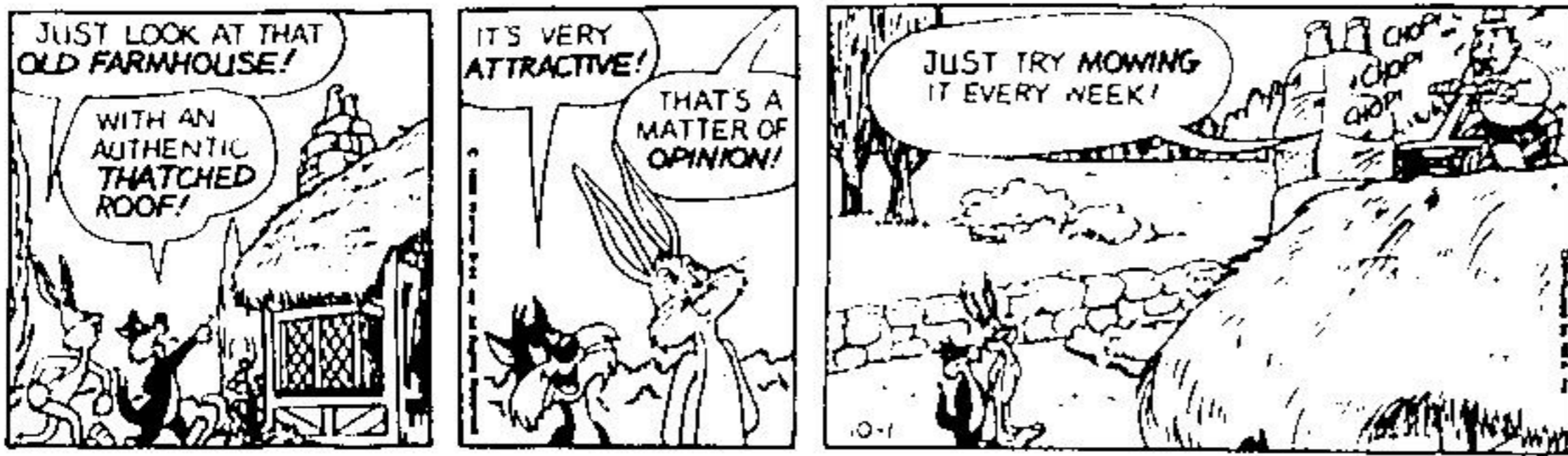


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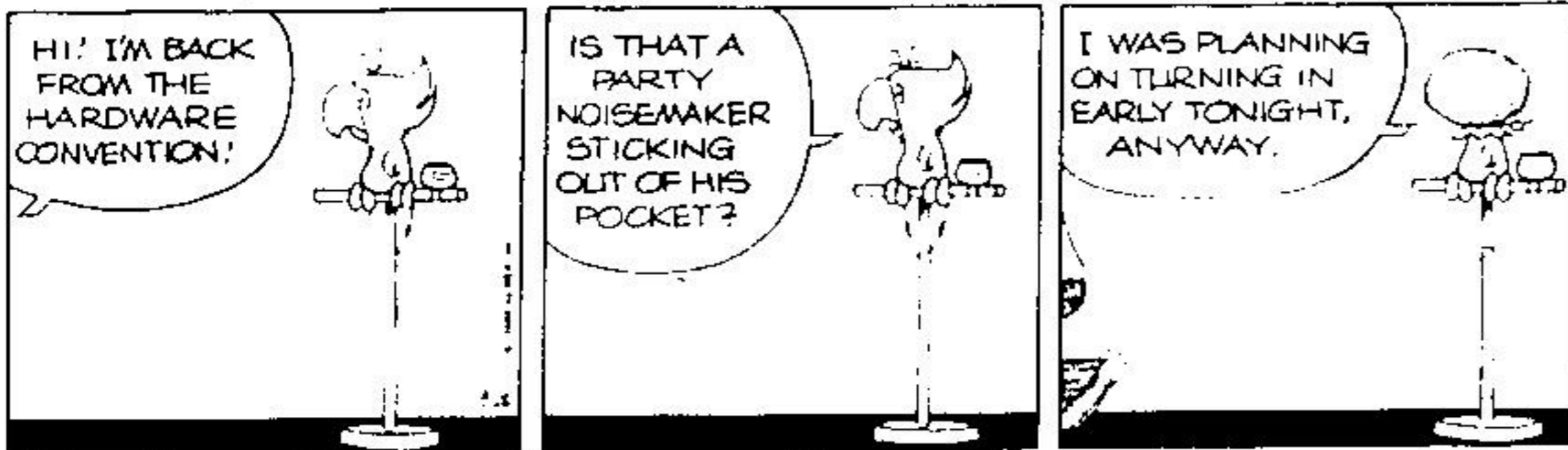
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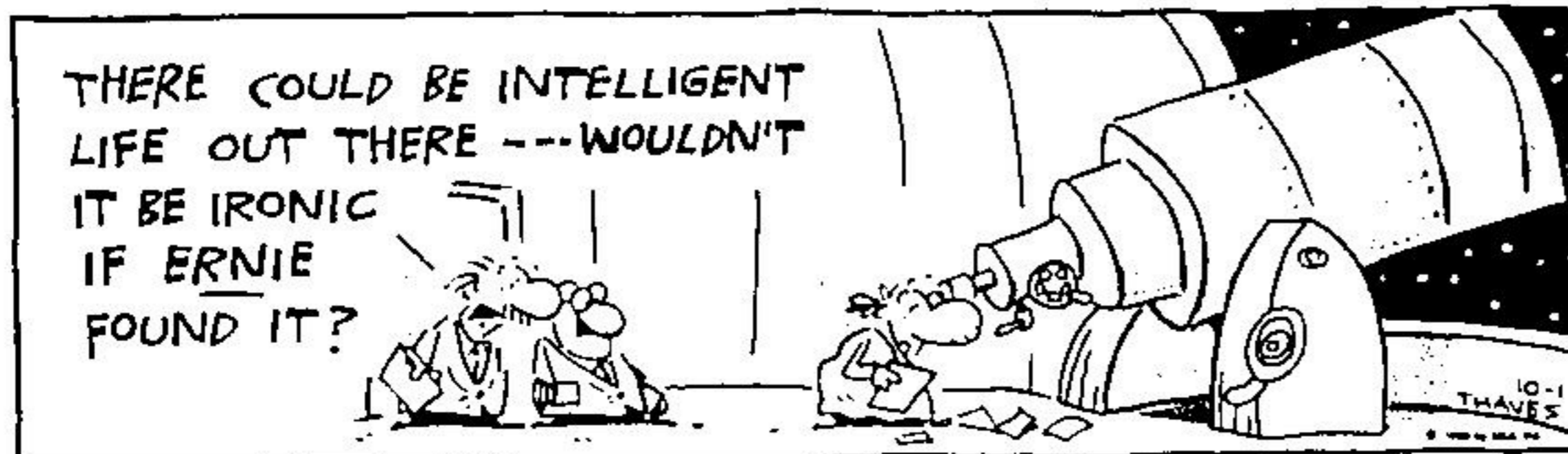
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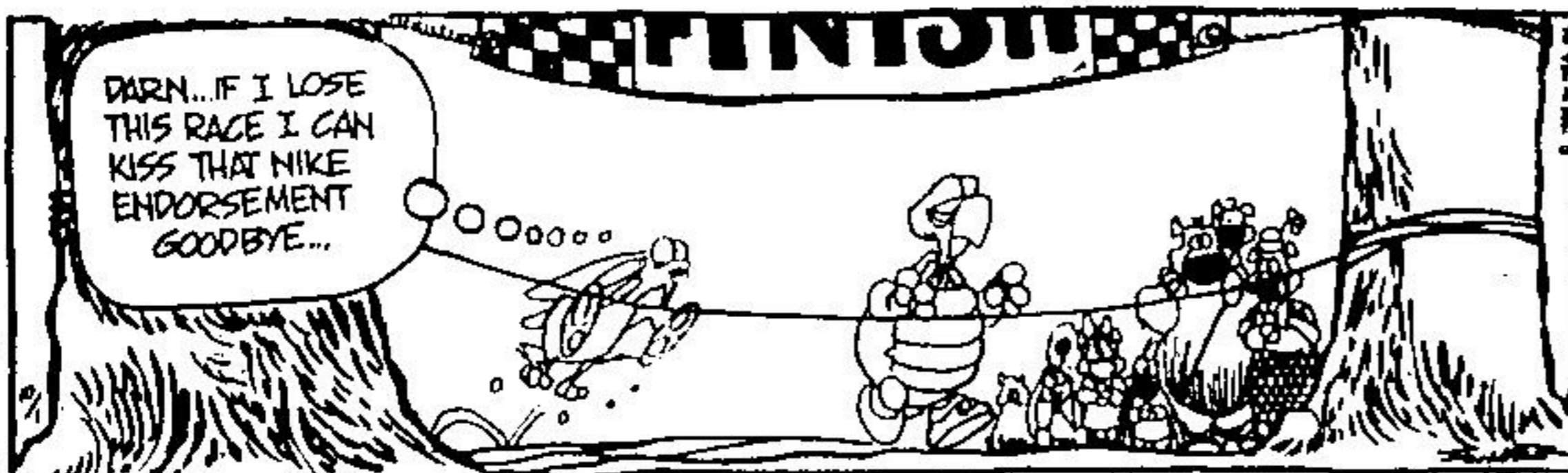
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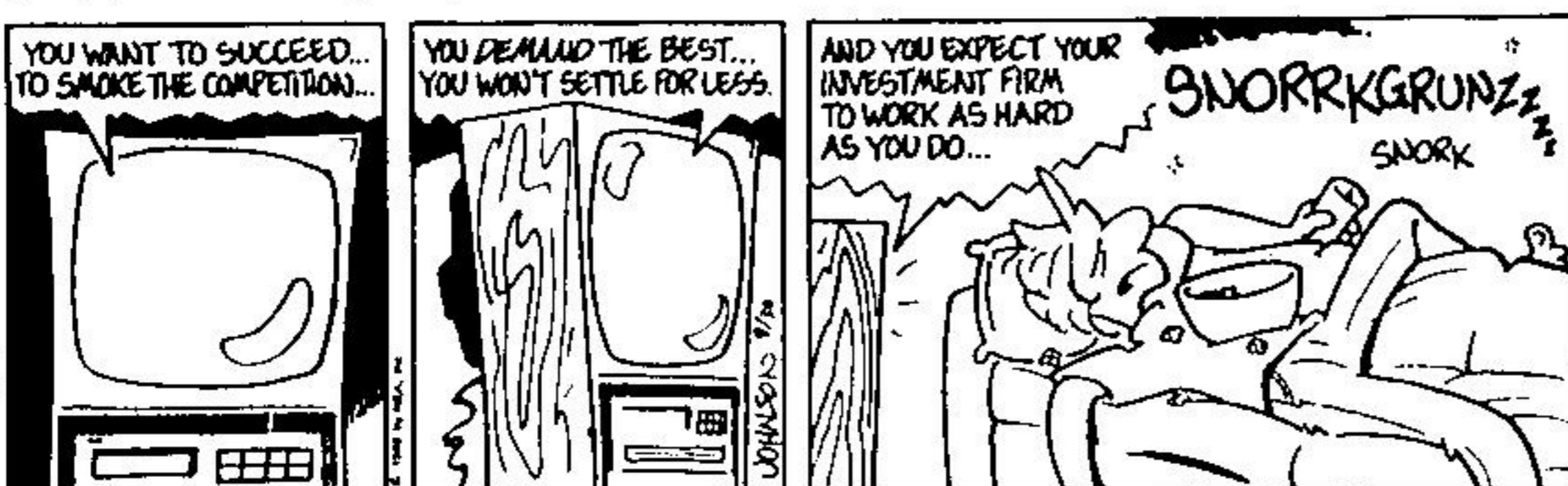
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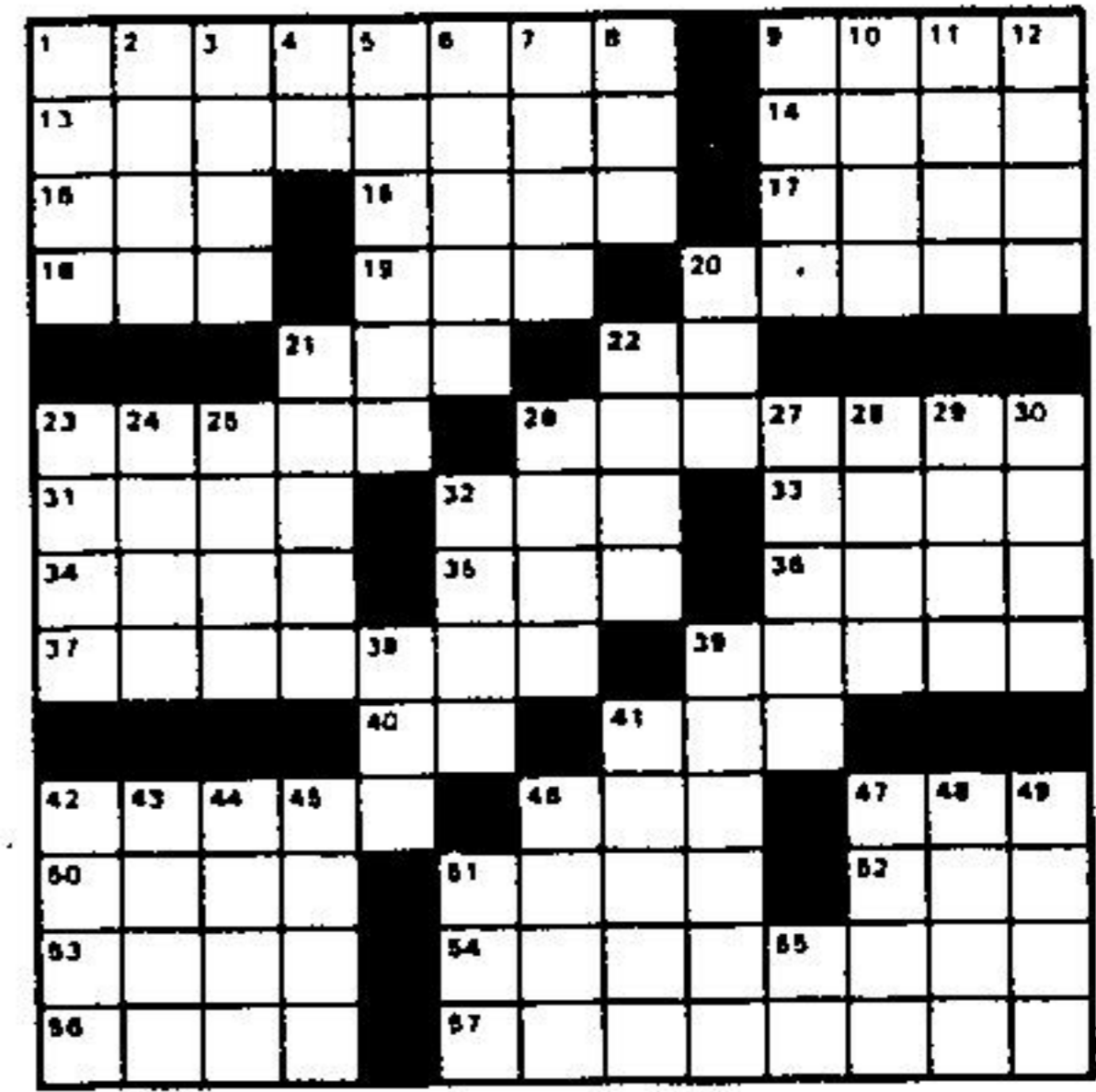
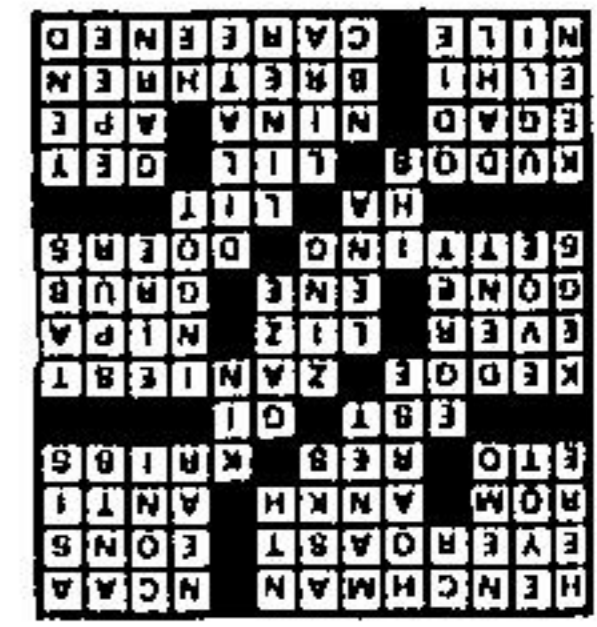
THE GRIZZWELLS® by Bill Schorr



ARLO AND JANIS® by Jimmy Johnson



- ACROSS**
- Trusted helper
 - College group
 - Cut of beef (2 wds)
 - Long times
 - Gypsy man
 - Egyptian cross
 - Against
 - WWII area
 - Legal matter
 - Kringle
 - Superlative suffix
 - Enlisted man
 - Small anchor
 - Subest
 - Always
 - Actress Taylor
 - Thatch palm
 - Lost
 - Chemical suffix
 - Lava
 - Background of a play
 - People of action
 - Laugh syllable
 - Illuminated
 - Praise
 - Mae West role
 - Recurve
 - Mild oath
 - One of Columbus' ships
 - Circus animal
 - Of grades 1-12
 - Siblings
 - Cleopatra's river
 - Svenved
- DOWN**
- This way
 - Island
 - Verne hero
 - Acctg entry
 - Husky
 - French painter
 - Requests
 - degree
 - Come close
 - Pointed parts
 - Insects
 - In present condn (2 wds)
 - Relatives
 - White plumed heron
 - Look steadily
 - Barrels
 - Bacchanals' cry
 - Surface depression
 - Vim
 - Bar of metal
 - Ireland
 - Good
 - Projecting pieces
 - Singer Home
 - Jesse monogram
 - Distand
 - Big ship
 - Sharp
 - Citrus fruit
 - Actress Ariane
 - Dog in Garfield
 - Italian money
 - Senator Jake
 - Small sword
 - Take care of
 - TV network
 - Male person



ASTRO-GRAPH



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Your Birthday

Oct. 1, 1968

An enterprise to which you have devoted considerable time and effort should start producing returns in the year ahead. What you receive should be proportional to what you put out.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) If you feel inspired today to do something thoughtful for one you love, act upon your impulses. Major changes are ahead for Libra in the coming year. Send for your Astro-Graph predictions today. Mail \$1 to Astro-Graph, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 91428, Cleveland, OH 44101-3428. Be sure to state your zodiac sign.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) Restrictions that have held you in bondage the past few days should be alleviated now; especially where your career or finances are concerned.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Something may develop today that you might find disappointing at first. After you study it more thoroughly, you'll see it has a bright side as well.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) What you hope to accomplish today might not be achieved on your first try. However, your second effort will be your best one and produce desirable results.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) You're gifted with the ability today to maneuver your way around obstacles that could stymie others. It looks like you may use your skill in two instances.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) If you think in terms of personal gain today, it will supply you with constructive motivation. You won't be labeled as self-serving by those with whom you'll be involved.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) This is a good time to start developing new friendships. There are several people you now know only casually who have the potential to be close pals.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) You could be fortunate today in joint ventures, especially if you are working on something that is unique. There is merit in this enterprise.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) What would normally be considered a frivolous activity will actually have constructive elements today. It will be something you do in conjunction with others.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Conditions that have an effect upon your material well-being should improve as the day progresses. The changes could be sudden and unexpected.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Today you might feel slightly uncertain about something until you face up to the challenge. Once you do, your positive attitude will prevail.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Your investigative skills will be very pronounced today. If there is a particular situation you would like to ferret out, start probing around.

CELEBRITY CIPHER

Celebrity Cipher cryptograms are created from quotations by famous people, past and present. Each letter in the cipher stands for another. Today's clue: P equals G.

G W M F O M E G M C G U Q C G E T M
 Q U E R M I E C J B G G B R Q M
 Q J B A A Q N M . . . R M E J
 E N W M C B J .

SOLUTION: "The greatest mistake I made was not to die in office." — Dean Acheson.