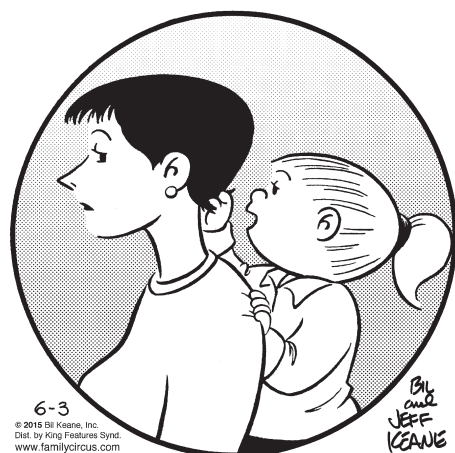
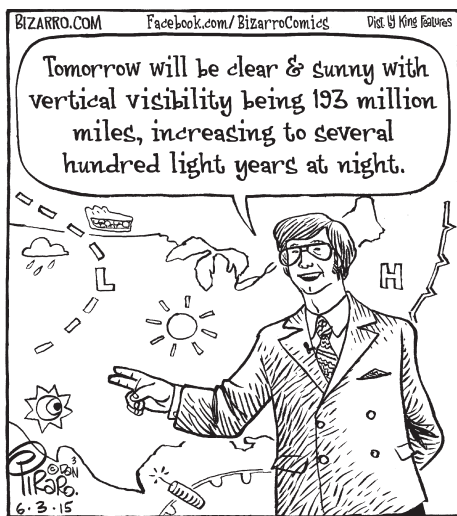


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"Mommy, where are the eyes that Billy says you have back here?"

BIZARRO | DAN PIRARO



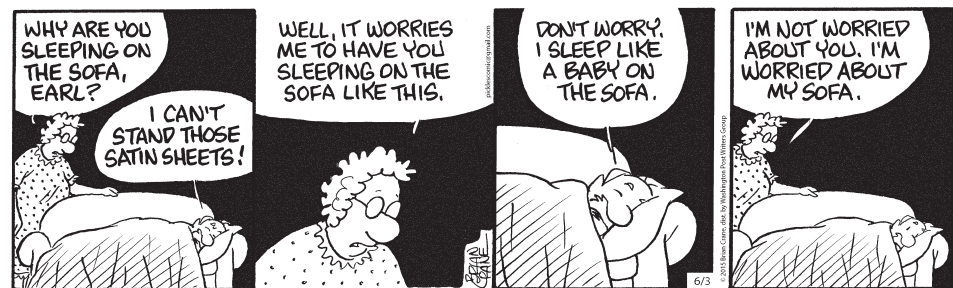
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Tomorrow will be clear & sunny with vertical visibility being 193 million miles, increasing to several hundred light years at night.

ZITS | JERRY SCOTT AND JIM BORGMAN



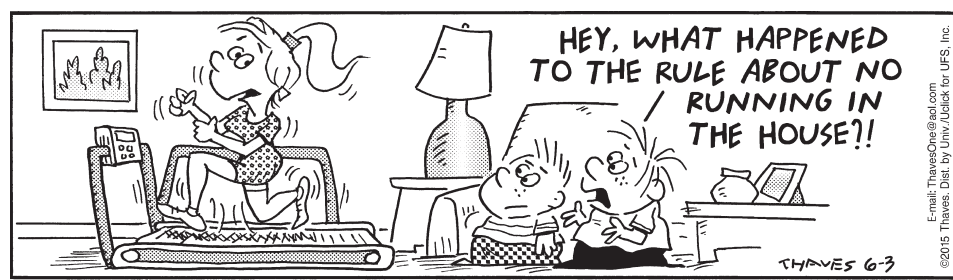
WHOOA!
I JUST HAD A STRONG URGE TO GO WANDER THE AISLES AT HOME DEPOT FOR NO APARENT REASON.
YES! THERE IS HOPE!

PICKLES | BRIAN CRANE



WHY ARE YOU SLEEPING ON THE SOFA, EARL?
WELL, IT WORRIES ME TO HAVE YOU SLEEPING ON THE SOFA LIKE THIS.
I CAN'T STAND THOSE SATIN SHEETS!
DON'T WORRY, I SLEEP LIKE A BABY ON THE SOFA.
I'M NOT WORRIED ABOUT YOU, I'M WORRIED ABOUT MY SOFA.

FRANK AND ERNEST | BOB THAVES



HEY, WHAT HAPPENED TO THE RULE ABOUT NO RUNNING IN THE HOUSE?!
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BORN LOSER | ART SAMSON



IT'S AMAZING WHAT A GOOD NIGHT'S SLEEP WILL DO FOR YOU! I FELT MISERABLE WHEN I WENT TO BED...
BUT I FELL SOUND ASLEEP AND WHEN I AWOKE THIS MORNING, I WAS FULLY RESTED AND FELT GREAT!
YOU SHOULD FEEL FULLY RESTED - YOU SLEPT RIGHT THROUGH TUESDAY!

PEANUTS | CHARLES M. SCHULZ



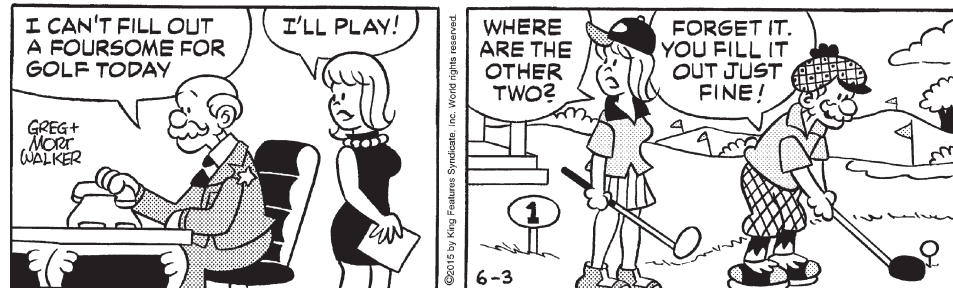
HERE I AM WALKING ACROSS THE AERODROME TO MY SCRATCH CAMEL...
THE WEATHER IS CLEAR... IT SHOULD BE A GOOD DAY...
MY MECHANIC LIKES TO PRETEND HE'S A WORLD WAR I FLYING ACE!

HAGAR THE HORRIBLE | CHRIS BROWNE



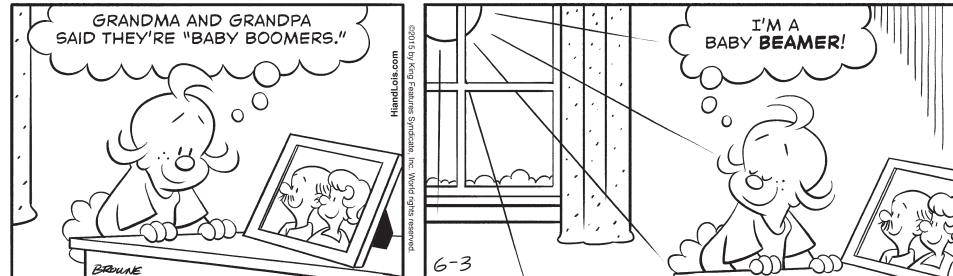
THIS YEAR I WANTED TO VACATION AT THE SHORE, BUT HAGAR WANTED TO GO TO THE MOUNTAINS!
WHAT DID YOU FINALLY DECIDE?
WHAT MOST PEOPLE DECIDE THESE DAYS
HAVE A COOKOUT IN THE BACKYARD!

BETLE BAILEY | MORT WALKER



I CAN'T FILL OUT A FOURSOME FOR GOLF TODAY
I'LL PLAY!
GREG + MORT WALKER
WHERE ARE THE OTHER TWO?
FORGET IT, YOU FILL IT OUT JUST FINE!

HI AND LOIS | BRIAN AND GREG WALKER



GRANDMA AND GRANDPA SAID THEY'RE "BABY BOOMERS."
I'M A BABY BEAMER!

FOR BETTER OR FOR WORSE | LYNN JOHNSTON



WHAT'S THIS? A PETITION MOM'S GETTING PEOPLE TO SIGN IT.
OK! LIZZIE, YOU DON'T SIGN A PETITION UNLESS YOU KNOW WHAT IT'S ABOUT.
WHAT'S IT ABOUT?
SOME OLD BUILDING SOMEWHERE.
OK!

GARFIELD | JIM DAVIS



BARK! BARK! BARK! BARK! BARK! BARK!
HEY! THIS IS WHERE YOU RUN IN TERROR!
I'LL MEET YOU PARTWAY.
HOWABOUT I SAUNTER IN TERROR?

Boyfriend With Hidden Child May Harbor Other Secrets

DEAR ABBY: I'm having a hard time getting over a secret my boyfriend, "Wayne," kept from me. We have been off and on for 14 years, but back on for the past four. The problem is, he had a child with a woman in a different country. The child is now 9. Wayne didn't mention it until four years ago, during our last breakup. It bothers me that he kept it from me.

I have since met the woman and the child, but my trust in my boyfriend is strained. In the back of my mind I keep wondering what else he hasn't told me. Abby, he was always against having kids with me. He said he didn't want any. Now I wonder if it was because he already had one.

Wayne is surprised I'm so challenged by this. He says he and the woman dated for only a few months, then broke up because he didn't feel they were compatible. She told me their child was the product of a one-night stand. Now I don't know who to believe. Please advise. - BETRAYED OUT WEST

DEAR BETRAYED: There is a reason why you and Wayne have been "off and on" for 14 years, and I'm guessing it's because he has a problem with commitment. Now it appears he may also have a problem leveling with you. If you have to make a choice about whom to believe, I think you should believe the mother of his child because by telling you what she did, it's clear she wasn't trying to make herself look any better.

DEAR ABBY: My 85-year-old mother told me that upon her death she is leaving each of her children a letter expressing to them how they have hurt her throughout the years. Never once has she acknowledged how deeply she has hurt us. It affected our childhood and adulthood. I think if she feels we hurt her, she should say it to us while she's living.

It has always been about Mom's needs, not ours. I, for one, plan to put her unopened letter in her coffin to be buried with her when the time comes. Her letter is just a final hurtful arrow to stab us with, and I already have had

a lifetime of that. I don't need her to damage me further.

Am I wrong? Normally parents leave heart-warming letters to give their children peace. She reads your column, so I hope she reconsiders. - ALREADY WOUNDED IN CALIFORNIA

DEAR ALREADY WOUNDED: You're not wrong. Your mother appears to be toxic. Sending her negativity down with her is a perfect solution in my opinion.



DEAR ABBY
Jeanne Phillips

DEAR ABBY: I am an Irish-American man with a problem of the heart. I recently began reconnecting on social media with a girl I knew in high school. I wrote her several times, and she said what I wrote was very sweet and kind. She told me, however, that she was seeing someone. I said I understood and did not want to mess up the relationship.

I decided to bide my time and hope she becomes free. I love her with all my heart, and this waiting is killing me. Should I keep bidding my time and waiting, or should I move on? - HOPING IN TENNESSEE

DEAR HOPING: When the woman told you she was seeing someone, she may have been trying to tell you kindly that she isn't interested in a romance with you. For you to put your life on hold waiting for a woman you haven't seen since high school would be a mistake, and that's why I'm advising you to move on.

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JACQUELINE BIGAR'S STARS

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you might have to. Others seem to enjoy your upbeat nature, but a boss expects more, and that becomes clear. Avoid a problem rather than create one. Tonight: Be fluid.

VIRGO (AUG. 23-SEPT. 22)

★★★★ You will want to rethink a matter more thoroughly. You might not realize how important this issue is for you until something goes wrong. Keep a steady course. Reiterate any question if you are not clear about the response. Tonight: Go out and let off some steam.

LIBRA (SEPT. 23-OCT. 22)

★★★★ Speak your mind and get past an issue. Everything will work out, though perhaps not immediately. For now, you need to be more in touch with what you need rather than what others need. News heads in from a distance, and quite quickly at that. Tonight: Out and about.

SCORPIO (OCT. 23-NOV. 21)

★★★ Use good sense with your finances. You need to hear what someone else has to say. You might be thinking of an investment for which you will need to carefully weigh the pros and cons. Tonight: Have an important discussion with someone in the know.

SAGITTARIUS (NOV. 22-DEC. 21)

★★★★ You will appreciate the support you get from several people. The real question is: Can you open up more without feeling like you are taking a risk? Someone might surprise you with an insight that is not only provocative but also exciting. Tonight: A quick check on your budget.

CAPRICORN (DEC. 22-JAN. 19)

★★★★ You could be much more involved in a situation than you need to be. Why not deal with the issue another day? Tomorrow would work. Try to stay out of noncontroversial waters, as it probably won't bring you any kind of benefit. Tonight: How about a massage?

AQUARIUS (JAN. 20-FEB. 18)

★★★★ You will zero in on what is important and go full speed ahead. You could discover that the time has come to act. Use caution with someone whom you need to have an important discussion with. You might reveal a lot about yourself. Tonight: Get some extra R and R.

PISCES (FEB. 19-MARCH 20)

★★★ No one likes dealing with mayhem, especially with finances, but you'll witness a friend create just that. You could be taken aback by this person's bluntness. Know that you need to get involved. Just be polite, and don't let him or her get to you. Tonight: Time for some fun.

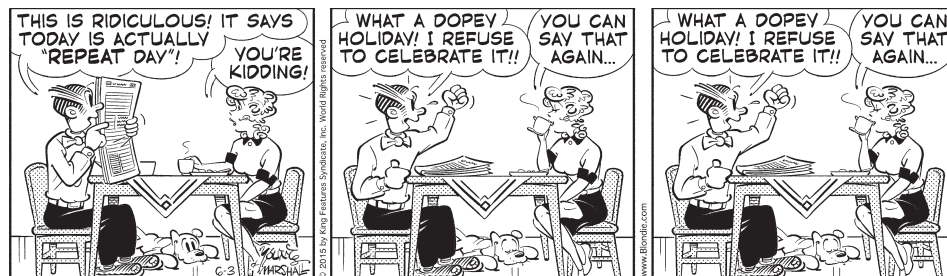
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BABY BLUES | RICK KIRKMAN AND JERRY SCOTT



WHEN WHAT DOES THE COW SAY? MOOOO!
WHAT DOES THE DOGGY SAY? WOOF!
WHAT DOES THE SHEEP SAY? BAAAA!
WHAT DOES THE BIG SISTER SAY? I'M TELLING!
I'M TELLING!

BLONDIE | YOUNG & DRAKE



THIS IS RIDICULOUS! IT SAYS TODAY IS ACTUALLY "REPEAT DAY!" YOU'RE KIDDING!
WHAT A DOPEY HOLIDAY! I REFUSE TO CELEBRATE IT!! YOU CAN SAY THAT AGAIN...
WHAT A DOPEY HOLIDAY! I REFUSE TO CELEBRATE IT!! YOU CAN SAY THAT AGAIN...

MOTHER GOOSE AND GRIMM | MIKE PETERS



YOU MIGHT WANT TO TAKE THOSE SPEED BUMPS A LITTLE SLOWER