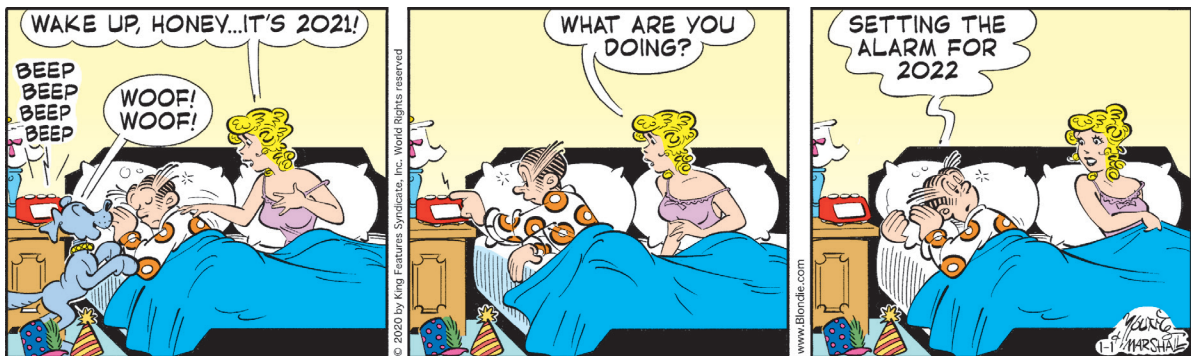


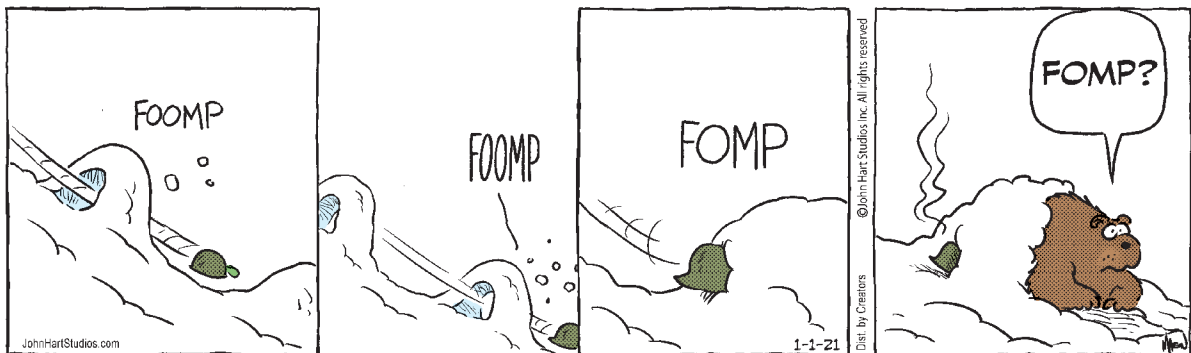
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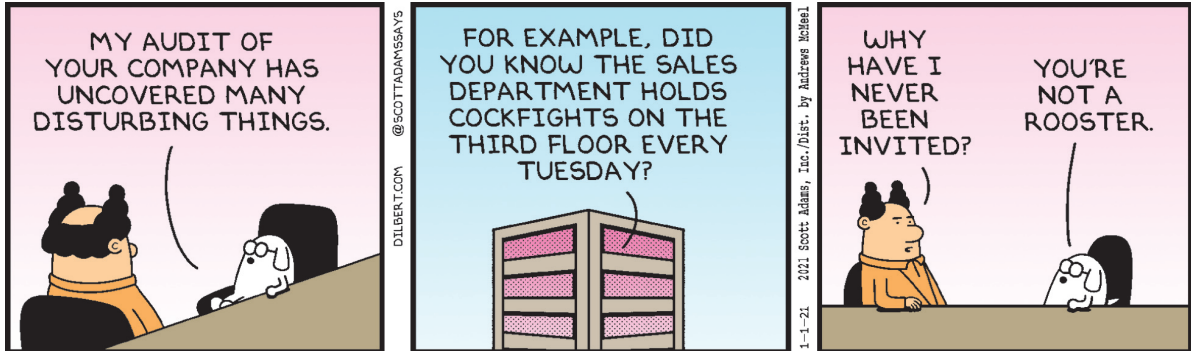
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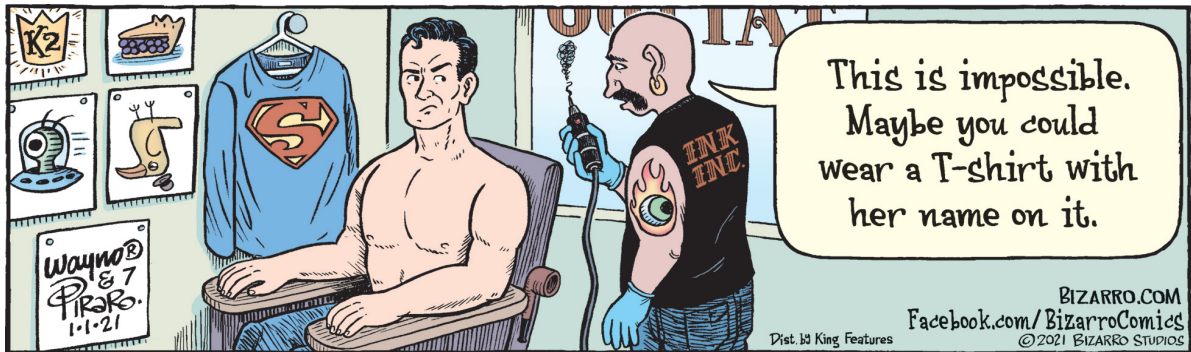
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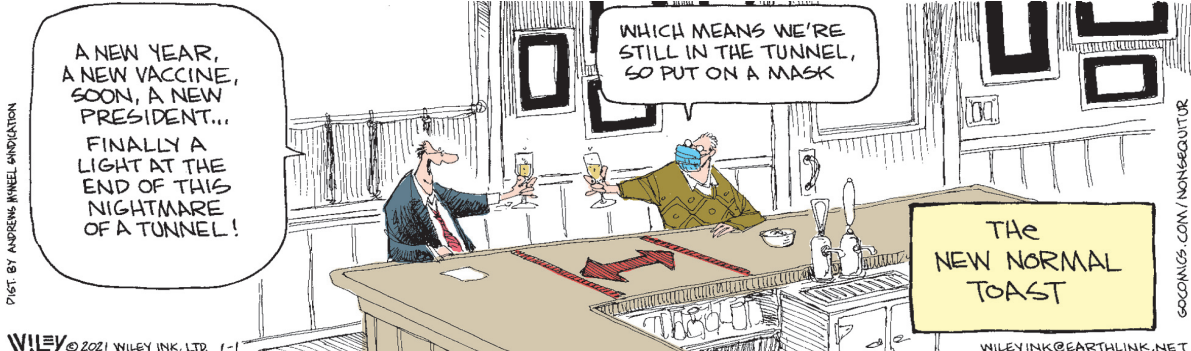
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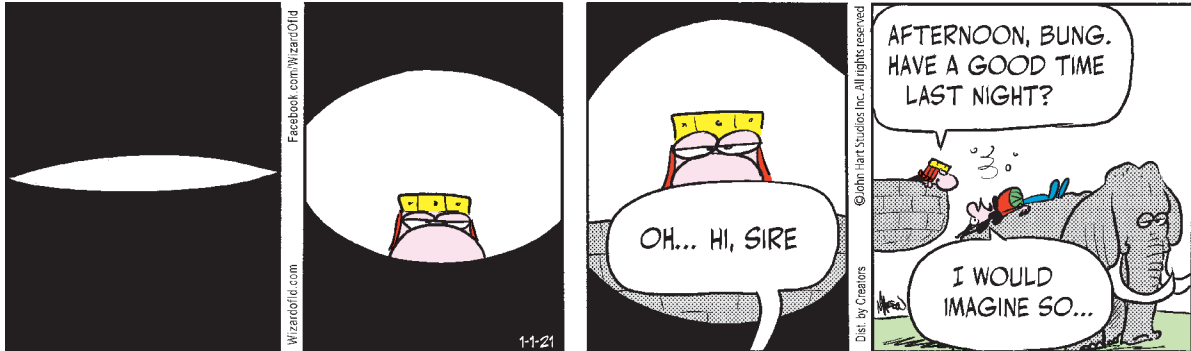
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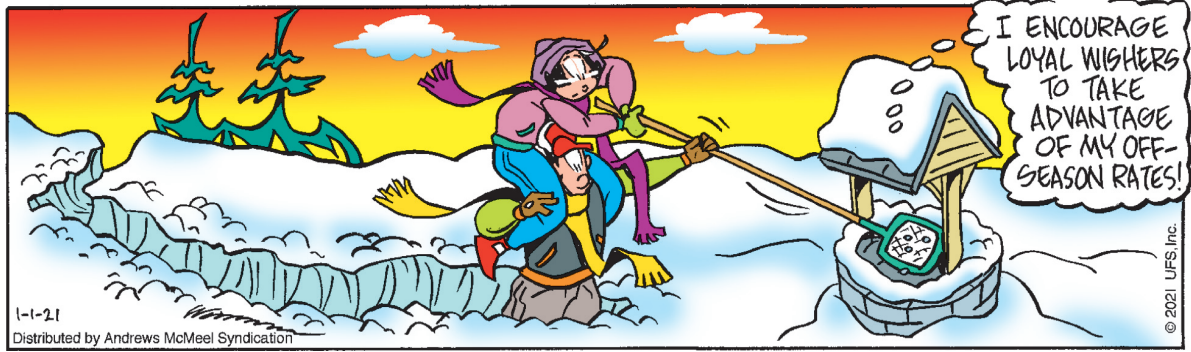
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JANRIC CLASSIC SUDOKU

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).

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Rating: GOLD

Solution to 1/1/21

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

MONDAY, JANUARY 4, 2021



ARIES (March 21-April 19).

Everywhere you go people are asking for feedback — robots, too. Corporations, social media posts, people around you, it's like your opinion is a precious commodity. Yes, and your attention and time are even more so.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20). Everything adds to your momentum, even the things that seem to thwart it. Whatever comes up, you'll handle it like a boss, take the necessary recovery time, and then get into the action of accelerating your intentions.

GEMINI (May 21-June 21). The risk worth taking won't involve the lottery or any other kind of game. The gamble to double down on is an investment in you — your education, your dreams or even your whims.

CANCER (June 22-July 22). Look for the answer to the trick. The flash pot is redirecting your attention, so what is it they don't want you to look at? What matters is the intention behind the magic. Can you see that, too?

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22). Your goal is to create a pleasant social flow and an environment of comfort and familiarity. You deliver better work from that sort of atmosphere and so will the others.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22). When what you do serves a purpose, that's a viable contribution. When what you do changes someone, that's an art. You're happy with the former, though you'll strive for the latter until it's done.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23). You're adhering to a pattern set long ago because it's what has always been expected. But this sequence isn't as fulfilling as you want it to be. You'll dare to set different expectations, and the others' will change soon after.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 21).

You've a charming way of letting the other person know that you're engaged in their sharing. For this reason, people will seek your company. They want your reaction and will ask for it time and again.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21). Don't let the jittery rhythm of the day stop you from forward movement. You'll find yourself doing a highly original dance — a dance you couldn't have found without this unusual beat.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19).

You'll adjust your thinking in regard to a hobby. It's becoming more like work. You approach it like a professional. Whether you're getting paid for it is beside the point. Your attitude changes your game.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18).

Your attraction to someone is based in an attraction to the "you" that emerges when you're around this person. Seize this shiny opportunity to play a different role, one that's focused on your common interests.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20). You embrace the process of creation in service to improvement. Creativity thrives in the same sort of environment that nurtures children — acceptance, support and a set of lovingly, consistently enforced rules.

MONDAY'S BIRTHDAY (Jan. 4).

From where you currently sit on this whimsical path, you couldn't possibly guess the wonders ahead. Moneymaking opportunities come in new forms. February and June sparkle with social excitement and new relationships. Summer swirls around a singular goal and the dream team to make it happen. Virgo and Libra adore you. Your lucky numbers are: 33, 12, 4, 18 and 39.

ACROSS

- 1 "Phooey!"
- 5 Former sunscreen additive
- 9 Freedom, for short
- 12 Franc replacement
- 13 Wreck
- 14 "Born in the —"
- 15 Model in a bottle
- 16 Wild revelry
- 17 Boxer Norton
- 18 Baghdad's land
- 19 Reunion gp.
- 20 Nourish
- 21 Swiss canton
- 23 Sashimi fish
- 25 Persian Gulf land
- 28 Waist-cinching garment
- 32 Face-to-face exams

33 Leading man?

- 34 Conan of late-night TV
- 36 Blood line
- 37 Mao — -tung
- 38 Computer key
- 39 Tactic
- 42 Identify
- 44 Nexus
- 48 "You've got mail" ISP
- 49 Senate aide
- 50 Bard's river
- 51 Scoundrel
- 52 Pond growth
- 53 Wise one

54 Gridiron scores, for short

- 55 King of the jungle
- 56 Winter blanket
- DOWN
- 1 He loved Lucy
- 2 German river
- 3 Met melody
- 4 Superior
- 5 Business goal
- 6 Mystique
- 7 Golden Arches burger
- 8 Whatever

9 Sci-fi's Skywalker

- 10 "Got it"
- 11 Combo
- 20 Superior
- 22 Reacts to yeast
- 24 60-minute segments
- 25 "Kitchy—!"
- 26 City area, for short
- 27 Series of battles
- 29 That lady
- 30 Always, in verse
- 31 Sample
- 35 Kath-mandu native
- 36 Sea off Greece
- 39 Treaty
- 40 Burden
- 41 Early automaker
- 43 Waffle brand
- 45 Tennis great
- Lendl
- 46 Scrapped mission
- 47 Recognized
- 49 Bud

Solution time: 26 mins.

PUB	PEST	HEAL			
ETA	URSA	ANTE			
PEC	CORINO	RYES			
	KLEE	SLAMS			
BAD	GE	MATE			
ABRA	PALOMINO				
NEO	SANTA	DOG			
ALPA	CINCO	BENE			
	CODA	RENEE			
CHART	CHE	T			
LIDO	FILIPINO				
ALAS	INON	TAP			
MOMS	EDGE	YET			

Yesterday's answer 1-2

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