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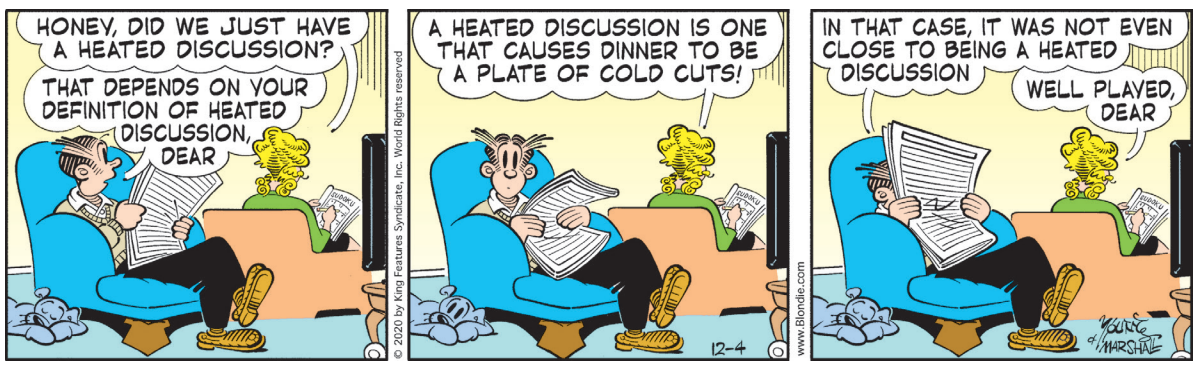

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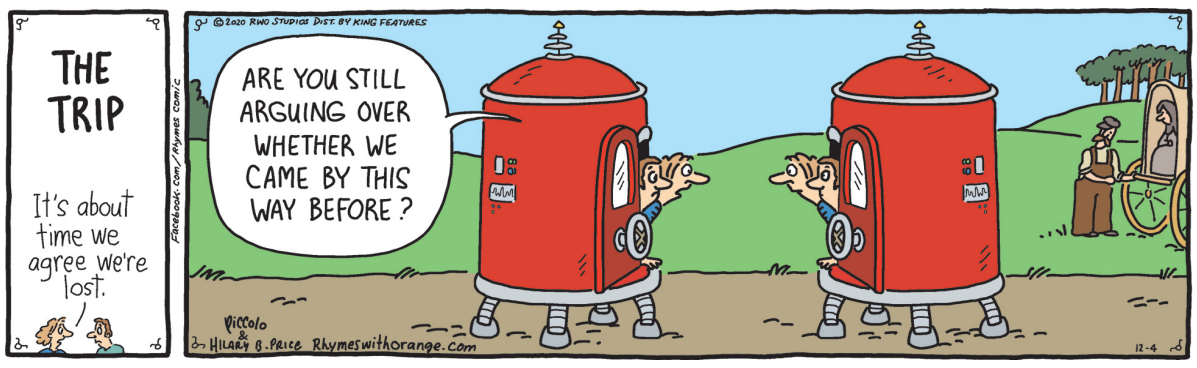

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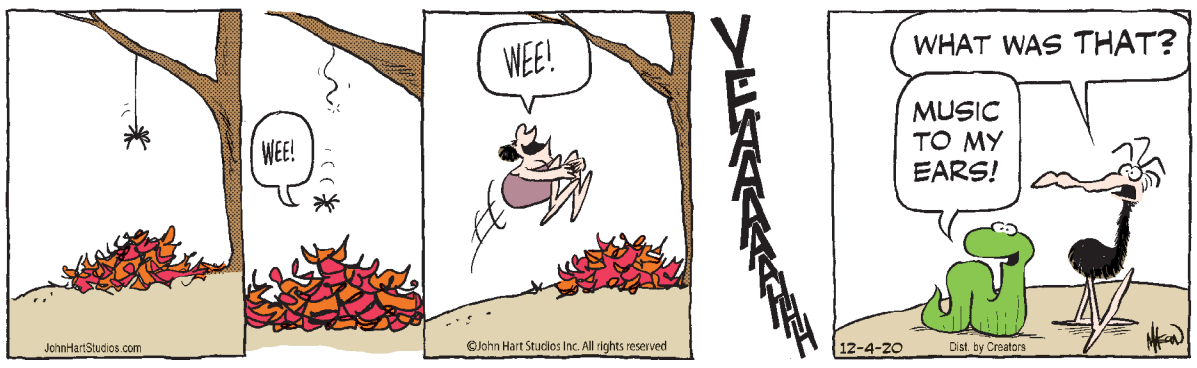

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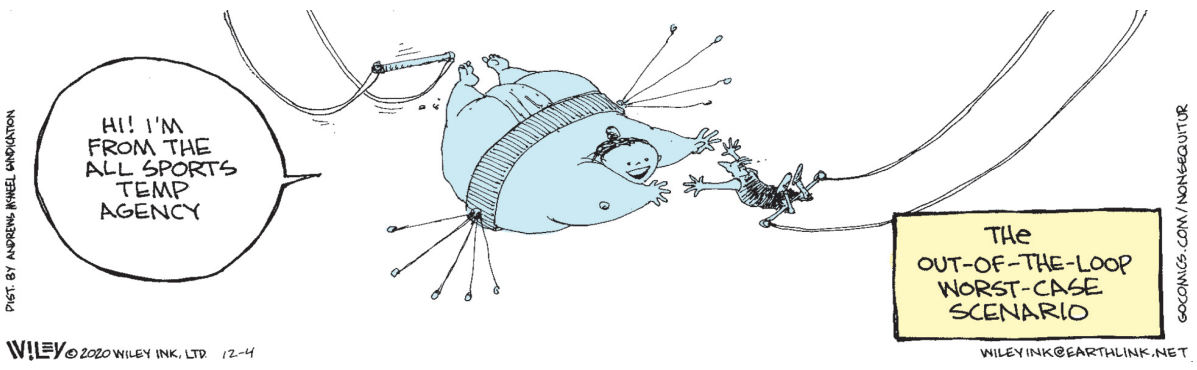

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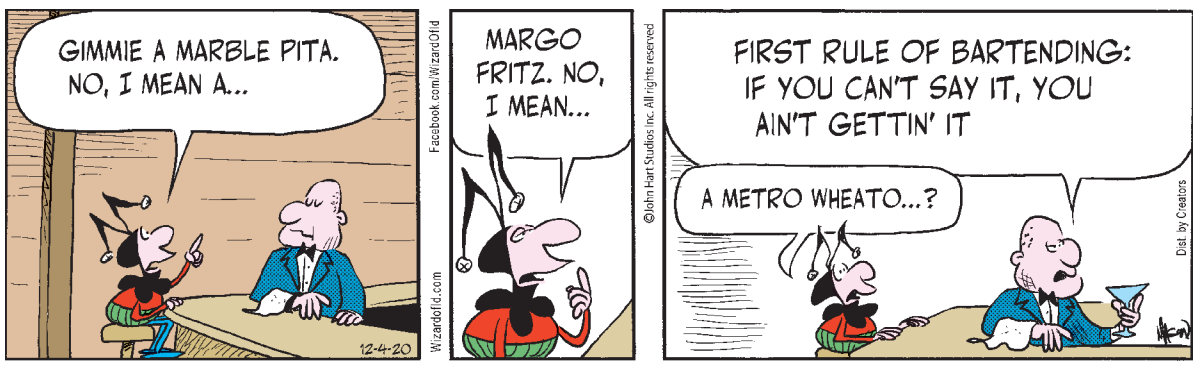

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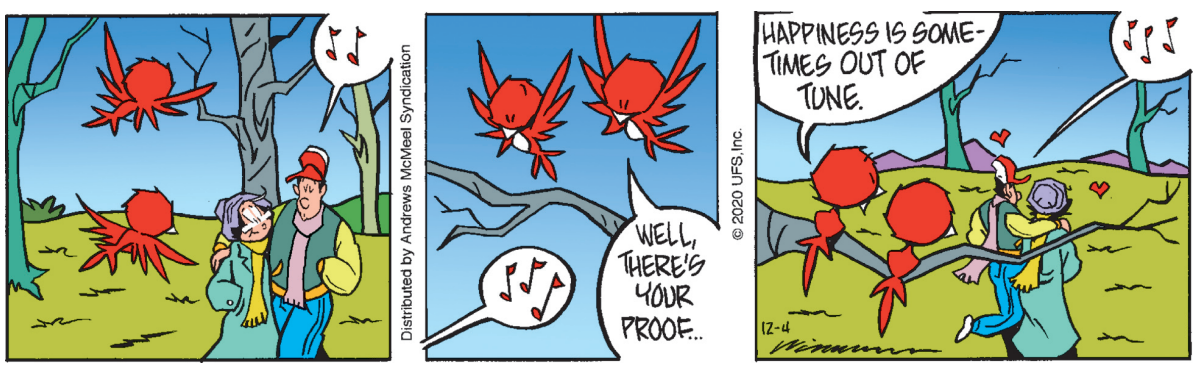

JANRIC CLASSIC SUDOKU

Fill in the blank cells using numbers 1 to 9. Each number can appear only once in each row, column and 3x3 block. Use logic and process elimination to solve the puzzle. The difficulty level ranges from Bronze (easiest) to Silver to Gold (hardest).

Rating: GOLD

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12/5/20

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Solution to 12/4/20

8	2	1	3	7	4	5	9	6
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DAY AFTER TOMORROW'S HOROSCOPE

MONDAY, DECEMBER 7, 2020

ARIES (March 21-April 19). Those who don't know what to think are better off than those who do. To fall back on the established facts isn't really thinking so much as enforcing previous thoughts. You'll push forward with curiosity.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20). Power inequalities can have a deleterious effect on relationships, and this is why the socially astute will be extremely careful not to act on advantages and will downplay differences while striving toward egalitarianism.

GEMINI (May 21-June 21). You'll come across some brilliant salesmanship. Admire the skill, but don't let it hook you in. The worse the product, the more seductive the marketing will be.

CANCER (June 22-July 22). If you are what you think about, are you the news or the chore? The sandwich, the hunger, the chef? You're on to something with this sense of being the puppet, the puppeteer and the cross-legged child watching the show from the floor.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22). By demanding too much of yourself and then scaling back, you will eventually land on a sweet spot that you would not otherwise find if you were to simply watch the others and aim down the middle.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22). Just when the scene teeters on the brink of total boredom, you'll bring out the mischievous side of someone. It's a delicious discovery — the funny little wicked streak you find in an otherwise-straight-and-narrow persona.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23). This spot you're in has obvious limitations and less obvious (at least to you) opportunities. Outsiders will be the best source of insight, ideas and information. Collect now; filter; and sort your findings later.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 21). Problems push you along. It's actually an easier way to get there than having to come up with the entire enterprise yourself. In a way, you'll be glad for all that has inconvenienced and opposed you.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21). It's a day when you're likely to gather loads of incomplete and unreliable data, only because that's what's out there. Later, you can lay it all out on the table and put your critical-thinking skills to excellent use.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19). If your success is solely based on how your actions measure up to your expectations of yourself, then no one in the entire world can thwart or spawn your success except you.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18). By noon, you've come up with theories and solutions that are the best the day will bring, and the rest of the time will be spent applying them — hopefully. Otherwise, the morning work will have been for nothing.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20). You'll get another crack at a puzzle and end up solving it differently than the way you did the first time. Try it again and again and a pattern of solutions will emerge. This pattern will work on other puzzles, too.

MONDAY'S BIRTHDAY (Dec. 7). You've craved a better balance between doing what it takes to make a living and loving what you do. A professional shift will tip you in the direction that brings you deep satisfaction. Improvements in your routine lead to feeling better and stronger. A super-fun someone will spice up 2021. Taurus and Gemini adore you. Your lucky numbers are: 9, 40, 3, 33 and 28.

ACROSS

1 Low- — diet
5 Tax prep pros
9 Young bloke
12 Draft status
13 "Casablanca" role
14 Swiss canton
15 "Stay" singer Lisa
16 Blood vessel
17 Napkin's place
18 "Ocean's Eleven" actor Garcia
19 Cartesian conclusion
20 Works on a soundtrack
21 Paper Mate rival
23 Discoverer's call
25 Soup utensils
28 — burger
32 Jazz genre
33 Ecstasy's opposite
34 Ill will
36 Walked boldly
37 Greek H
38 Comedian Margaret
39 Equitable
42 Corp. boss
44 Ready for customers
48 Back talk
49 Ireland
50 Japanese soup
51 Commotion
52 Hereditary unit
53 "House" actor Omar
54 Director Craven
55 Rhyming tributes
56 Actress Russo

DOWN

1 Pop choice
2 Unsigned (Abbr.)
3 Clarinet insert
4 Gen Xer's parent
5 Social Studies course
6 Entreaty
7 "I, Robot" author
8 — Salvador
9 Humdinger
10 The "A" of UAE
11 Quick swims
20 Pet prettifier
22 Suggestions
24 Moor
25 Govt. loan agcy.
26 Signing need
27 Kimono sash
29 Sticky stuff
30 Neighbor of Ill.
31 Needle hole
35 Hallowed
36 Tea biscuits
39 Imperfection
40 Staffer
41 Wall St. debuts
43 Aachen article
45 Prop for Sherlock
46 "Baseball Tonight" channel
47 Proboscis
49 Swelled head

Solution time: 26 mins.

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Yesterday's answer 12-5

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