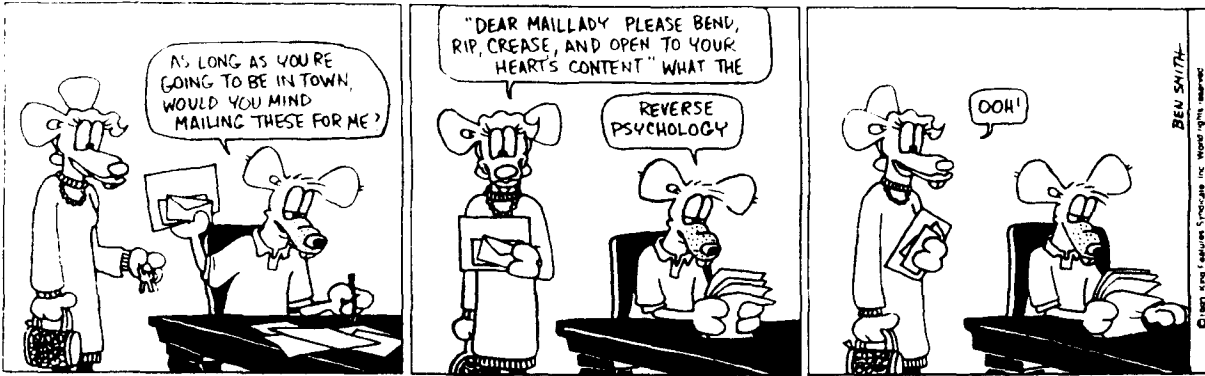
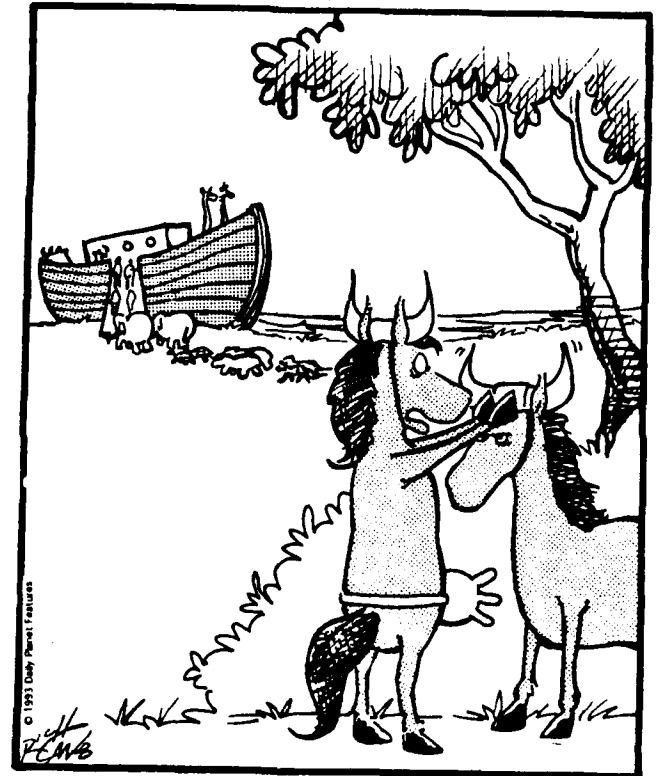


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CHAOS by Brian Shuster



"I know it's a long shot, but heck, he already has a pair of horses."

THE SPATS by JEFF PICKERING



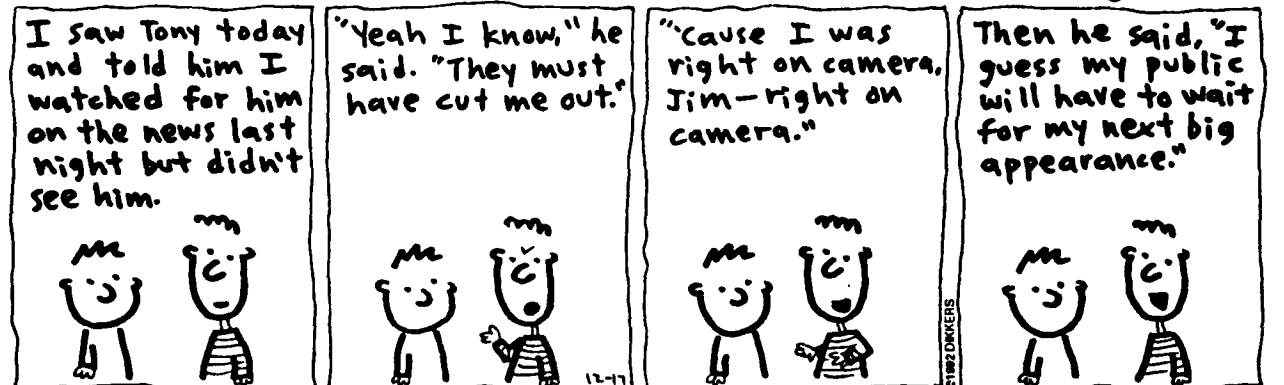
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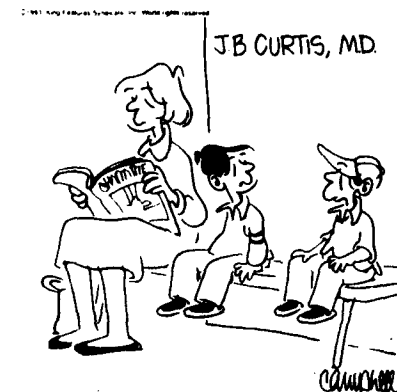


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"For what you want to say, sir, the only thing I can suggest is poison ivy."



"The least little sniffle and she brings me here for medicine that makes me drowsy."

Your Real Horoscope

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Aries: (Mar. 21-Apr. 19) Enjoy chewing while you can because by the time you're forty you'll be wearing either full dentures or partials.

Taurus: (Apr. 20-May 20) Be nice to others today. When the repo men come to take away your car, offer them some tea.

Gemini: (May 21-June 21) Get your priorities straight. Renew your commitment to lawn bowling.

Cancer: (June 22-July 22) A ski trip to Vermont is marred by the appearance of a bloodthirsty snow bunny.

Leo: (July 23-Aug. 22) A photojournalist from a major magazine wants to do a piece on you. The subject: People Who Act Like Dorks.

Virgo: (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Your horoscope for today may be obtained by reading the "Daring Mad..." in...

Jacksons.

Libra: (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) You must give an offering to the sacred baboon or you'll be dead by dawn.

Scorpio: (Oct. 24-Nov. 21) Remove all the money from your checking and get a full body tattoo.

Sagittarius: (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) Enjoy wildlife today. Take a rifle to the nearest wildlife refuge and shoot at anything that moves.

Capricorn: (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) You might have more of a social life if you weren't such a worm.

Aquarius: (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) Now's the time to change hobbies. Why not try collecting human heads?

Pisces: (Feb. 19-Mar. 20) Get ready for a wild ride. Your car may have more on it than just that will be the end of the...