

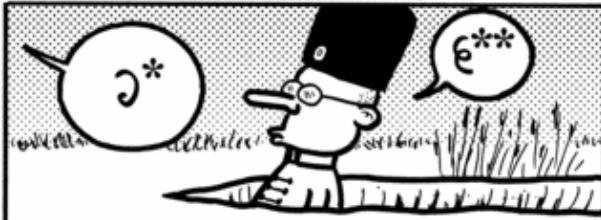
## IN THE KIRCHUK PROVINCE OF KUKISTAN



\* Klodski, you are back...Did you find good, cheap pork?

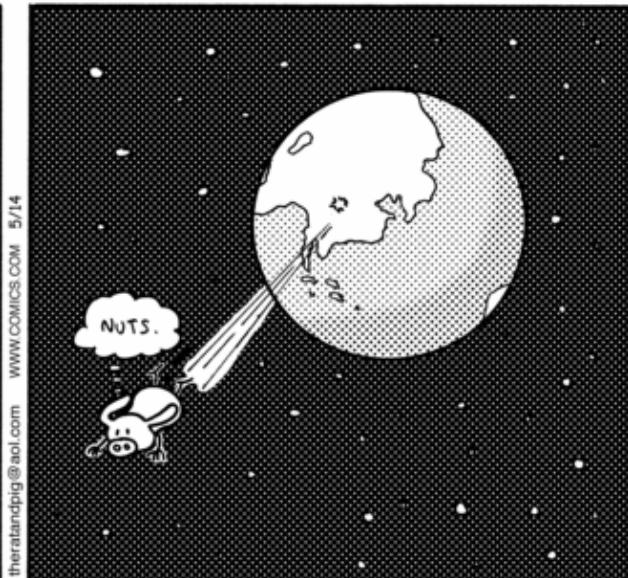
\*\* Yes, I -- Holy Trotsky!...I lost him!

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\*Lost him? Didn't you explain to him when he jumped into the hole that he needed to slow down as soon as he saw daylight, or else he would risk blowing right through the other side of the earth?

\*\* Please, woman...Even a stupid pig would know that.



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*Stephan Pastis, creator of the Pearls Before Swine comic strip, writes:*

"I had some readers write to me and explain the actual physics of what would happen here. But I can't remember what they said."