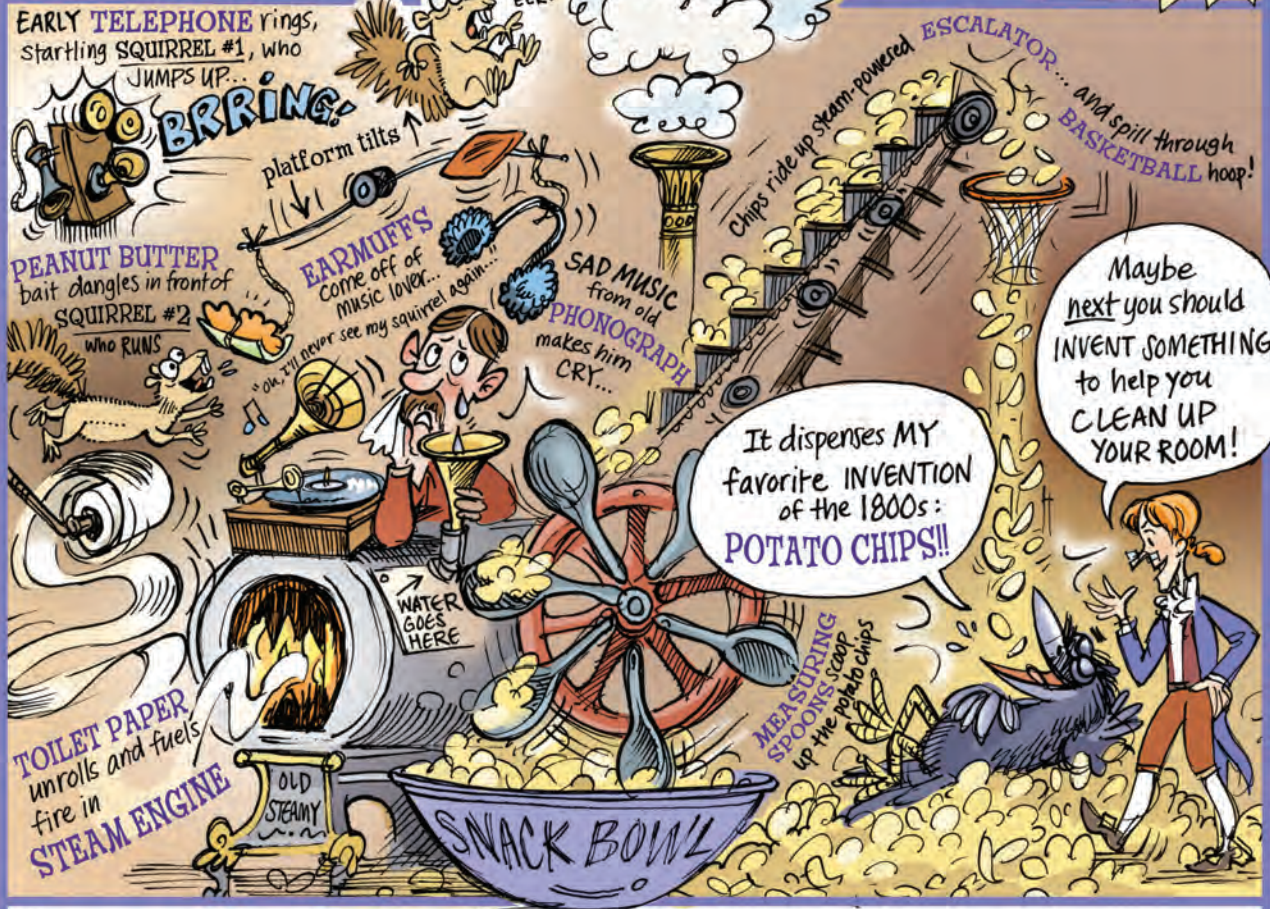
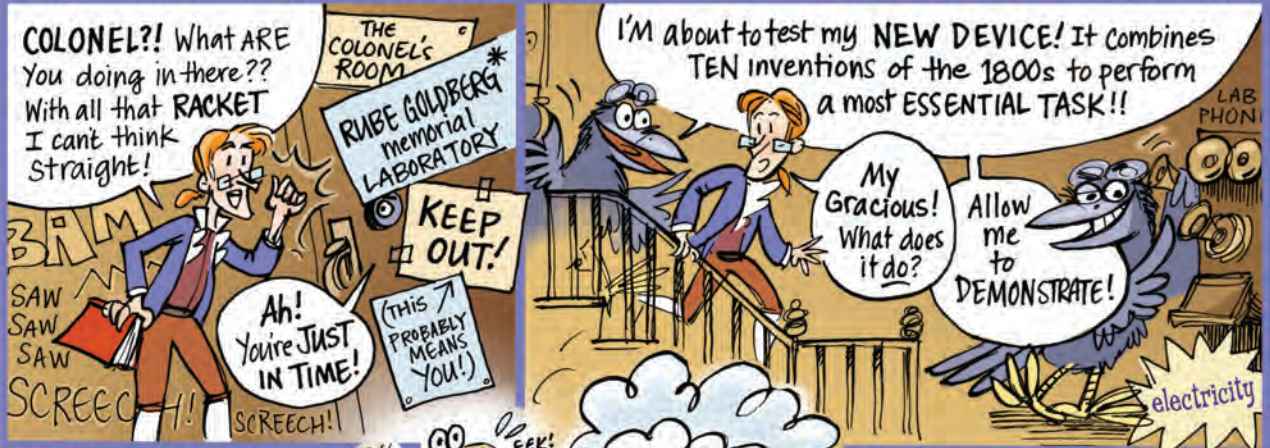


Cartoon Connection with EBENEZER & The COLONEL by KE Lewis



* **RUBE GOLDBERG** (1883-1970) was a Pulitzer Prize-winning cartoonist, famous for sketching wacky machines like the one above. Most inventions are designed to help make difficult tasks SIMPLER. '**RUBE GOLDBERG DEVICE**' has become a common term for inventions that make SIMPLE tasks RIDICULOUSLY COMPLICATED!

ARTIST'S NOTE: NO SQUIRRELS WERE HARMED IN THE CREATION OF THIS COMIC. IN FACT, THEY ATE ALL MY PEANUT BUTTER!!!