

# Comic Section

## THE FAMILY CIRCUS®

By **BIL KEANE**

As an early gift for Daddy, seven-year-old Billy fills in as guest artist.



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Start being extra polite. It pays.



Get your wish list on the internet. It could be seen by grandparents, aunts, Uncles, friends, etc.



Make sure your tree has plenty of room under it for presents.

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Talk very loud to Santa. He's a bit hard of hearing.

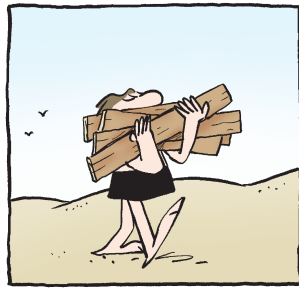
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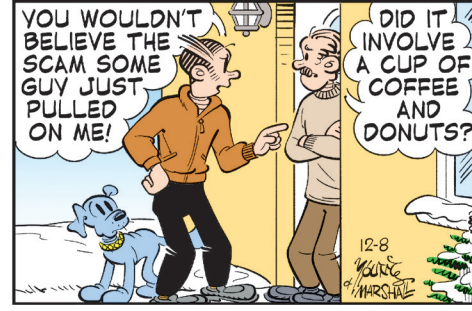
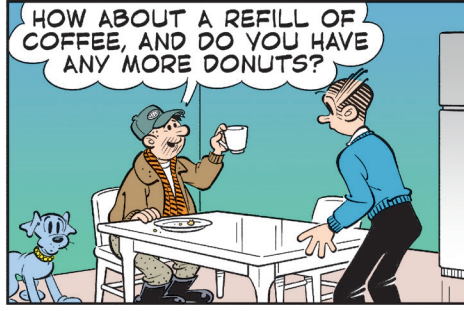
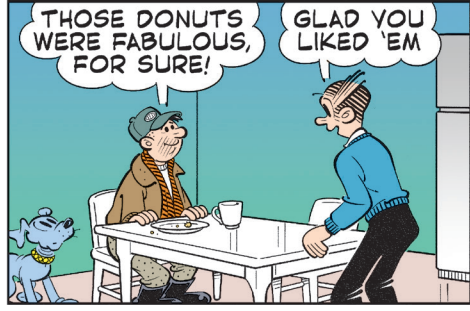
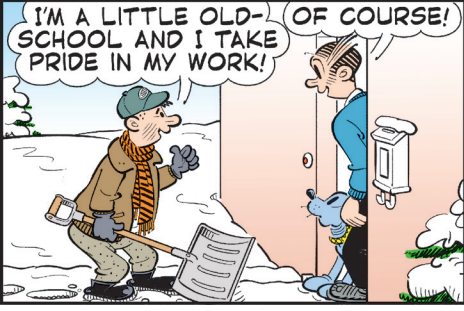
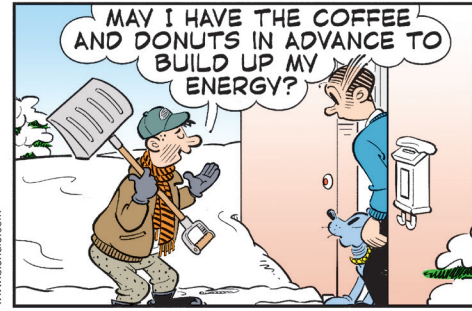
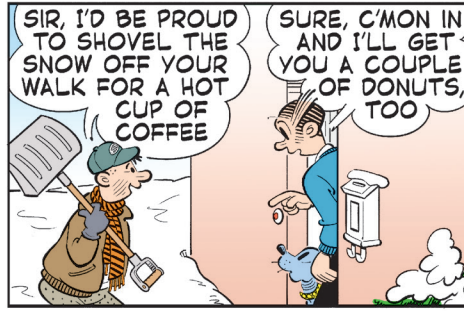
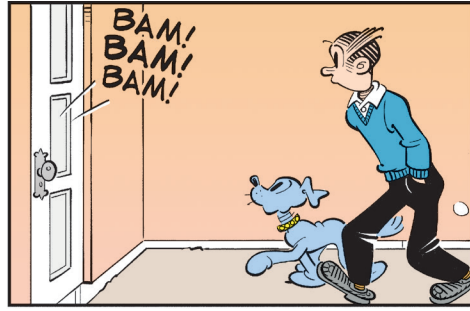
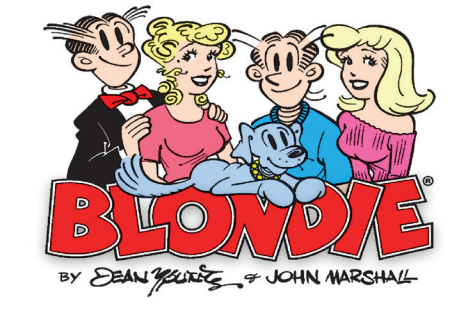
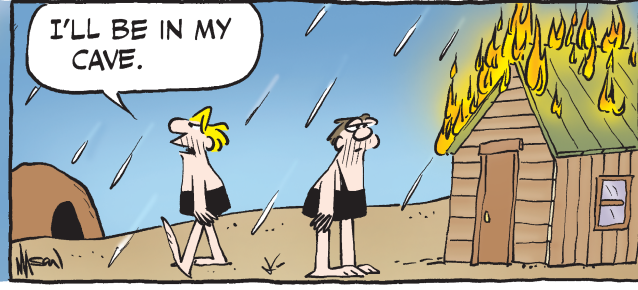
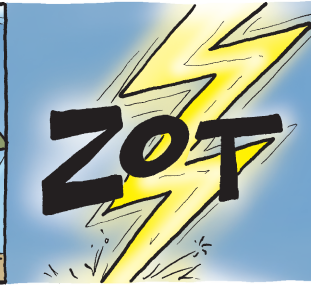
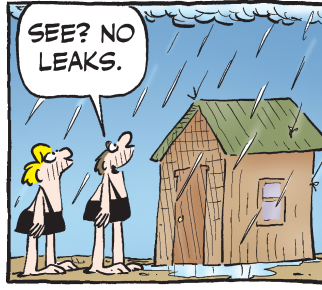
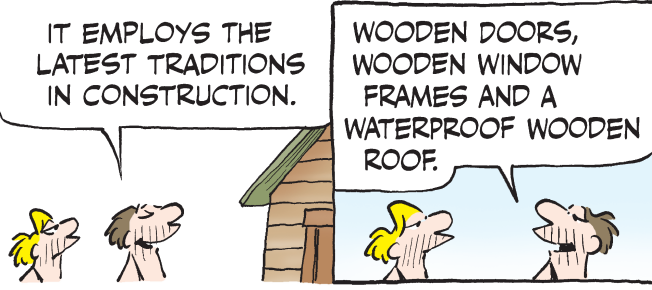
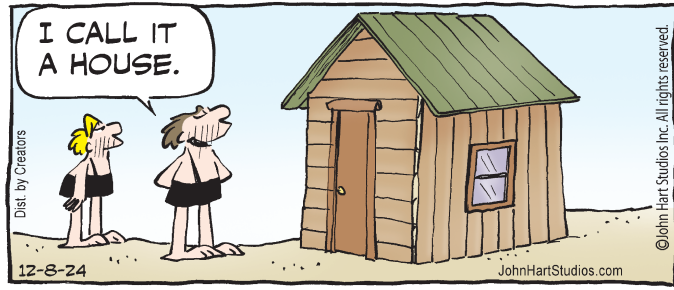
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# BY MASTROIANNI AND HART

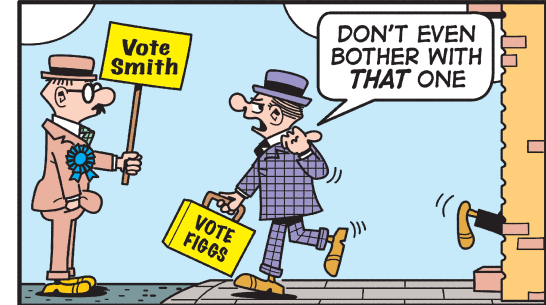
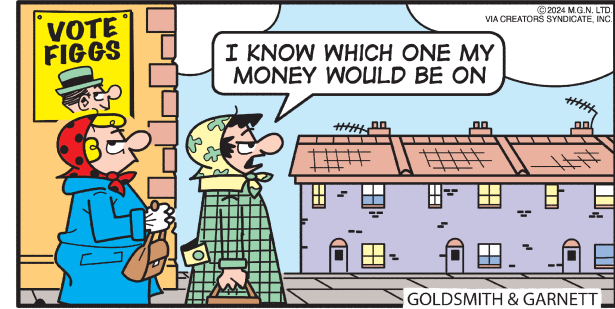
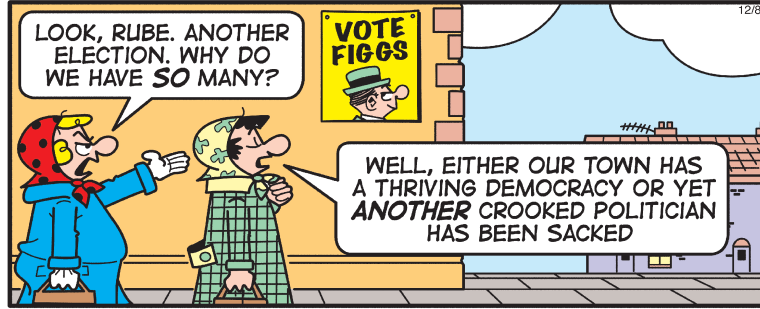
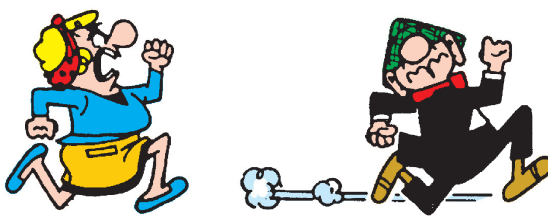


HAMMER SAW SAW SAW  
NAIL SAW HAMMER  
SAW SAW HAMMER  
HAMMER NAIL.



# ANDY CAPP

by Smythe



# FOR BETTER OR FOR WORSE

By LYNN JOHNSTON

GROANNN...

... ANOTHER EXAM TO STUDY FOR!

DO THEY KNOW HOW MUCH WE SUFFER?!!

AAAGHHHH!!  
WHY DO WE HAFTA KNOW THIS STUFF? WHY?

I MEAN, WHO CARES HOW THIS AN' THAT DESIGN WAS INVENTED BY THE ROMANS?

IT'S NO FAIR!

AN' WHO CARES ABOUT PLAUTUS AN' AESCHYLUS - THEY DIED A MILLION YEARS AGO - AN' SO DID STANISLAVSKI!!

THIS PART OF OUR ENGLISH COURSE IS **INSANE!!!**

AN' WORDS LIKE CATHARSIS, HISTRIONIC, PROTAGONIST, HUBRIS... I'M SUPPOSED TO KNOW WHAT THEY MEAN?!!

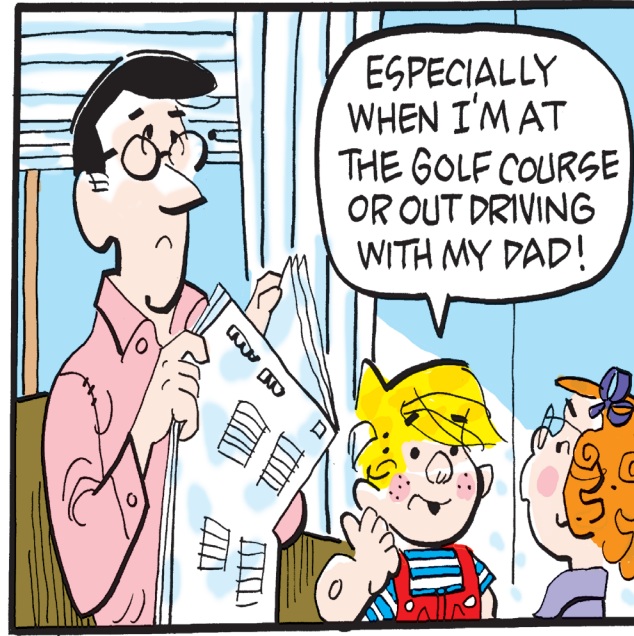
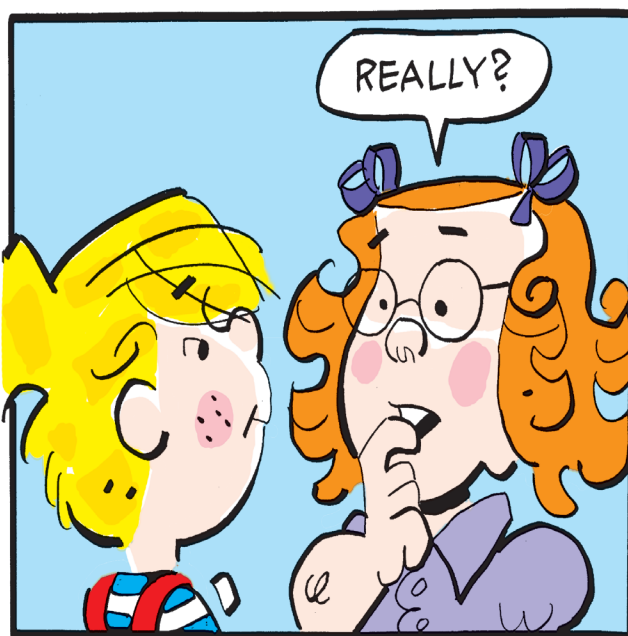
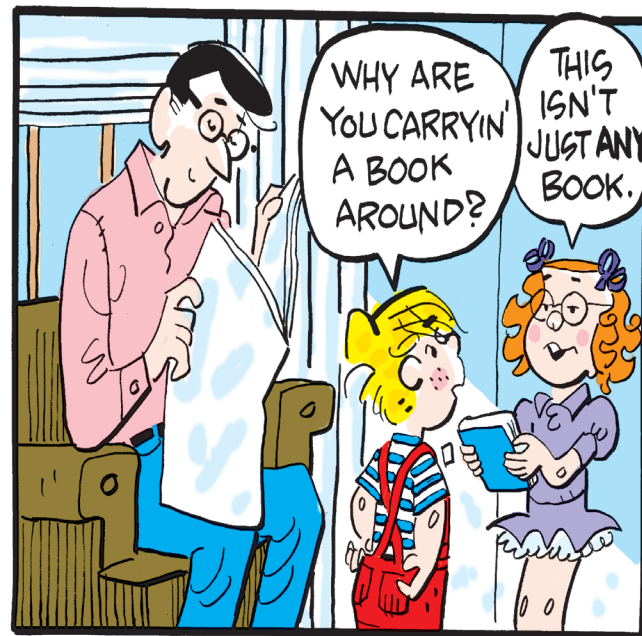
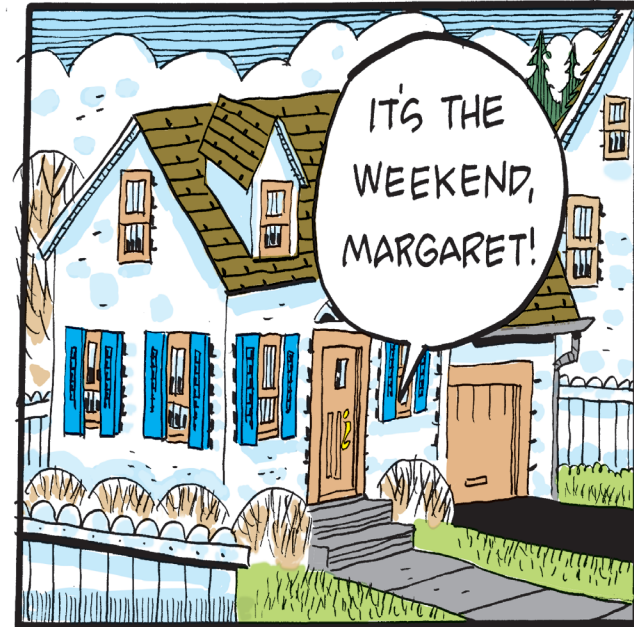
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I SIMPLY CANNOT!!

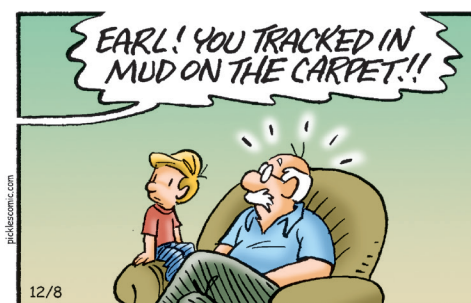
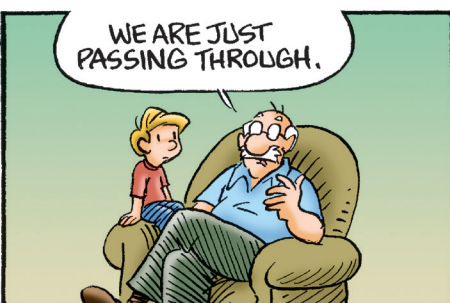
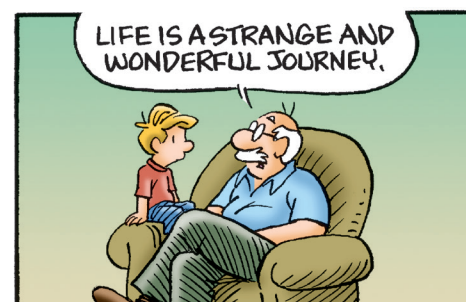
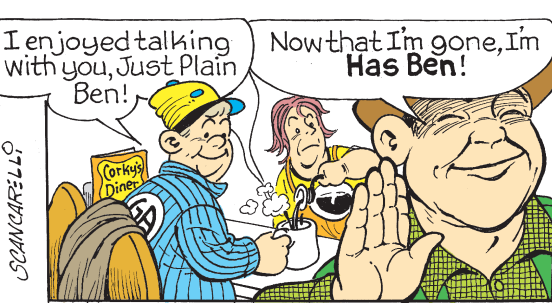
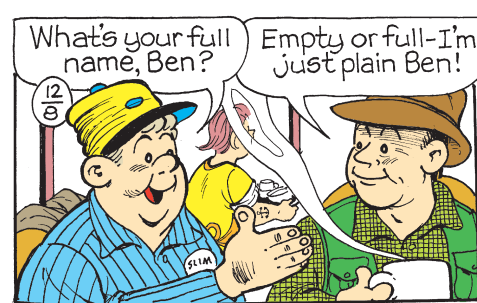
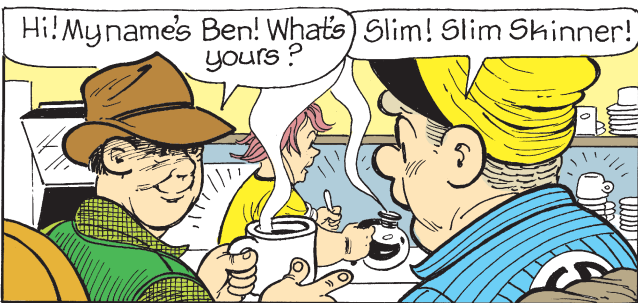
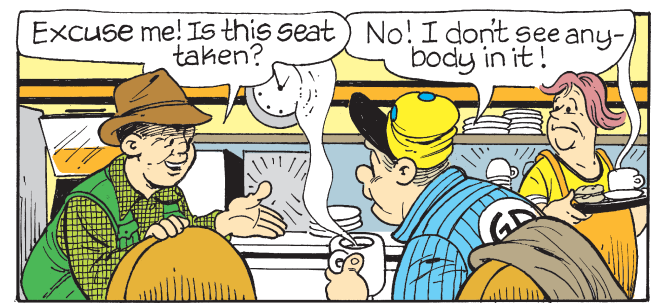
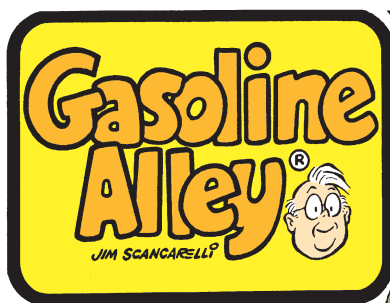
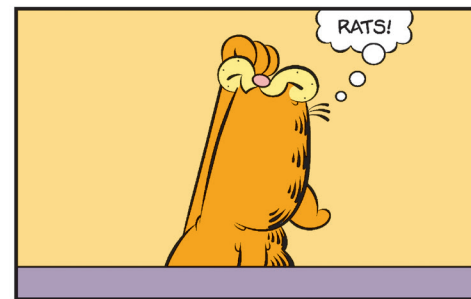
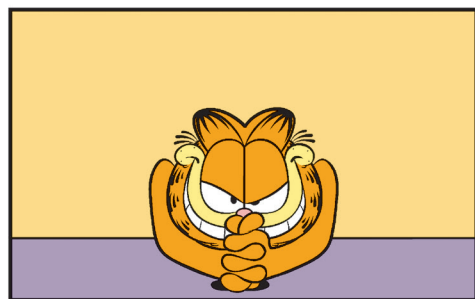
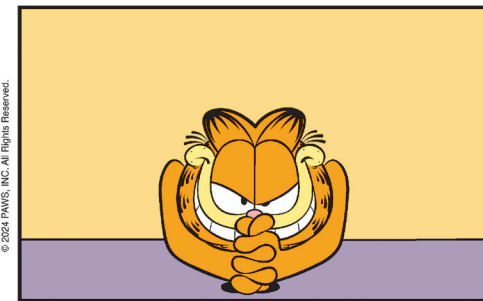
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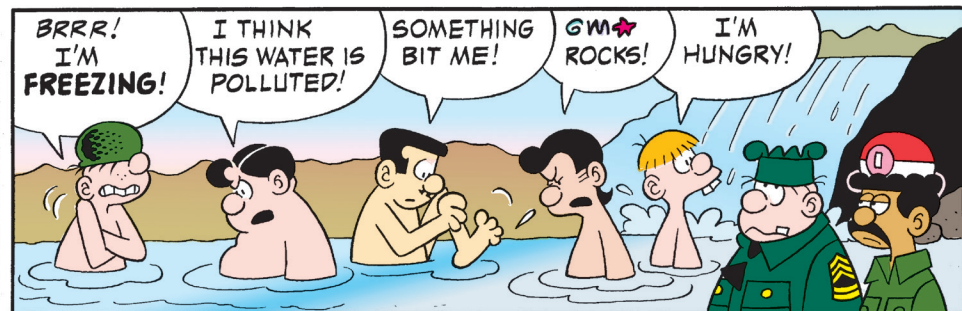
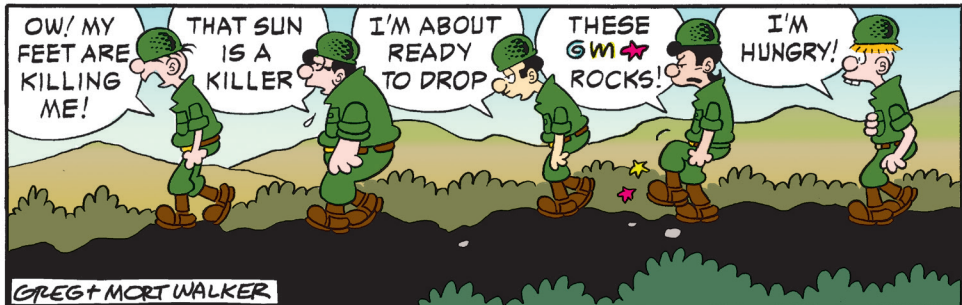
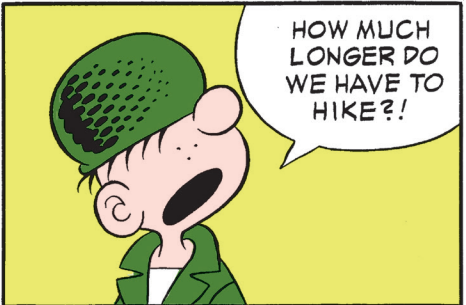
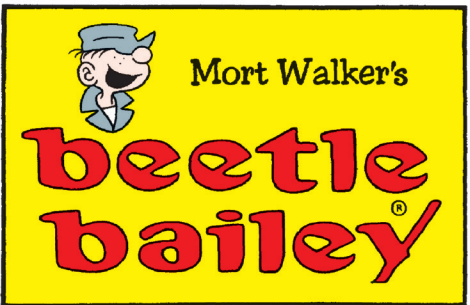
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Hank Ketchum's **Dennis the Menace**

**WORD!!!**







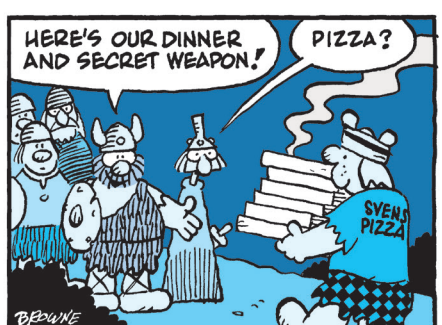
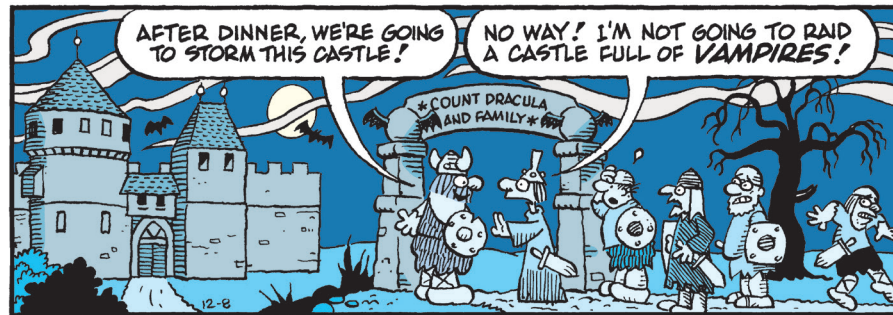
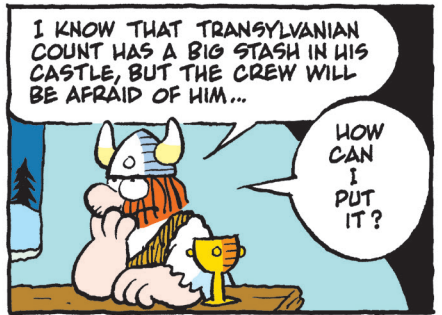
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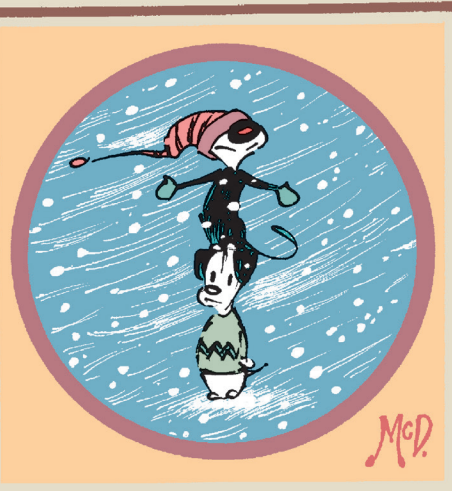
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the horrible  
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# MUTTS



EVERY SNOWFLAKE IS DIFFERENT.

SHOME MORE THAN OTHERS.

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## MARY WORTH

"ONE WAY TO GET THE MOST OUT OF LIFE IS TO LOOK UPON IT AS AN ADVENTURE."  
- WILLIAM FEATHER

I SPOKE TO MARY AND SHE AGREED TO SUB FOR ME ON MY ADVICE COLUMN!

I COULD TELL SHE'S EAGER TO DO IT AGAIN!

WHEN WILBUR TELLS DAWN HE'S LEAVING ON ASSIGNMENT...

AFTER MY WORK INTERVIEWING HURRICANE SURVIVORS IS DONE, I'M HEADING TO CANCUN...

HOW LONG WILL YOU BE THERE?

AT LEAST A MONTH, MAYBE MORE...

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I NEED TO CLEAR MY HEAD AND SOME TIME AWAY WILL DO ME GOOD! THIS TOWN HAS TOO MANY CRINGE MEMORIES...

TAKE CARE OF YOURSELF, DAWNIE!

YOU KNOW I WILL, DAD!...

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MEANWHILE...

I THINK I'LL INVITE DAWN OVER FOR DINNER WHILE HER FATHER IS AWAY!

# REX MORGAN M.D.

SORRY, MA'AM. THE LAW IN THIS STATE IS WE HAVE TO IMPOUND ANY DOG THAT BITES SOMEONE.

BUT WHAT'LL HAPPEN TO BUSTER?

Wheeeoooo wheeeoooo

IF WE CAN PROVE HE WAS PROTECTING YOUR HUSBAND FROM AN ATTACKER, HE'LL BE RETURNED. OTHERWISE...

MERLE IS RUSHED TO GLENWOOD HOSPITAL.

MERLE! WHAT HAPPENED?

I WENT FOR A WALK!

EMERGENCY

SOMEBODY TRIED TO ROB ME. STABBED ME BEFORE I COULD GIVE HIM MY WALLET.

WE'LL GET YOU TAKEN CARE OF, MERLE.

Tony Beatty 12-8-24

TAKE HIM STRAIGHT INTO SURGERY.

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MEANWHILE.

DUDE! THIS DOG BITE IS DEEP! WON'T STOP BLEEDING.

YOU NEED TO SEE A DOCTOR.

YEAH -- I THINK YOU'RE RIGHT.

# PEANUTS

featuring  
"Good ol'  
Charlie Brown"  
by SCHULZ

