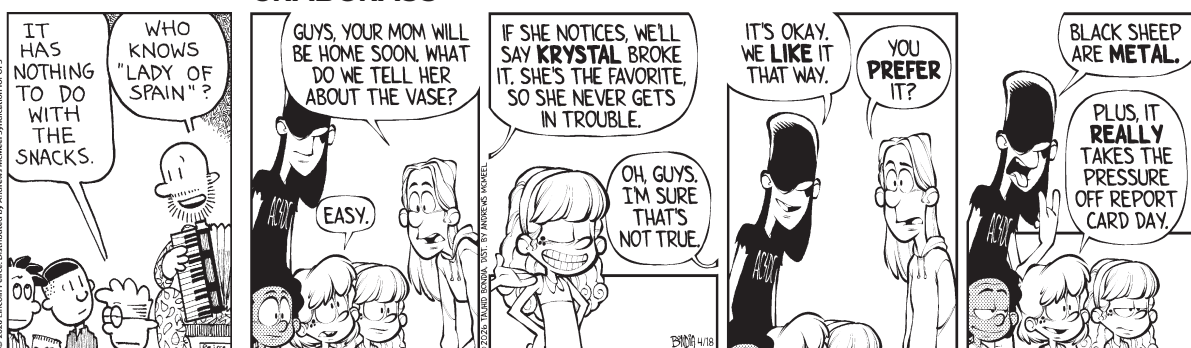


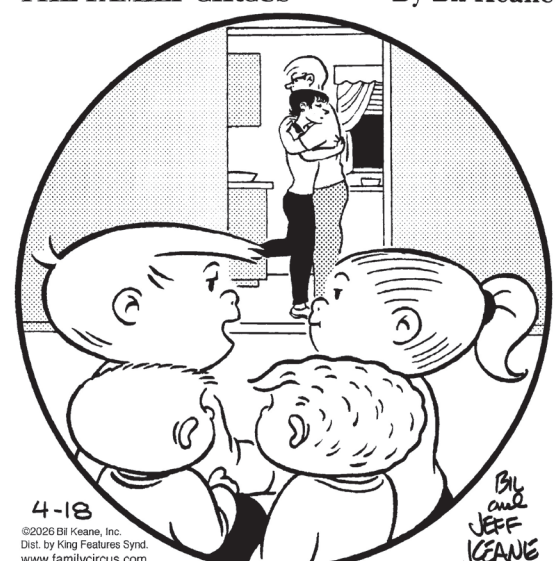
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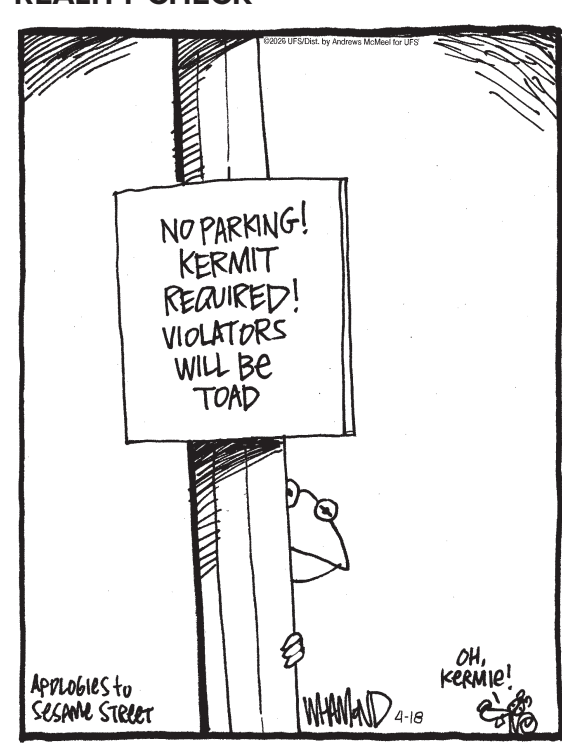
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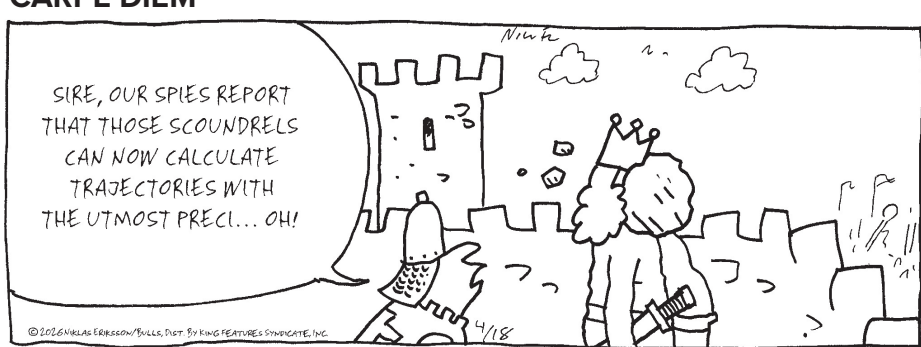
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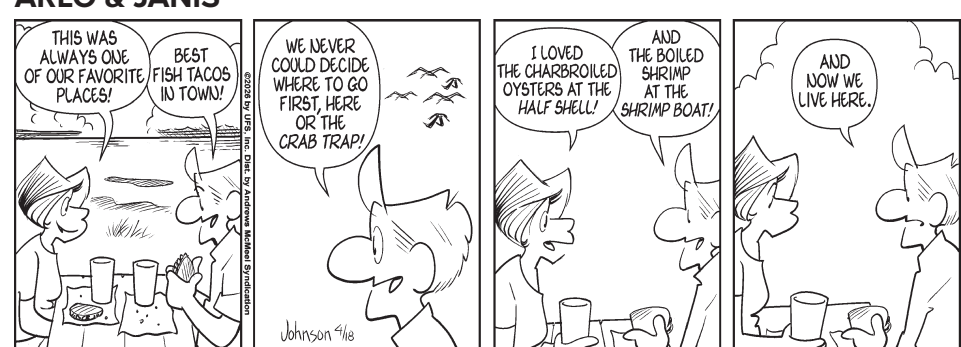
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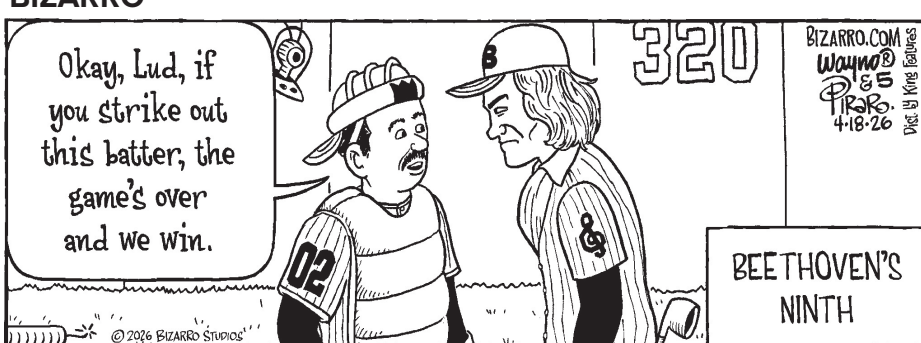
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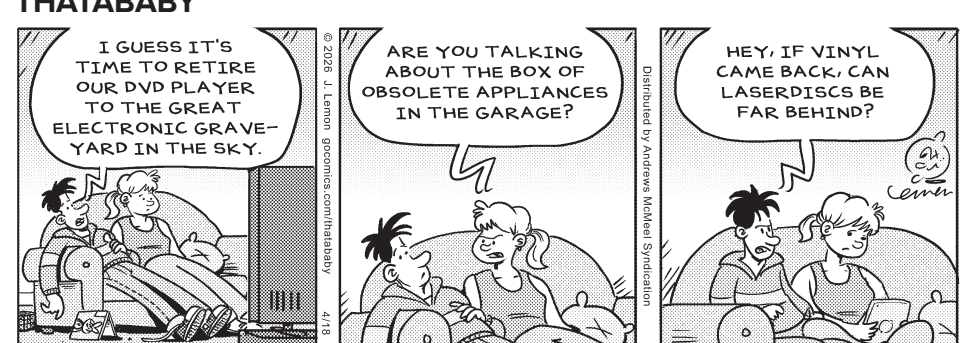
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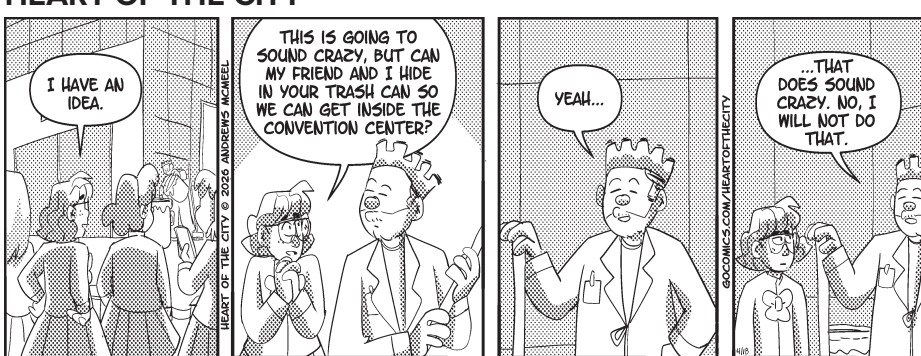
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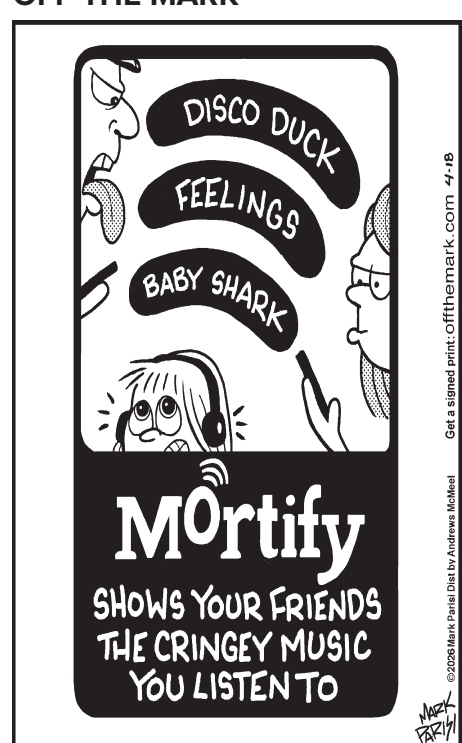
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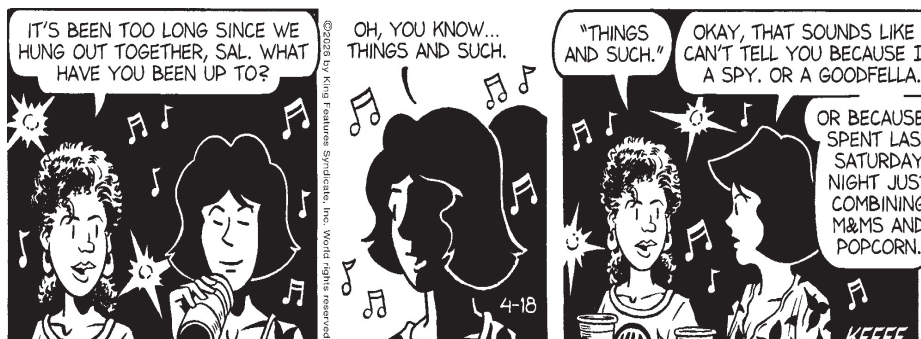
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KIDTOWN TRUE but STRANGE
Mud pools, hot springs and geysers form in some areas when underground gases and water escape. One of the most famous examples is the geyser called Old Faithful in Yellowstone Park. Old Faithful erupts around 20 times a day, blasting water and steam up to 180 feet in the air.

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Magma is molten rock from deep beneath the surface of the Earth. Every once in a while, this molten rock, along with ash and gases, erupts through an opening in the Earth's crust. When the molten rock reaches the air, it is called lava.

Over millions of years, the lava forms mountains around these eruption sites. These mountains are called volcanoes. The opening on the top of the volcano is called a crater. Some volcanoes become extinct and will not erupt again. The others are called dormant.

The words listed below are hidden in our puzzle. They may go across, down or diagonally, in any direction. Mark them as you find them, and the remaining 13 letters, when read in order, spell out the name of the volcano, located in Washington state, considered to be the most active in the contiguous United States.

**M
HSA
GOVNV
ESTMAST
YONACLOVH
SELGEGLAZEN
EPUMICEXTINCT
RCRATERSTNAMROD**

ANSWER:
MOUNT ST. HELENS

Yellowstone Park is mainly located in Wyoming, although it spreads into Idaho and Montana. Many place names contain colors — there is even a country called Greenland. Look through today's paper to see if you can find three places whose name contains a color.

**ASH CRATER DORMANT
EXTINCT GAS GEYSER
GLAZE LAVA MAGMA
PUMICE VOLCANO**

