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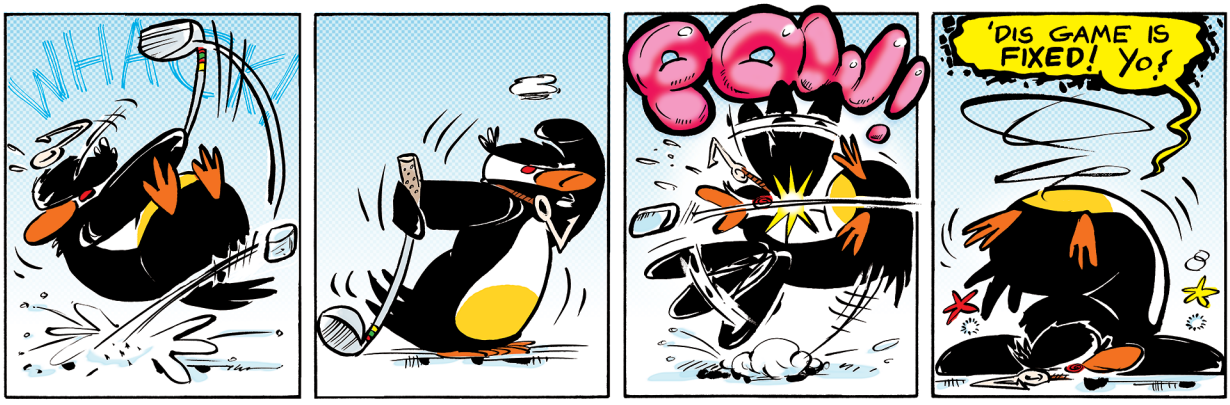


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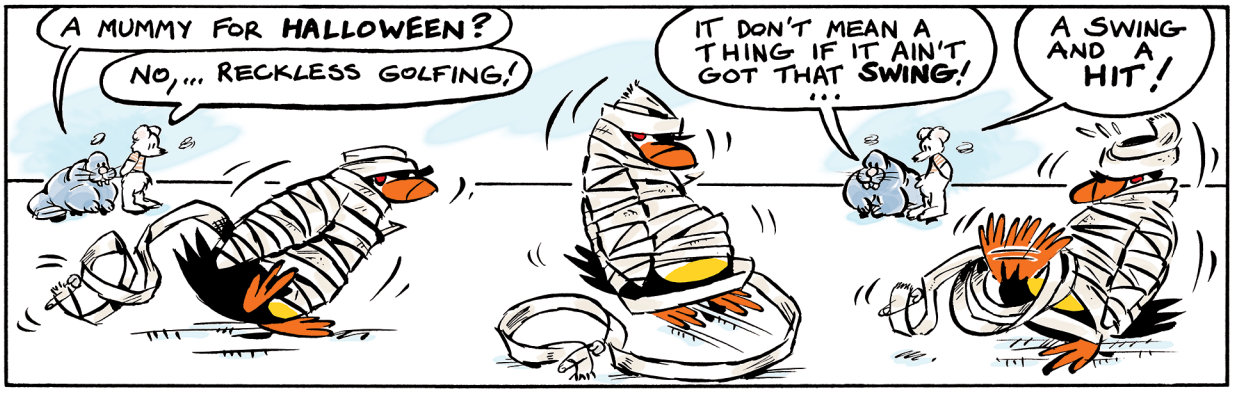
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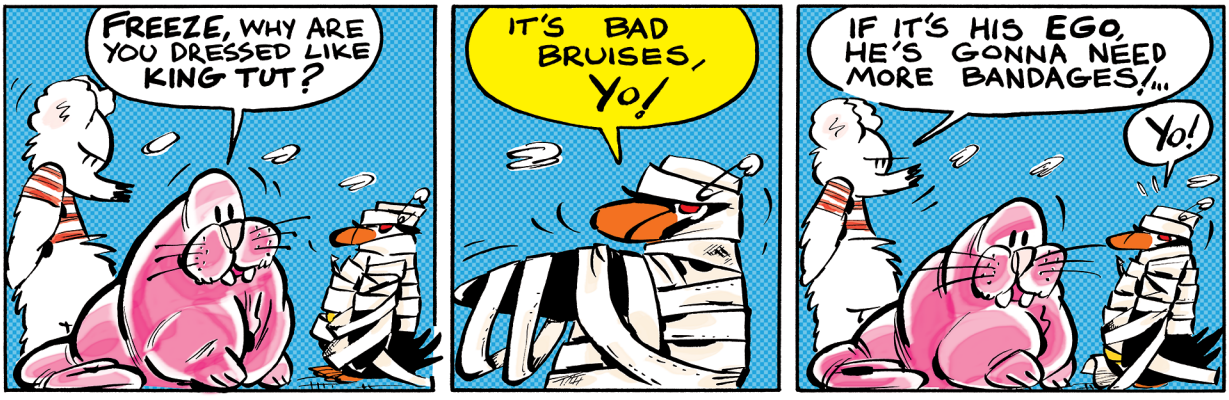
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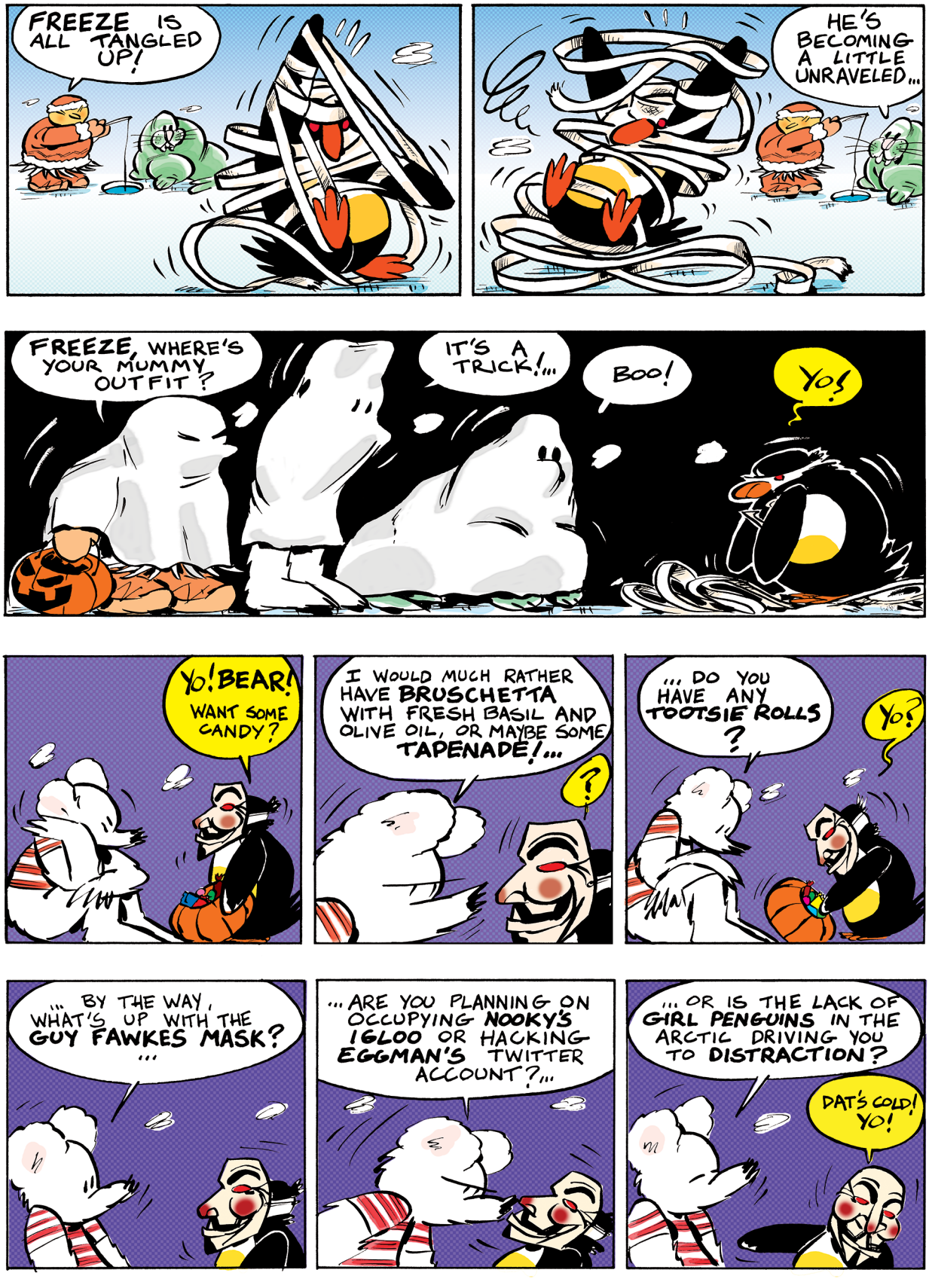

WHAA
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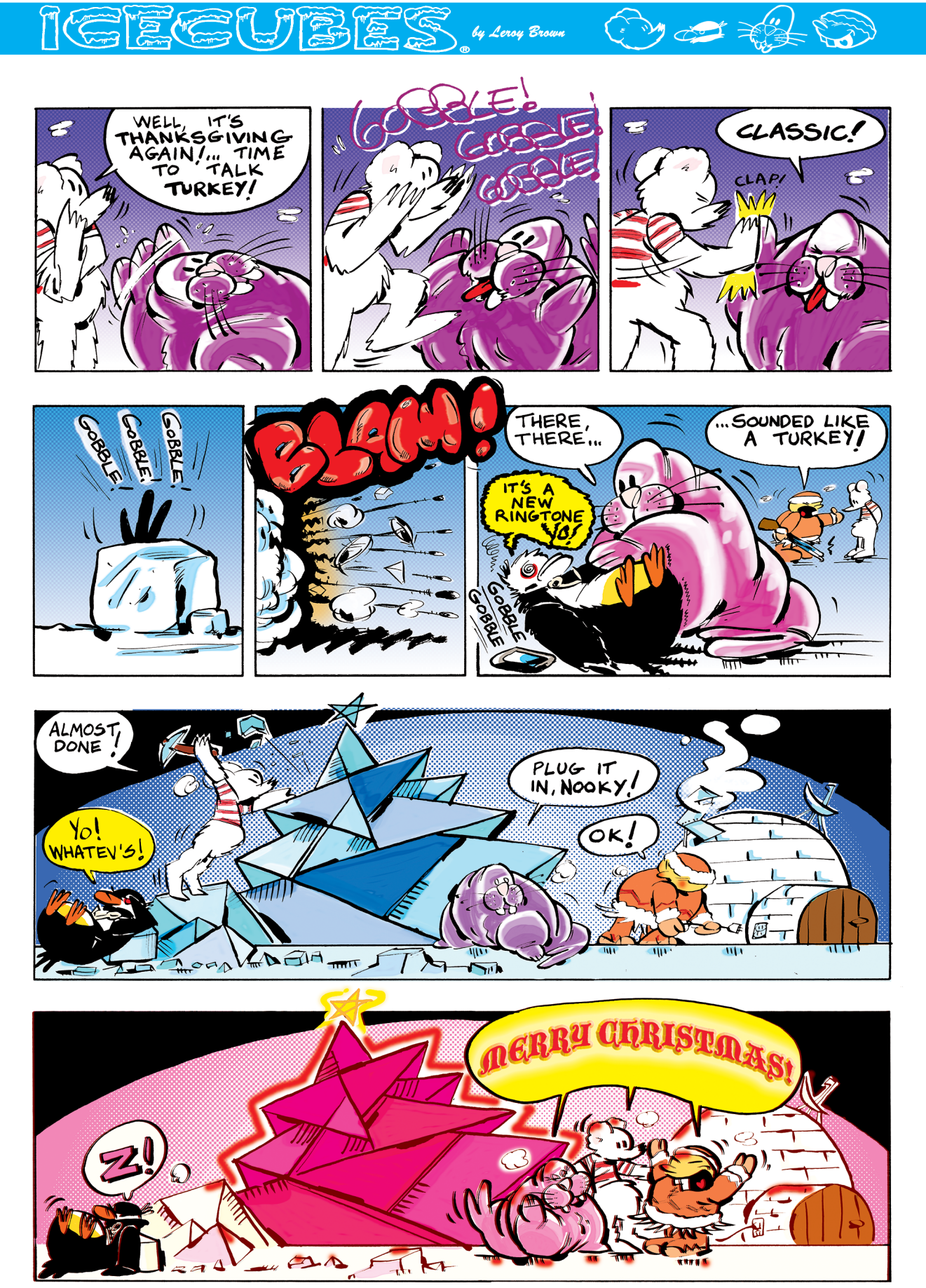

WHACK!
BAM!
'DIS GAME IS FIXED! Yo!


HEY FREEZE, WHAT HAPPENED?
I HAS A SPORTS RELATED INJURY!
Yo!
OH GOOD! I THOUGHT IT MIGHT HAVE BEEN A PRIDE RELATED INJURY!
Yo!

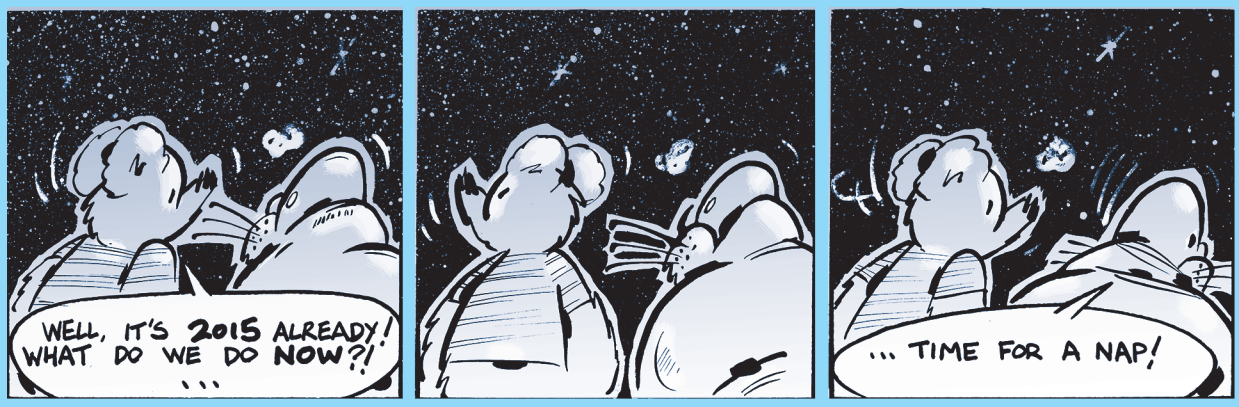

A MUMMY FOR HALLOWEEN?
NO,... RECKLESS GOLFING!
IT DON'T MEAN A THING IF IT AIN'T GOT THAT SWING!
...
A SWING AND A HIT!

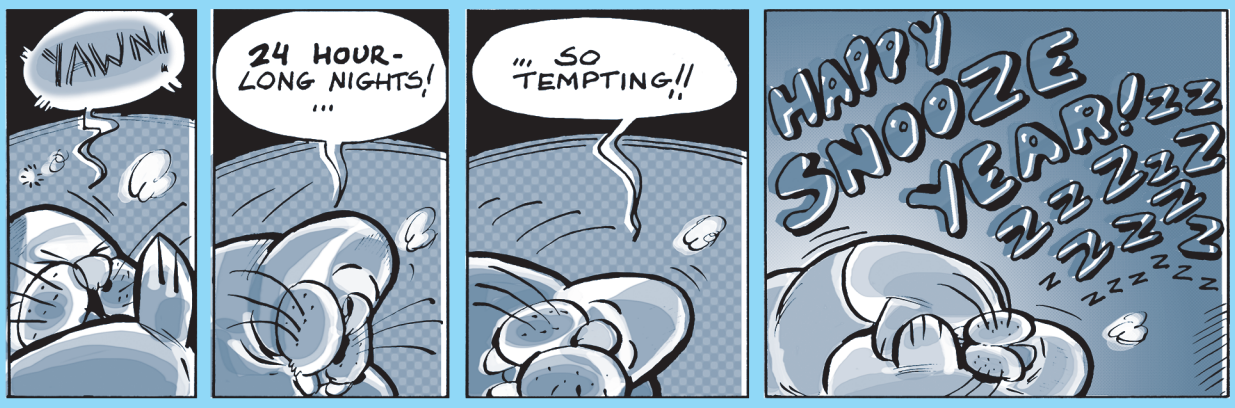

FREEZE, WHY ARE YOU DRESSED LIKE KING TUT?
IT'S BAD BRUISES, Yo!
IF IT'S HIS EGO, HE'S GONNA NEED MORE BANDAGES!...
Yo!


FREEZE IS ALL TANGLED UP!
HE'S BECOMING A LITTLE UNRAVELED...
FREEZE, WHERE'S YOUR MUMMY OUTFIT?
IT'S A TRICK!...
BOO!
YO!
YO! BEAR! WANT SOME CANDY?
I WOULD MUCH RATHER HAVE BRUSCHETTA WITH FRESH BASIL AND OLIVE OIL, OR MAYBE SOME TAPENADE!...
?
... DO YOU HAVE ANY TOOTSIE ROLLS ?
YO?
... BY THE WAY, WHAT'S UP WITH THE GUY FAWKES MASK? ...
... ARE YOU PLANNING ON OCCUPYING NOOKY'S IGLOO OR HACKING EGGMAN'S TWITTER ACCOUNT?...
... OR IS THE LACK OF GIRL PENGUINS IN THE ARCTIC DRIVING YOU TO DISTRACTION?
DAT'S COLD! YO!

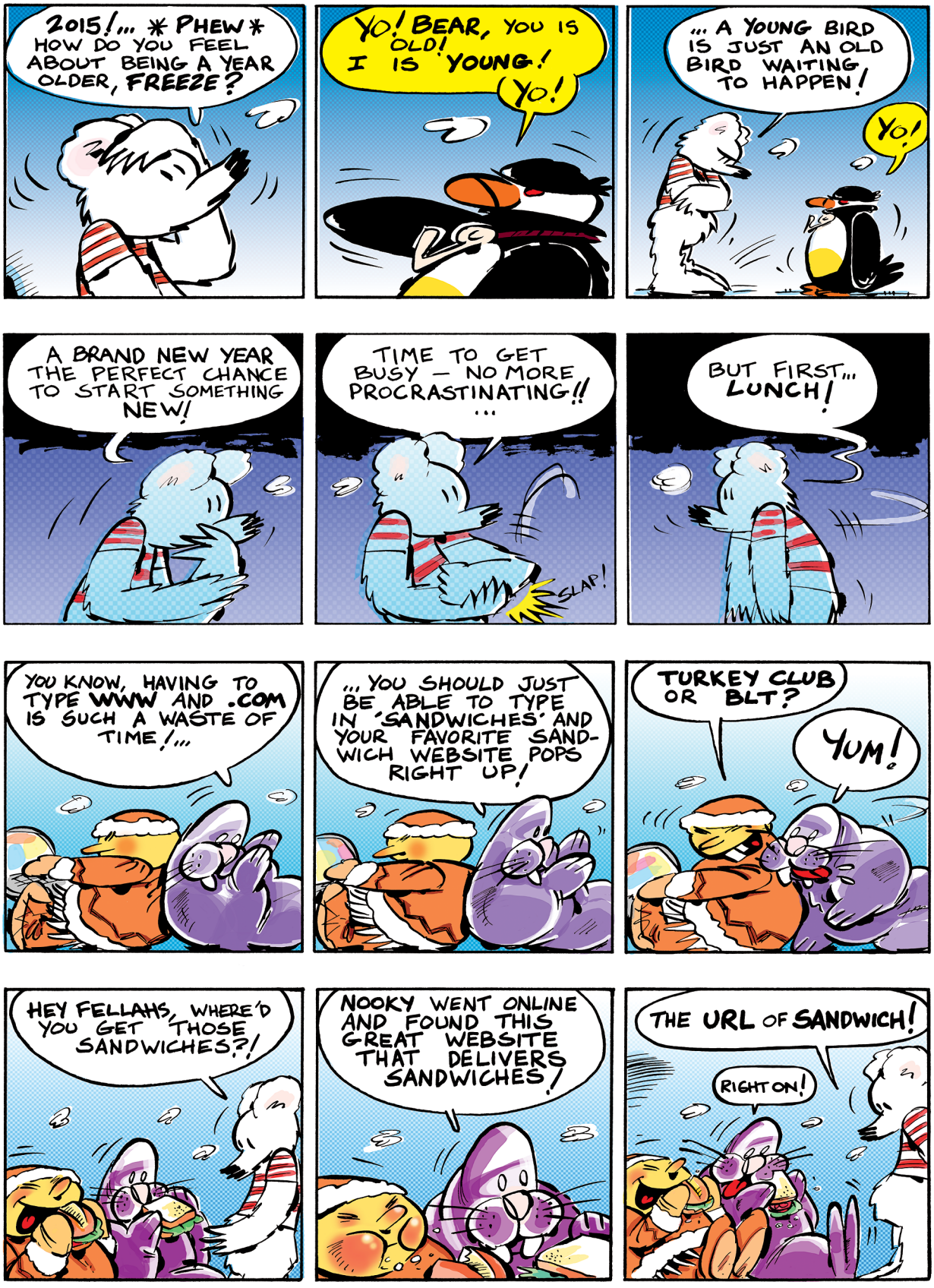

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WELL, IT'S THANKSGIVING AGAIN!... TIME TO TALK TURKEY!
GOBBLE! GOBBLE! GOBBLE!
CLASSIC!
CLAP!
GOBBLE!
GOBBLE!
GOBBLE!
BLAM!
THERE, THERE...
...SOUNDED LIKE A TURKEY!
IT'S A NEW RINGTONE YO!
GOBBLE
GOBBLE
ALMOST DONE!
YO! WHATEV'S!
PLUG IT IN, NOOKY!
OK!
Z!
MERRY CHRISTMAS!


HAPPY NEW YEAR EGGMAN!
HAPPY NEW YEAR PECKINPAW!
WHAT'S YOUR NEW YEARS' RESOLUTION?
WATCH LESS TV AND LISTEN TO MORE JAZZ!
RIGHT ON!

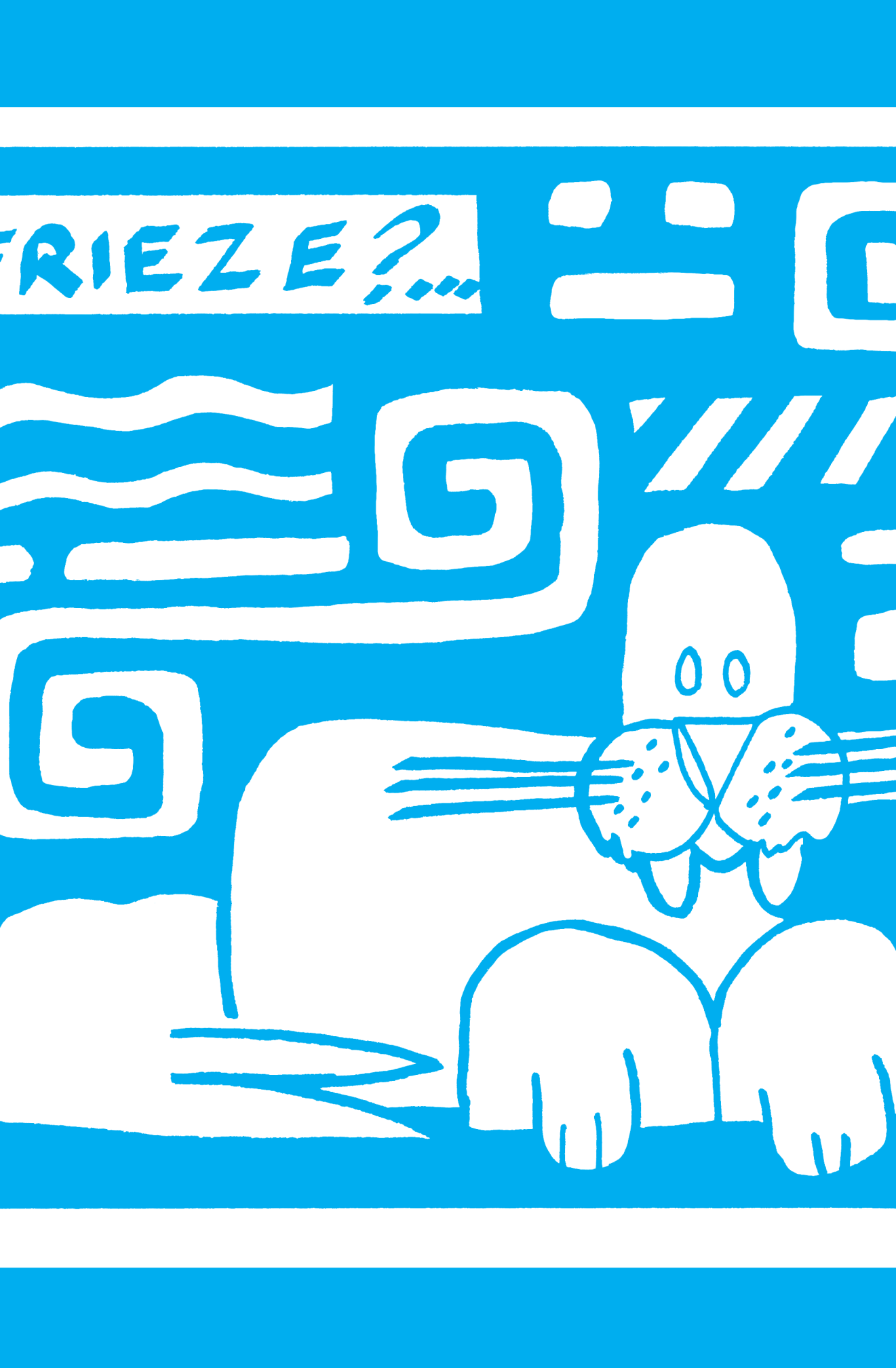

WELL, IT'S 2015 ALREADY! WHAT DO WE DO NOW?!
...
... TIME FOR A NAP!


YAWN!
24 HOUR-LONG NIGHTS!
... SO TEMPTING!!
HAPPY SNOOZE YEAR!ZZZ

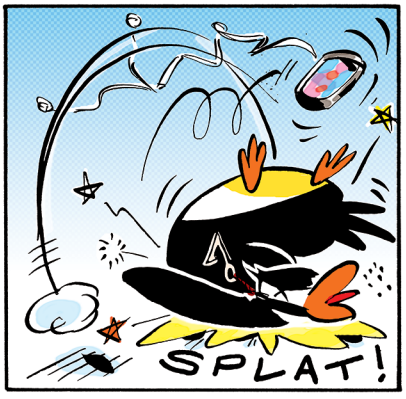

HAPPY NEW YEAR NOOKY!
HAPPY NEW YEAR, PECKINPAW!
TINK!
THE OTHERS ARE ASLEEP! I CAN'T REALLY BLAME THEM WITH THESE 24 HOUR NIGHTS!...
ZZZZZZZZ


2015!... *PHEW* HOW DO YOU FEEL ABOUT BEING A YEAR OLDER, FREEZE?
YO! BEAR, YOU IS OLD! I IS YOUNG!
YO!
... A YOUNG BIRD IS JUST AN OLD BIRD WAITING TO HAPPEN!
YO!
A BRAND NEW YEAR THE PERFECT CHANCE TO START SOMETHING NEW!
TIME TO GET BUSY — NO MORE PROCRASTINATING!! ...
SLAP!
BUT FIRST... LUNCH!
YOU KNOW, HAVING TO TYPE WWW AND .COM IS SUCH A WASTE OF TIME!...
... YOU SHOULD JUST BE ABLE TO TYPE IN 'SANDWICHES' AND YOUR FAVORITE SANDWICH WEBSITE POPS RIGHT UP!
TURKEY CLUB OR BLT?
YUM!
HEY FELLAHS, WHERE'D YOU GET THOSE SANDWICHES?!
NOOKY WENT ONLINE AND FOUND THIS GREAT WEBSITE THAT DELIVERS SANDWICHES!
THE URL OF SANDWICH!
RIGHT ON!




FRIEZE?...

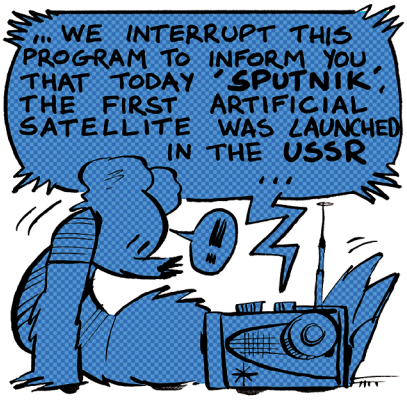


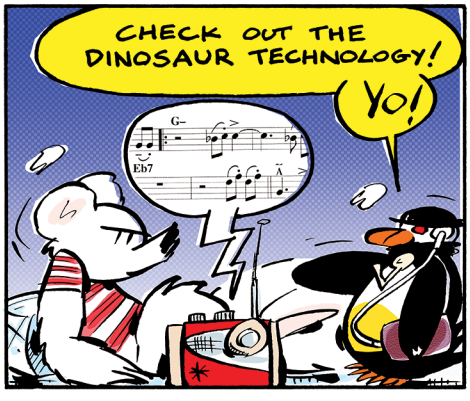

SPLAT!

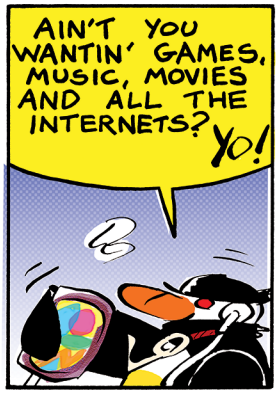

SO MUCH TECHNOLOGY, ... SO LITTLE FORESIGHT!

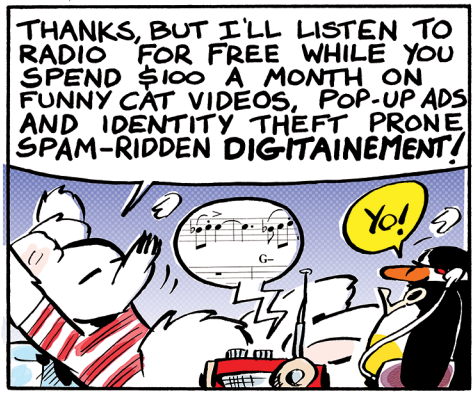

AAAH! THERE'S NOTHING I LIKE MORE THAN LISTENING TO JAZZ ON AN OLD AM RADIO LATE AT NIGHT!


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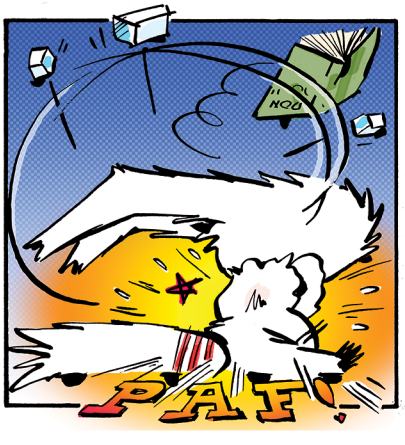

... WE INTERRUPT THIS PROGRAM TO INFORM YOU THAT TODAY 'SPUTNIK', THE FIRST ARTIFICIAL SATELLITE WAS LAUNCHED IN THE USSR ...


CHECK OUT THE DINOSAUR TECHNOLOGY!
Yo!
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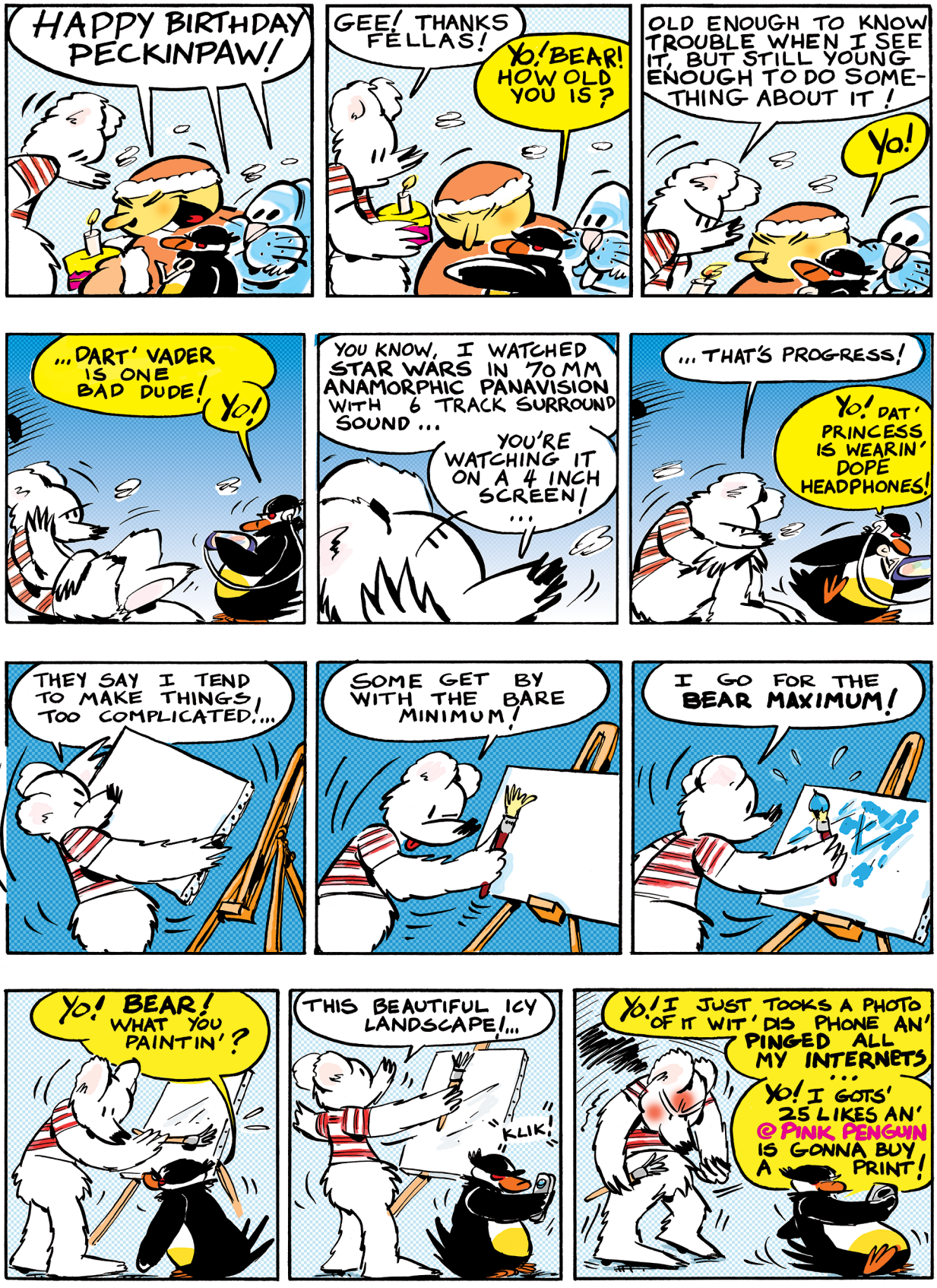

AIN'T YOU WANTIN' GAMES, MUSIC, MOVIES AND ALL THE INTERNETS?
Yo!

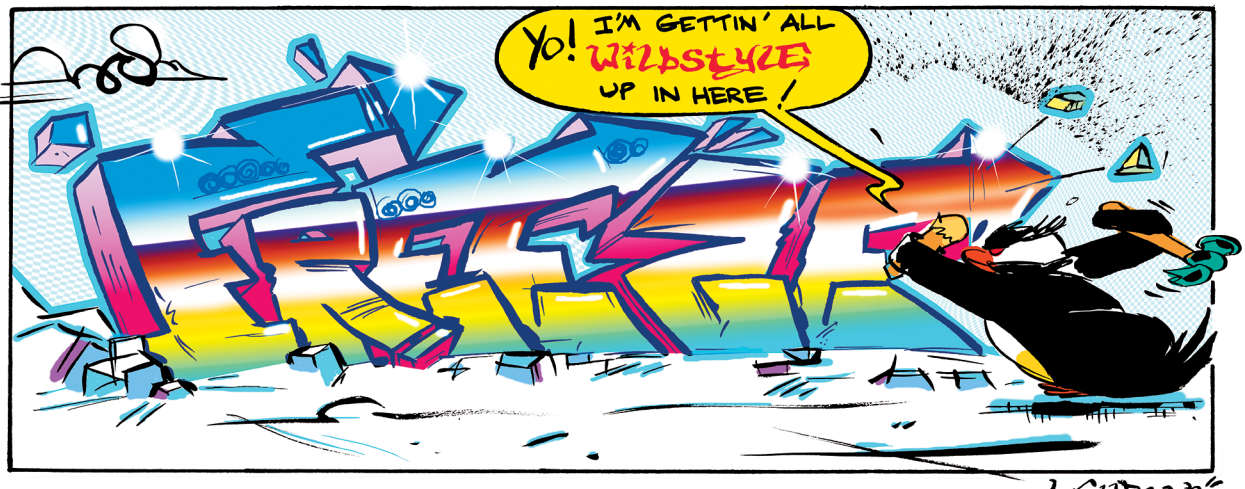

THANKS, BUT I'LL LISTEN TO RADIO FOR FREE WHILE YOU SPEND $100 A MONTH ON FUNNY CAT VIDEOS, POP-UP ADS AND IDENTITY THEFT PRONE SPAM-RIDDEN DIGITAINEMENT!
Yo!
G-


DON QUIXOTE


NOD
PAF!

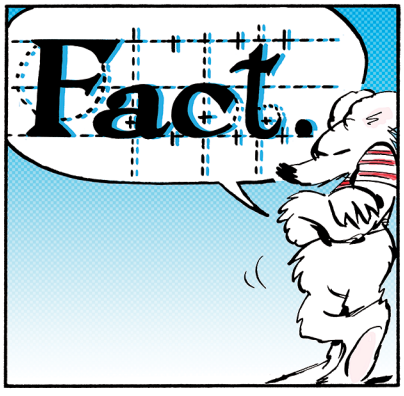

Yo! STRAIGHT TO YOUTUBE!
YOU CALLOUS LITTLE FLIP!


HAPPY BIRTHDAY PECKINPAW!
GEE! THANKS FELLAS!
YO! BEAR! HOW OLD YOU IS?
OLD ENOUGH TO KNOW TROUBLE WHEN I SEE IT, BUT STILL YOUNG ENOUGH TO DO SOMETHING ABOUT IT!
YO!
...DART' VADER IS ONE BAD DUDE!
YO!
YOU KNOW, I WATCHED STAR WARS IN 70MM ANAMORPHIC PANAVISION WITH 6 TRACK SURROUND SOUND...
YOU'RE WATCHING IT ON A 4 INCH SCREEN!
...
... THAT'S PROGRESS!
YO! DAT' PRINCESS IS WEARIN' DOPE HEADPHONES!
THEY SAY I TEND TO MAKE THINGS TOO COMPLICATED....
SOME GET BY WITH THE BARE MINIMUM!
I GO FOR THE BEAR MAXIMUM!
YO! BEAR! WHAT YOU PAINTIN'?
THIS BEAUTIFUL ICY LANDSCAPE!...
KLIK!
YO! I JUST TOOKS A PHOTO OF IT WIT' DIS PHONE AN' PINGED ALL MY INTERNETS
...
YO! I GOTS' 25 LIKES AN' @PINK PENGUIN IS GONNA BUY A PRINT!


Yo! I'M GETTIN' ALL WILDSTYLE UP IN HERE!
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DOPE! YO!




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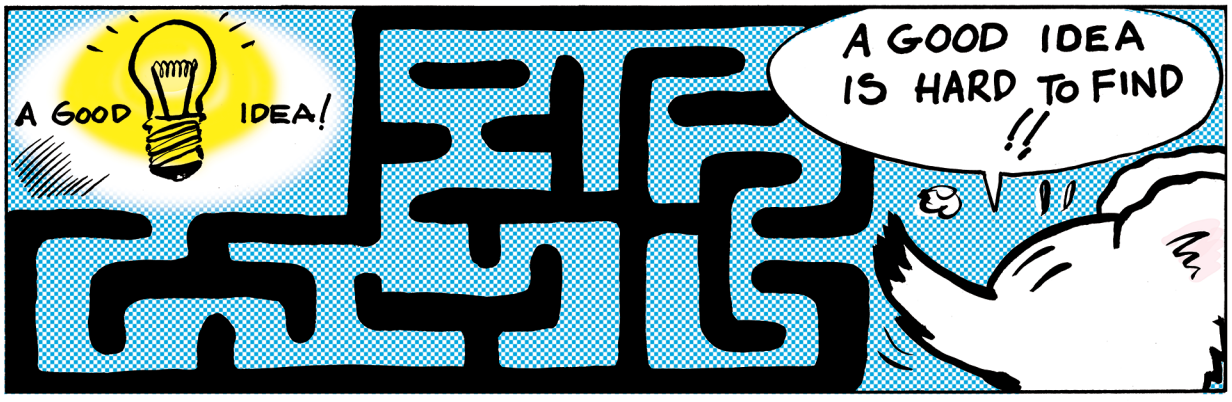

SHIPS PASSING IN THE NIGHT!...
TOOT!


THE COAST IS CLEAR! Yo!
I'M NOT GIVING YOU A FISH!!
Yo! I AIN'T CATCH NUTHIN'!
THIS FISHING POLE IS WHACK! Yo!
IT'S NOT THE QUALITY OF THE FISHERMAN'S POLE... BUT THE QUALITY OF THE POLE'S FISHERMAN!
Yo!
COLLECT $200 SALARY AS YOU PASS
GO
PARK PLACE WITH A HOTEL, YOU OWE ME $1500 RENT!
Yo! YOU'RE NUTHIN' BUT A SLUM LORD TAKIN' ADVANTAGE OF AN UNEMPLOYED CREATIVE GENIUS! I'M GOING ON RENT STRIKE!!
GO TO
JAIL
Yo! BEAR! WHATSUP'?
WELL,... USUALLY THE SKY IS UP... AND THE MOON... THE PLANETS... THE STARS...! BUT IN OUTER-SPACE THERE REALLY IS NO UP OR DOWN, SO...
Yo! I'M OUT...!





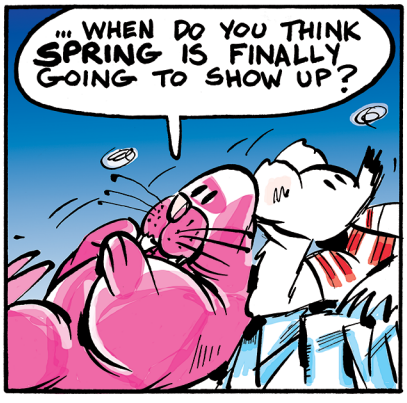
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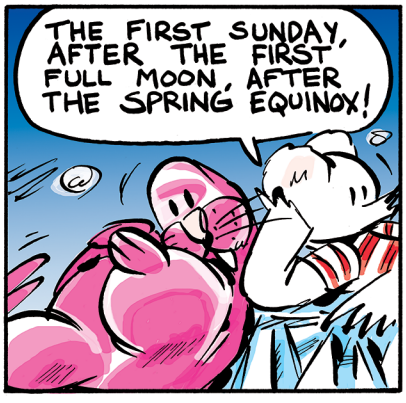

A GOOD IDEA!
A GOOD IDEA IS HARD TO FIND!!

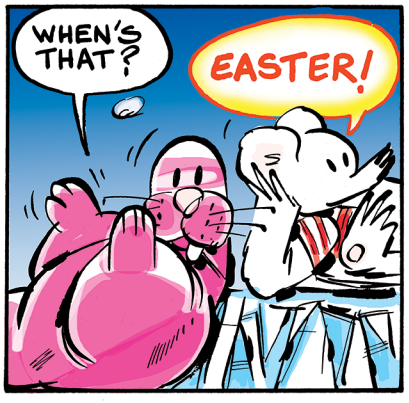

NOOKY, CAN YOU LOOK AT THE CORNER OF YOUR SCREEN AND TELL ME WHAT TIME IT IS?
3:30!


THAT'S THE TROUBLE WITH NEWSPAPERS! ...
POLAR SPIN


THEY CAN'T TELL TIME!
POLAR SPIN

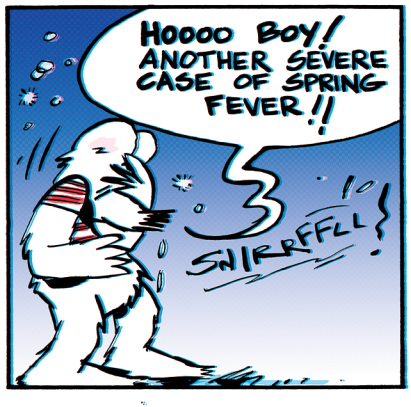

... WHEN DO YOU THINK SPRING IS FINALLY GOING TO SHOW UP?


THE FIRST SUNDAY, AFTER THE FIRST FULL MOON, AFTER THE SPRING EQUINOX!


WHEN'S THAT?
EASTER!


AAATCHOO!!


AAA-TCHOOEY!!


HOOOO BOY! ANOTHER SEVERE CASE OF SPRING FEVER!!
SWIRRFFLL!



SOMETIMES I'M SO AFRAID OF THE INK THAT 'ICECUBES' GIVES ME THE 'FREEZE'!

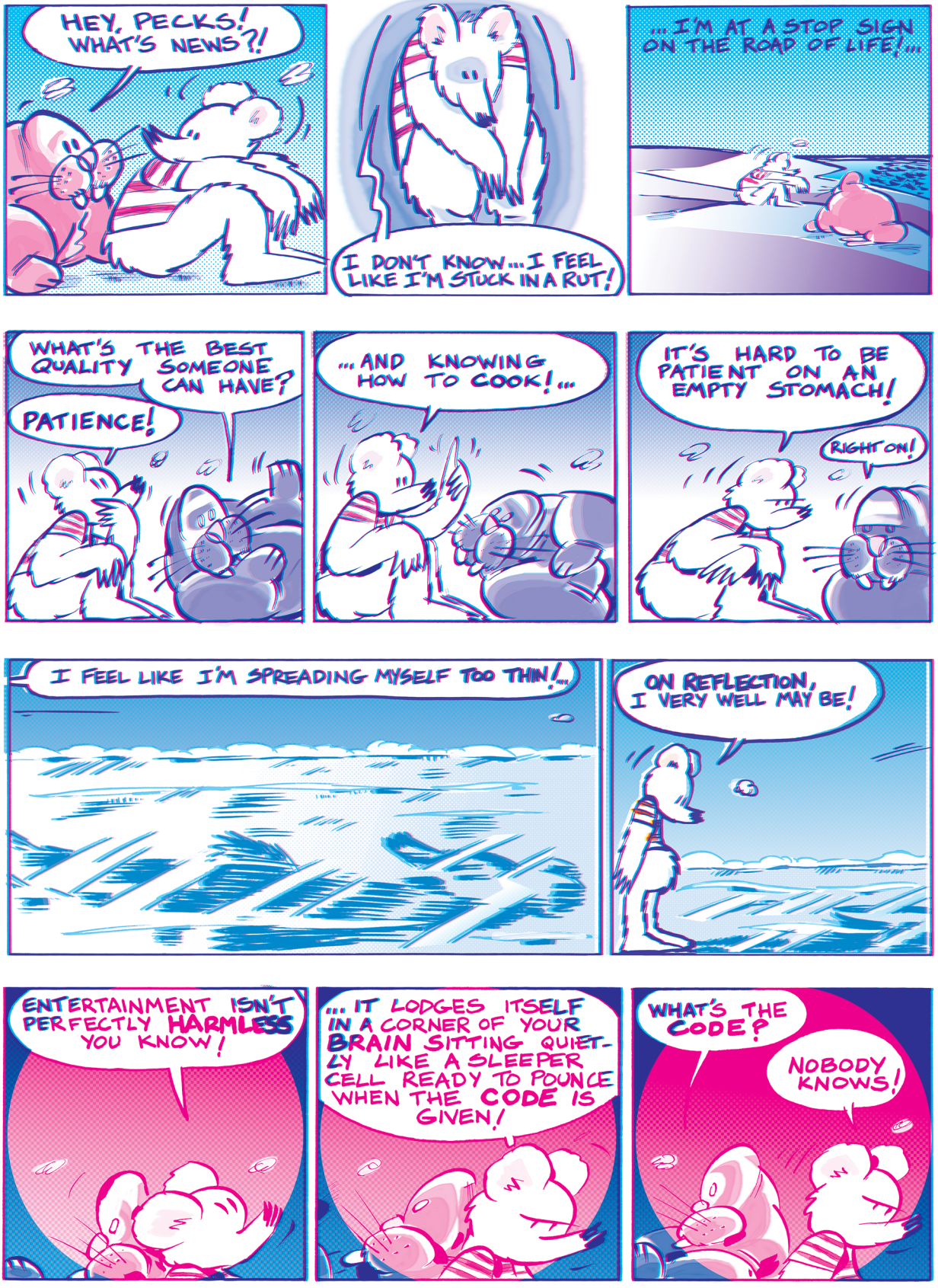
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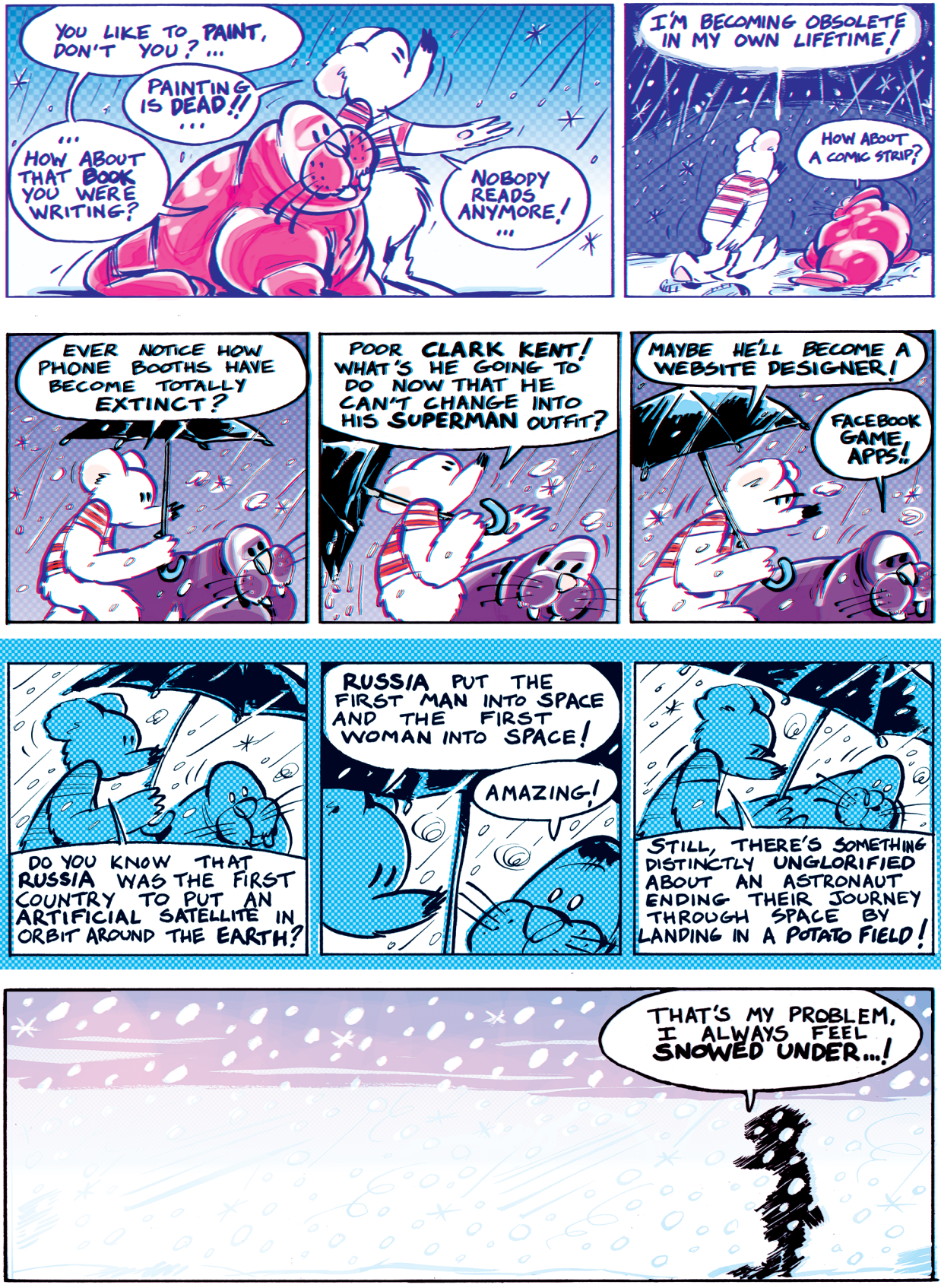
AND IF I SINK THE INK AND THE INK STINKS

THE STRIP SITS HALFWAY BETWEEN DONE AND GONE

AND I'VE HAD IT!

(TRUE STORY)


HEY, PECKS! WHAT'S NEWS?!
I DON'T KNOW... I FEEL LIKE I'M STUCK IN A RUT!
...I'M AT A STOP SIGN ON THE ROAD OF LIFE!...
WHAT'S THE BEST QUALITY SOMEONE CAN HAVE?
PATIENCE!
...AND KNOWING HOW TO COOK!...
IT'S HARD TO BE PATIENT ON AN EMPTY STOMACH!
RIGHT ON!
I FEEL LIKE I'M SPREADING MYSELF TOO THIN!...
ON REFLECTION, I VERY WELL MAY BE!
ENTERTAINMENT ISN'T PERFECTLY HARMLESS YOU KNOW!
...IT LODGES ITSELF IN A CORNER OF YOUR BRAIN SITTING QUIETLY LIKE A SLEEPER CELL READY TO POUNCE WHEN THE CODE IS GIVEN!
WHAT'S THE CODE?
NOBODY KNOWS!


YOU LIKE TO PAINT, DON'T YOU? ...
PAINTING IS DEAD!! ...
... HOW ABOUT THAT BOOK YOU WERE WRITING?
NOBODY READS ANYMORE! ...
I'M BECOMING OBSOLETE IN MY OWN LIFETIME!
HOW ABOUT A COMIC STRIP?
EVER NOTICE HOW PHONE BOOTHS HAVE BECOME TOTALLY EXTINCT?
POOR CLARK KENT! WHAT'S HE GOING TO DO NOW THAT HE CAN'T CHANGE INTO HIS SUPERMAN OUTFIT?
MAYBE HE'LL BECOME A WEBSITE DESIGNER!
FACEBOOK GAME APPS!
DO YOU KNOW THAT RUSSIA WAS THE FIRST COUNTRY TO PUT AN ARTIFICIAL SATELLITE IN ORBIT AROUND THE EARTH?
RUSSIA PUT THE FIRST MAN INTO SPACE AND THE FIRST WOMAN INTO SPACE!
AMAZING!
STILL, THERE'S SOMETHING DISTINCTLY UNGLORIFIED ABOUT AN ASTRONAUT ENDING THEIR JOURNEY THROUGH SPACE BY LANDING IN A POTATO FIELD!
THAT'S MY PROBLEM, I ALWAYS FEEL SNOWED UNDER...!

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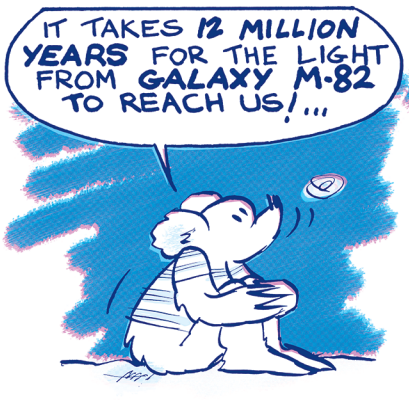




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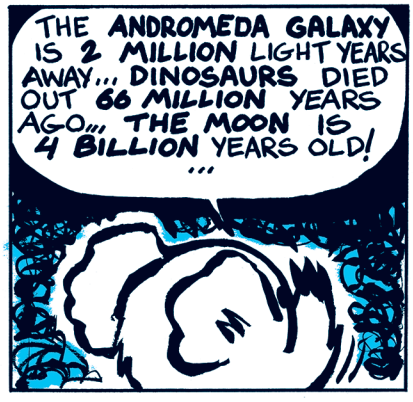

MY NEW WORD IS SYNECDOCHE! ..."A FIGURE OF SPEECH WHERE A PART REPRESENTS THE WHOLE OR THE WHOLE, A PART!..."
WOW! THAT'S LIKE A LITERARY HOLOGRAM!
MY NEW WORD IS BBLOREZZFL!
THAT'S NOT A WORD!
YES IT IS!
MY COUSIN HAS A CAT THAT LIKES TO EAT WATERMELON! ...
IN LIGHT OF CURRENT EVENTS, I WOULD SAY THAT'S FASCINATING NEWS!
WOW, IT TOOK A NASA SPACECRAFT 9 YEARS TO FINALLY REACH PLUTO!
... SO MUCH FOR WARP SPEED!
THE MILKY WAY SURE IS BEAUTIFUL ON THESE LONG DARK POLAR NIGHTS!
OH! A SHOOTING STAR!
... MAKE A WISH!
... I WISH FOR FISH!
GOOD WISH!

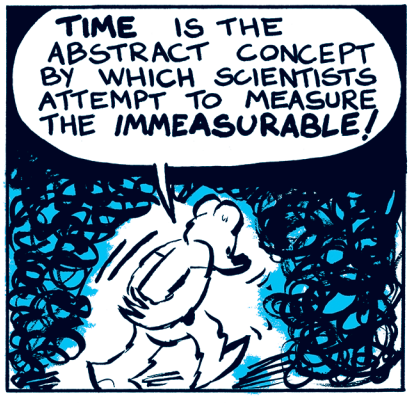

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IT TAKES 12 MILLION YEARS FOR THE LIGHT FROM GALAXY M-82 TO REACH US!...

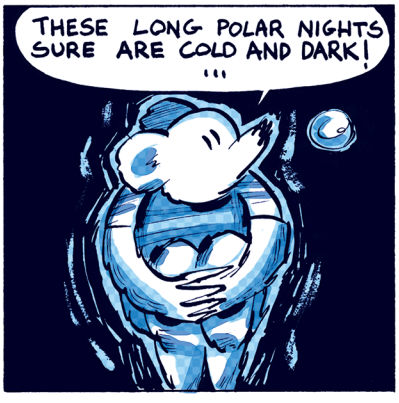

THAT'S JUST NOT EVEN REASONABLY FATHOMABLE!

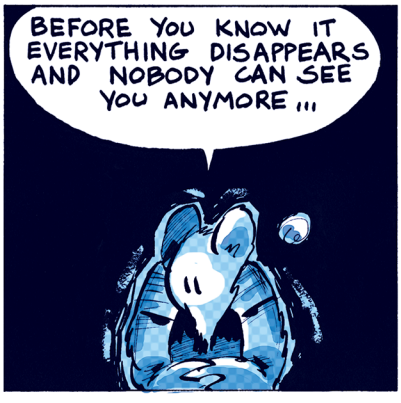

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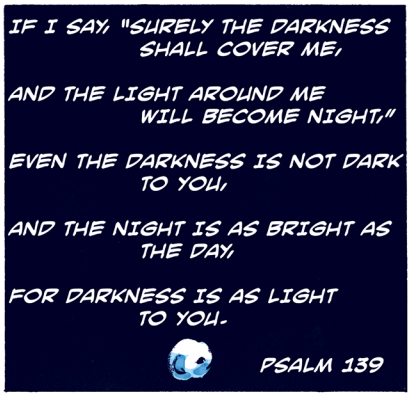

THE ANDROMEDA GALAXY IS 2 MILLION LIGHT YEARS AWAY... DINOSAURS DIED OUT 66 MILLION YEARS AGO... THE MOON IS 4 BILLION YEARS OLD! ...


TIME IS THE ABSTRACT CONCEPT BY WHICH SCIENTISTS ATTEMPT TO MEASURE THE IMMEASURABLE!

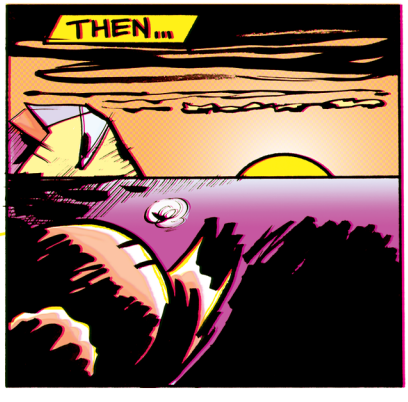

ETERNITY IS THE ABSENCE OF TIME...

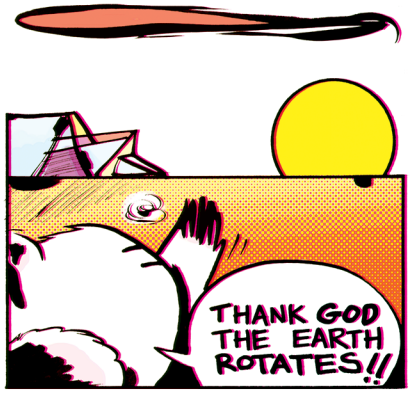

THESE LONG POLAR NIGHTS SURE ARE COLD AND DARK! ...


BEFORE YOU KNOW IT EVERYTHING DISAPPEARS AND NOBODY CAN SEE YOU ANYMORE ...

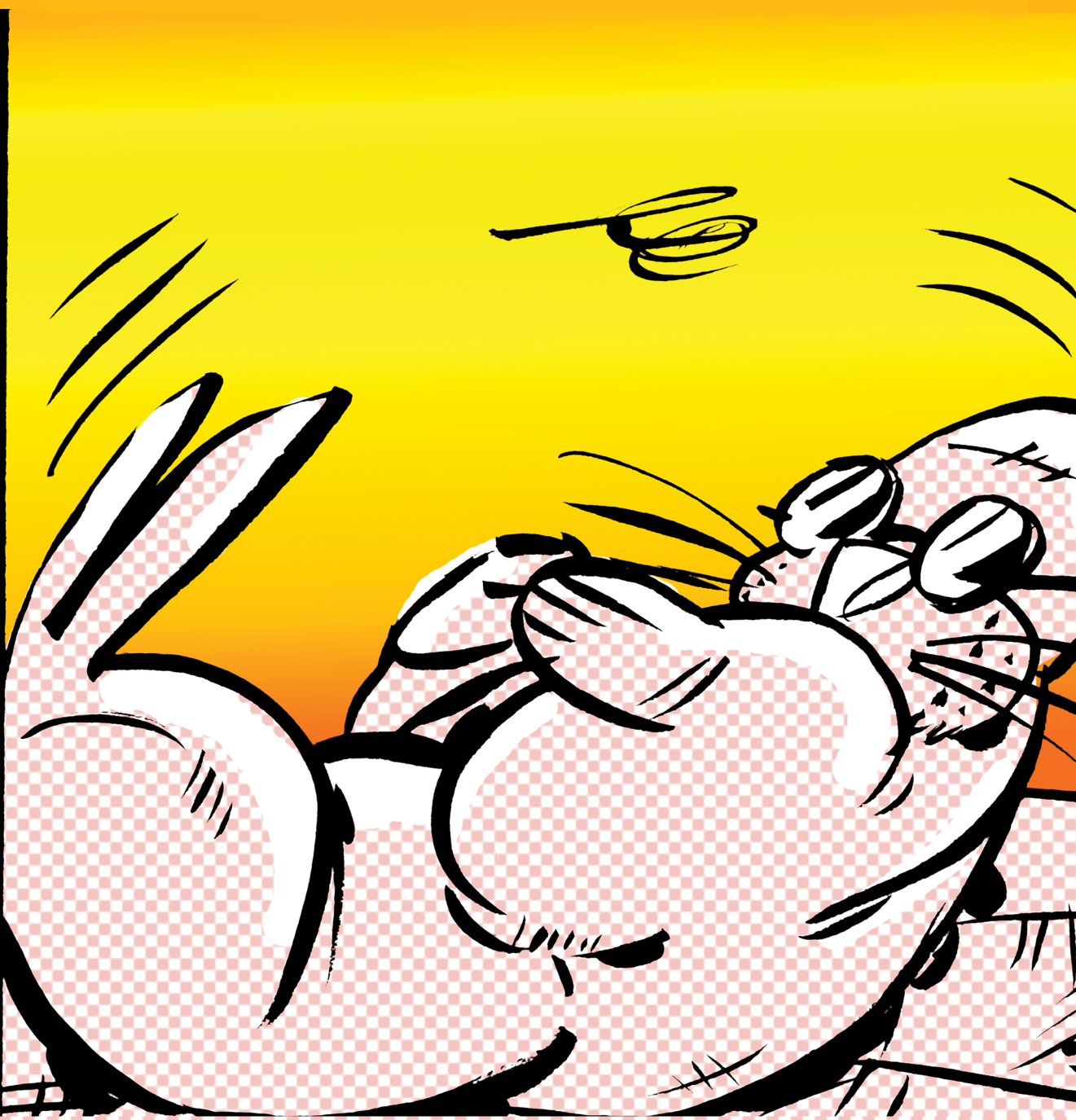

IF I SAY, "SURELY THE DARKNESS SHALL COVER ME,
AND THE LIGHT AROUND ME WILL BECOME NIGHT,"
EVEN THE DARKNESS IS NOT DARK TO YOU,
AND THE NIGHT IS AS BRIGHT AS THE DAY,
FOR DARKNESS IS AS LIGHT TO YOU.
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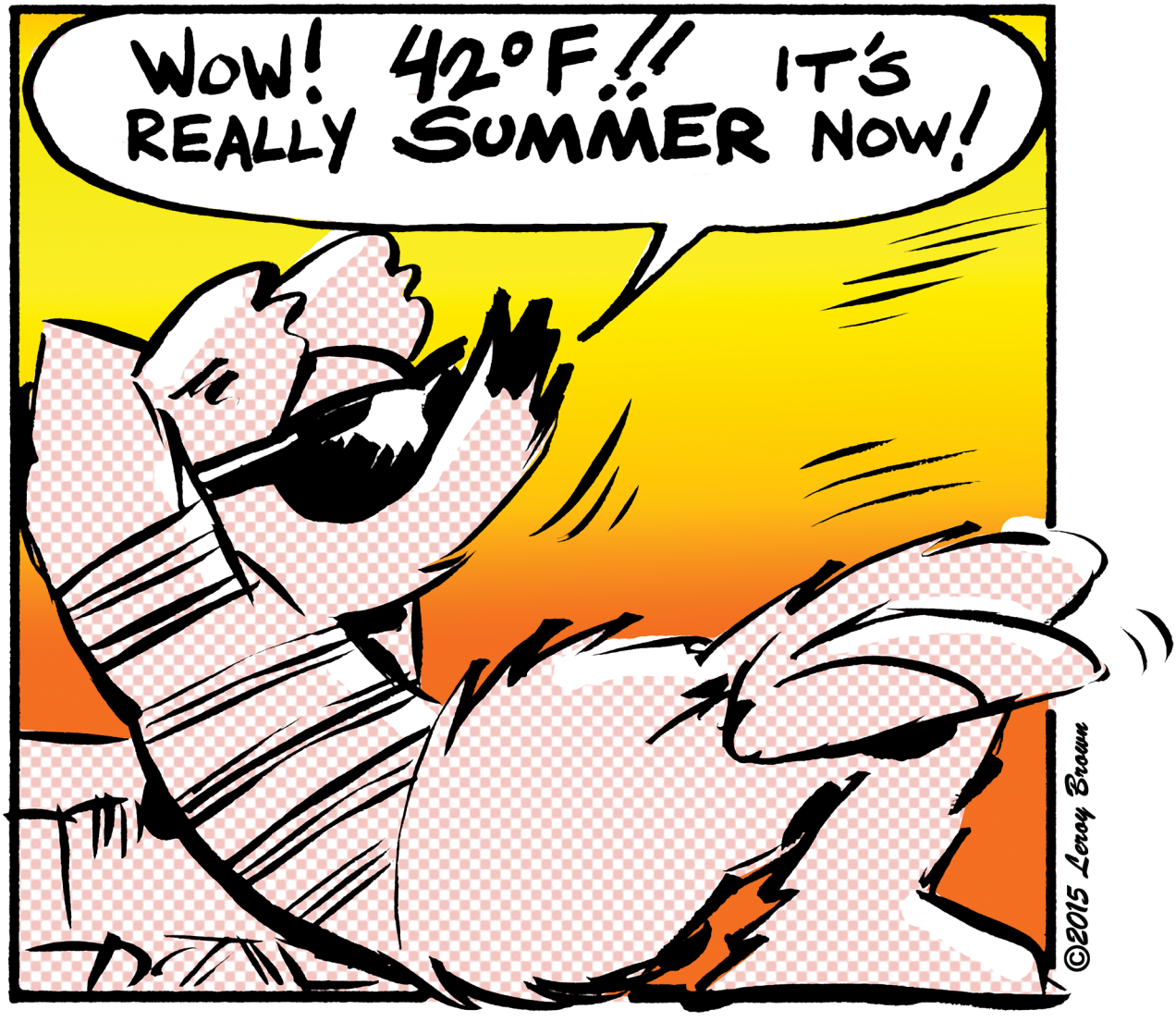

STILL DARK.


THEN...


THANK GOD THE EARTH ROTATES!!







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