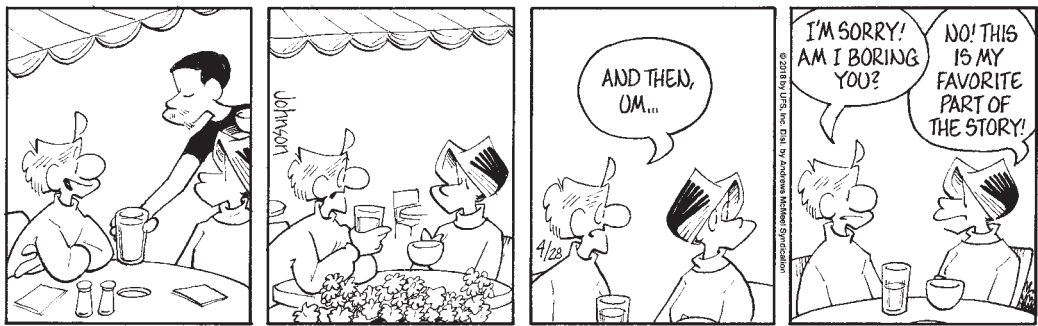


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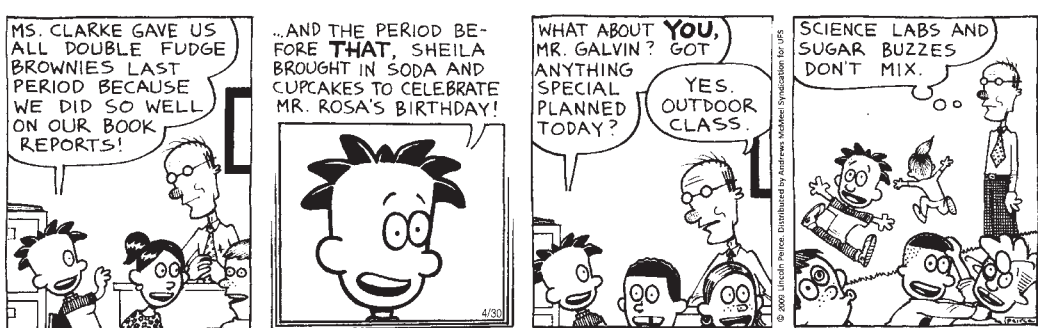
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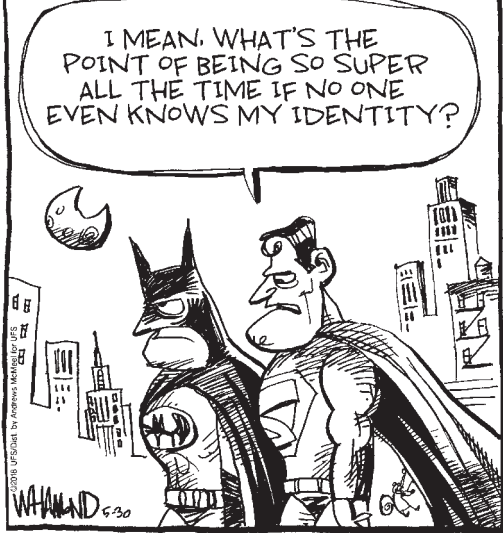
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SCOPIN' THE SOAPS

THE BOLD AND THE BEAUTIFUL

Bill relayed details about an important assignment to Justin. Hope organized a vegetarian dinner for Liam, Ridge and Brooke. Bill insisted to Wyatt that his relationship with Steffy wasn't over. Liam made his choice and Steffy was very happy, but Bill had designs on sabotaging them. Liam became anxious as Wyatt told him about Bill and Steffy. Justin warned Bill of the consequences of his deception. Liam angrily confronted Steffy over her relationship with Bill. Brooke and Ridge had differing reactions to news of Steffy and Liam's reunion. Bill and Justin argued over whether Steffy will find out she's been framed. Steffy cried to Ridge about the state of her relationship to Liam. Hope supported Liam's decision.

DAYS OF OUR LIVES

At the police station, Gabby lashed out at Chad and Jennifer. Things became dire for Marlena, Kate and Vivian and John, Paul and Hope responded. Rafe and JJ gave Gabi shocking news. Gabby made a deal to save Stefan. Kayla and Steve had a heart-to-heart about his condition. Stefan came under fire from Jennifer. Leo helped Sonny out of a fix. Abigail tried to fight off Dr. Laura's control to get to Chad. Eve held vigil outside Brady's hospital room. Chloe was in peril in Mexico City. Lucas fought temptation as he tried to figure out why Chloe left him. Chad pleaded with Dr. Laura to bring Abigail back to him. Chloe had a shocking encounter in Mexico City. Brady tried to convince everyone of his sobriety.

GENERAL HOSPITAL

Anna was worked up. Jason looked for an ally in Lulu. Curtis stumbled upon interesting information. Nina was not convinced. Peter was unfazed. Lucy offered a welcome interruption. Griffin confronted Ava. Bobbie was concerned. Curtis sought TJ's support. Alexa and Finn had a heart-to-heart. Chase respected Finn's wishes. Sonny skirted the issue. Anna was on notice. Griffin was horrified. Dr. Bensch was dismissive. Anna surprised Jason. Maxie sought out Peter. Nina urged Curtis to continue his search. Drew offered encouraging words. Franco faced his demons. Carly got an invitation. Lulu was less-than-honest with Dante. Maxie looked on the bright side. Valentin played peacemaker.

THE YOUNG AND THE RESTLESS

Brooke's accusations prompted Devon to be kinder to Hilary. Phyllis struggled to keep her relationship with Billy as normal as possible but lying to him was taking its toll. Kyle used his close relationship with Dina to dig for more information on Jack's paternity. Neil intervened when Victor continued to push himself hard in his recovery. Victor tried to get Arturo to confess to an affair with his wife. The women kept a close eye on Sharon, whose guilt over what they did had her close to cracking. As Paul got closer to the truth, Victoria assembled the women and volunteered to take the fall for JT's murder.

CROSSWORDS

ACROSS

1 Crocus "bulb"  
5 Delt neighbor  
8 Motor part  
11 Kind of renewal  
13 Pooh's pal  
14 Melodramatic cry  
15 Dainty napkin  
16 Made possible  
18 "—, poor Yorick!"  
20 Sweet liqueur  
21 Boxing wins  
23 Gotcha!  
24 Little bit  
25 Sisters  
27 Gingivitis targets  
31 Galley slave's tool  
32 Break sharply  
33 Barbershop noise  
34 Smooth-talking

36 Plumbing problem  
38 — Magnon  
39 Swedish auto  
40 Brownish tint  
41 Allow  
42 Watchdog's warning  
44 Waned  
46 Dispute  
49 Scandinavian city  
50 Link up  
52 Perfect  
56 Mont. neighbor  
57 Morse code signal  
58 String quartet member  
59 Lawn cover?  
60 — Paulo  
61 Go through carefully

DOWN

1 Bossie's chew  
2 Baja gold

Answer to Previous Puzzle

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3 Baseball stat  
4 Asian peninsula  
5 Veep's boss  
6 Long, long time  
7 Not first class

8 Nat "King" —  
9 Polite cough  
10 Current fashion  
12 Hose  
17 Crows  
19 In pieces  
21 Furry tree-dweller  
22 Open-air lobbies  
23 Dreams of  
24 Runs  
26 DEA operative  
28 Cry of surrender  
29 Stuck in the mud  
30 Laundry problem  
35 Air rifle (2 wds.)  
37 Not private  
43 Cattails  
45 Portends  
46 Battery fluid  
47 Was a passenger  
48 What mice do  
49 Sarge's pooch  
51 Undercover org.  
53 Yalie  
54 Sitcom ET  
55 Parking —