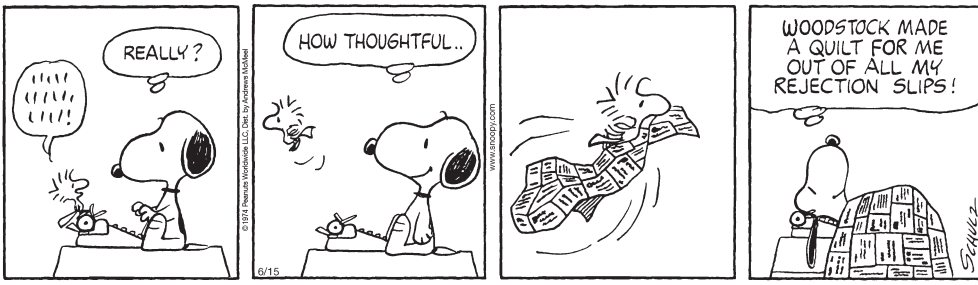


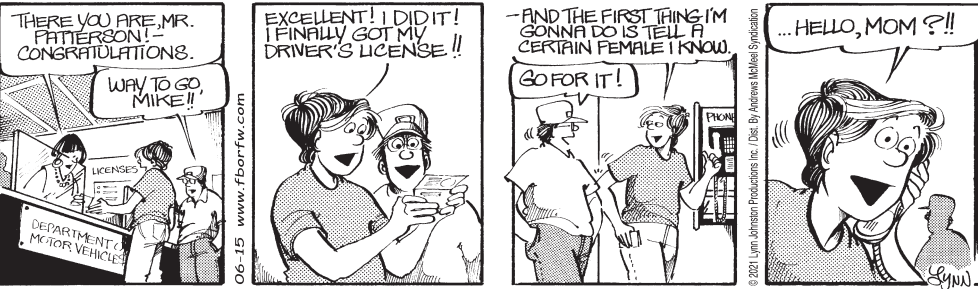
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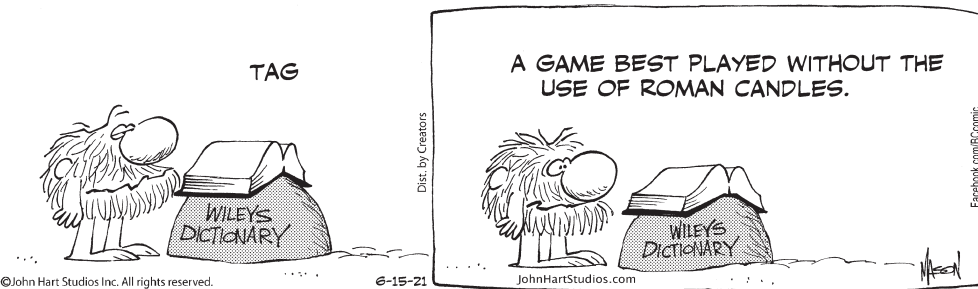
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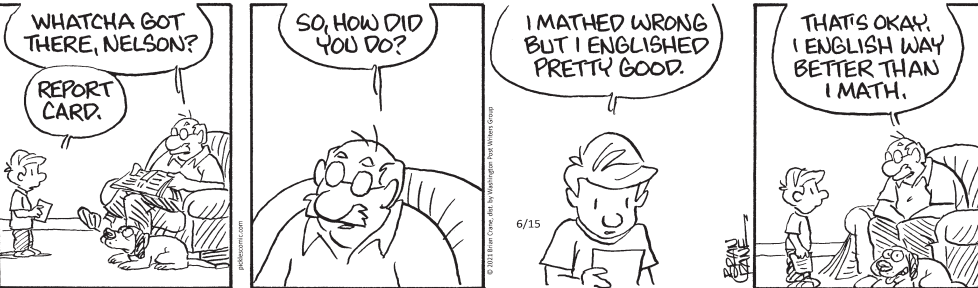
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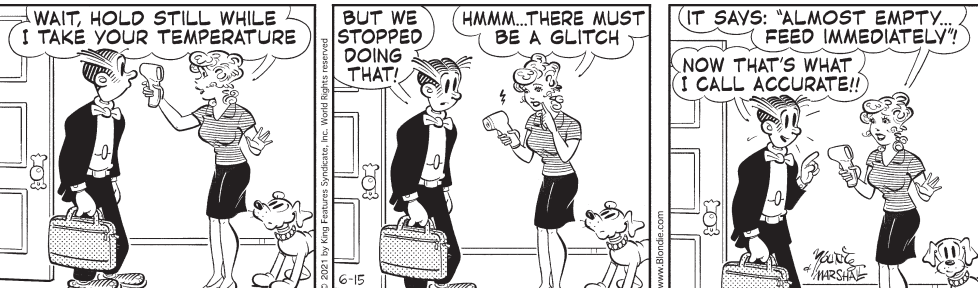
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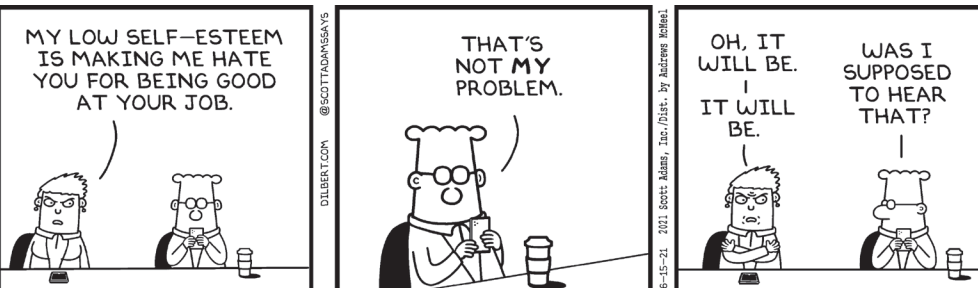
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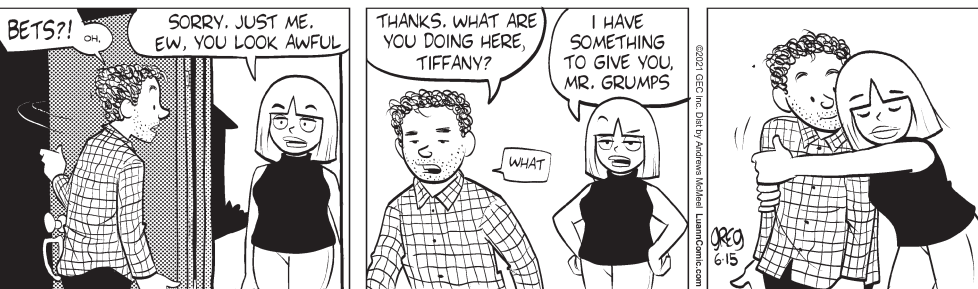
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DEAR ABBY

Wife devastated to learn of husband's prior conquests

Dear Abby: I met my husband on the job when we were one year out of school. We are both 36. We dated for three years and were compatible in every way. Ten years later, we have two kids (7 and 5), own a home and are financially secure.

When we dated, we discussed our "history," and he told me that he'd had five prior girlfriends. I had three boyfriends in college. Well, I learned a few months ago — at his reunion — that he completely "forgot" the part about his competitive frat-boy past with hook-ups and one-night stands.

Now I see women on his social media who went to the same school and I obsess about how they fit into his past. It's driving me crazy, and I feel like just a number now. I know if this situation were reversed, he'd flip out about it.

I wish I had never found this out because I see him differently now, and no longer want to be close to him. He's a good father and husband, but I'm struggling with how to accept this new information, and I need some guidance. — Wish I Didn't Know

Dear Wish: People usually lie because they aren't proud of the truth. You say he has been a good husband and father. This is why you need to find it in your heart to forgive him. If you have caught him in lies since then, you have a reason to be reacting the way you have. However, if you



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haven't, please consider talking with a licensed marriage and family therapist until you have worked it through. The resentment you feel could destroy your marriage. Please do not let that happen.

Dear Abby: My husband and I recently moved in with my grandmother, partly to help out and partly because I lost my job due to underlying health conditions that made dealing with COVID incredibly difficult. Now that we're close to family again, some of them think they need to dictate what we do.

My husband is adamant that he wants me home until it's safer for me to go out again, but my father thinks it's not a good idea, and insists that my husband doesn't understand "everything." I don't want to make either of them angry, but I feel like I need to stick with my husband, and I don't know how to get my father to understand because he's stubborn.

Any advice? — Torn, And Tired Of It
Dear Torn: Your husband is protective, and for that I applaud him. If you can't work because an underlying health condition makes you more vulnerable to COVID, then as much as your father would like you out of the house and working during the day, you cannot do it. Your life could be at risk. What does your doctor have to say about this?

You are no longer a little girl. It's time for a family discussion to iron this out, including what your father meant when he said your husband doesn't "understand." If it can't be resolved in a mature and respectful manner, you and your husband may need to make other living arrangements.

DAYS GONE BY

From the East Oregonian

100 Years Ago

June 15, 1921

Men who fought on the bloody fields of Gettysburg; men who were with General Wheaton at the Battle of Malabon, and men who felt the deadly peril of the Argonne fight made up the three generations of America's defenders who marched today in the great G.A.R. parade. The fitful sunlight gleamed on scores of G.A.R. men marching with a firmness which belied their years and on members of the Veterans' Drum Corps, some of whom played at Lincoln's funeral, and all of them brave in uniforms of blue.

50 Years Ago

June 15, 1971

One of the most colorful, distinctive personalities to come to Condon in a long time entertained at the Roundup Room a while back. He is not the type of entertainer that one would expect to find in a cocktail

lounge or tavern, but he is certainly an entertainer in his own right. He is billed as the world's fastest artist and Joe Breckenridge can paint a picture while other artists are putting on their smocks. He has been known to paint a picture in 45 seconds, but it usually takes him, when he is not in a hurry, three to four minutes. Breckenridge, 75, is a cowboy artist, painting pictures typifying the west, and he is the old west personified.

25 Years Ago

June 15, 1996

As far as Chance Bissinger is concerned, the jubilant June 14 Flag Day celebration is a backdrop to his personal celebration of life. The third grader turned 8 on Friday and despite dealing with a medical problem since birth, nothing seems to slow him down. Bissinger was born with a condition called tracheal mylaxia in which the cartilage rings that normally keep the windpipe open are instead soft and collapsible. That means the tube entering his trachea at his throat filters the air he breathes, and also needs some maintenance, much like a nose does. But Chance, the "self-manager," has learned, with the support and direction of his mom, to mechanically suction mucous that could block his airway.

TODAY IN HISTORY

On June 15, 1215,

England's King John put his seal to Magna Carta ("the Great Charter") at Runnymede.

In 1775, the Second Continental Congress voted unanimously to appoint George Washington head of the Continental Army.

In 1902, the 20th Century Limited, an express passenger train between New York and Chicago, began service. (The Limited made its last run in December 1967.)

In 1904, more than 1,000 people died when fire erupted aboard the steamboat General Slocum in New York's East River.

In 1934, President Franklin D. Roosevelt signed an act

making the National Guard part of the U.S. Army in the event of war or national emergency.

In 1944, American forces began their successful invasion of Saipan during World War II. B-29 Superfortresses carried out their first raids on Japan.

In 1955, the United States and Britain signed a cooperation agreement concerning atomic information for "mutual defence purposes."

In 1988, the baseball romantic comedy "Bull Durham," starring Kevin Costner and Susan Sarandon, was released by Orion Pictures.

In 1991, Mount Pinatubo in the northern Philippines

exploded in one of the biggest volcanic eruptions of the 20th century, killing about 800 people.

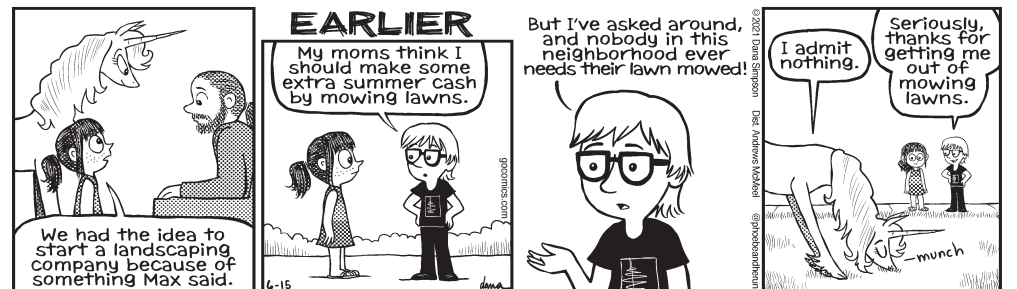
In 1996, Ella Fitzgerald, the "first lady of song," died in Beverly Hills, California, at age 79.

In 2003, with a deadline passed for Iraqis to hand in heavy weapons, U.S. forces fanned out across Iraq to seize arms and put down potential foes.

Today's Birthdays: Funk musician Leo Nocentelli (The Meters) is 75. Actor Polly Draper is 66. Actor Helen Hunt is 58. Actor-rapper Ice Cube is 52. Actor Neil Patrick Harris is 48. Olympic gold medal gymnast Madison Kocian is 24. Actor Sterling Jerins is 17.

PHOEBE AND HER UNICORN

BY DANA SIMPSON



BIG NATE

BY LINCOLN PEIRCE

