

Elizabeth's Ad-libs
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Going back to school

I recently covered a function involving high school students. Mind you, I hadn't set foot in a high school since my own graduation. It was there I realized how perception changes as you grow older. Actually, it wasn't so much a "realization" that reality slapping me in the face...

RETIREMENT PLANS, POST-ENRON

...and my liver and my gall bladder.

I had tried to dress young, wanting to blend in a bit with the crowd. What I failed to realize is that I no longer have any idea what teenagers like to do nowadays. The height of fashion when I was a teenager was baggy jeans, baggy T-shirt, and a flannel shirt tied around the waist. Good thing I didn't wear that outfit...

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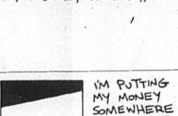
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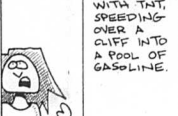
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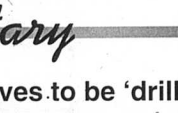
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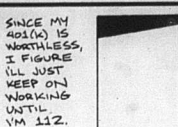
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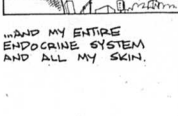
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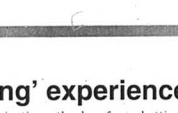
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Commentary

Wednesday proves to be 'drilling' experience

I had been dreading March 6 for over a month. It was the day that I had set-aside for some dental work. That smiling-tooth appointment reminder sticker loomed on my calendar like a vulture over a fresh patch of mudflat on a busy highway.

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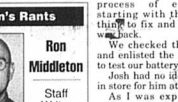
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