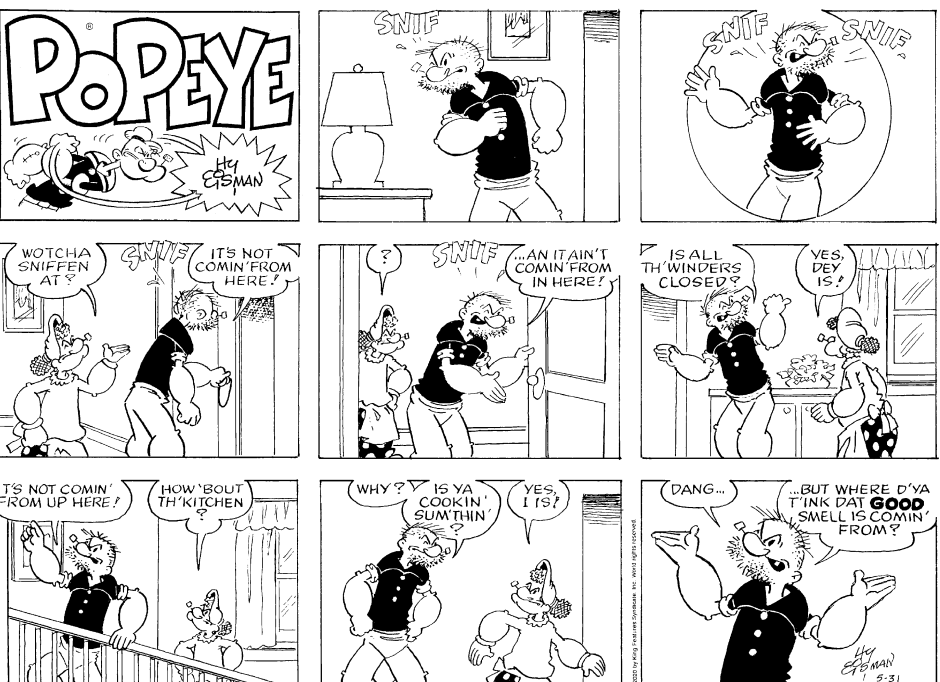


# SIDE SHOW

## POPEYE



HY ESMAN

WOTCHA SNIFFEN AT?

IT'S NOT COMIN' FROM HERE?

HOW 'BOUT TH' KITCHEN?

IT'S NOT COMIN' FROM UP HERE?

WHY?

IS YA COOKIN' SUM' THIN?

YES, I IS!

AN IT AIN'T COMIN' FROM IN HERE?

IS ALL TH' WINDERS CLOSED?

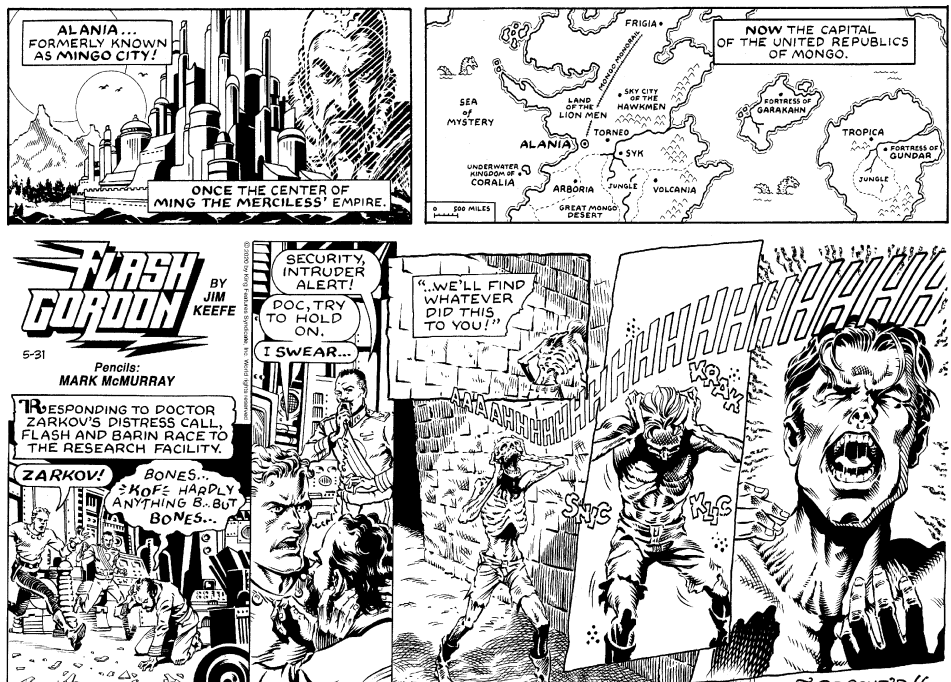
YES, DEY IS!

DANG...

BUT WHERE D'YA T'INK DAT GOOD SMELL IS COMIN' FROM?

HY ESMAN

## ALANIA



ALANIA... FORMERLY KNOWN AS MINGO CITY!

ONCE THE CENTER OF MING THE MERCILESS' EMPIRE

SECURITY INTRUDER ALERT! DOC, TRY TO HOLD ON. I SWEAR...

"WE'LL FIND WHATEVER DID THIS TO YOU!"

ZARKOV! BONES. KAGS HAPPY ANYTHING B-BUT BONES...

TO RESPONDING TO DOCTOR ZARKOV'S DISTRESS CALL, FLASH AND BARIN RACE TO THE RESEARCH FACILITY.

BY JIM KEEFE

Pencils: MARK McMURRAY

## Prince Valiant



Our Story:

HE HAILS THE BARRICADED BEASTMEN: "I, TOO, AM FROM A DISTANT SHORE. ALLOW ME TO APPROACH AND SPEAK!"

LANCLOT GRUMBLES: "WHO IS THIS DARK MAN WHO WOULD RUN OUR AFFAIRS?" VAL SHRUGS: "DO YOU OFFER A BETTER PLAN? LET HIM TRY - BLOODSHED IS NEVER A GOOD THING IN THE ROYAL COURT."

BY FORSTERS

BY GIANNI AND SCHULTZ

## Out on a Limb



I WEAR A MASK NOT BECAUSE I'M A SHEEP... I WEAR IT BECAUSE IT COVERS MY SLIGHT OVERBITE.

by Gary Kopervas

## Brinkmanship



WHILE, ON THE BALCONY ABOVE, MUDDER, BUP AND IG ARGUE THE ACCEPTANCE OF BUKOTA'S PROPOSAL, THEIR CAPTIVE BRIDES COWER, SEEMINGLY FORGOTTEN.

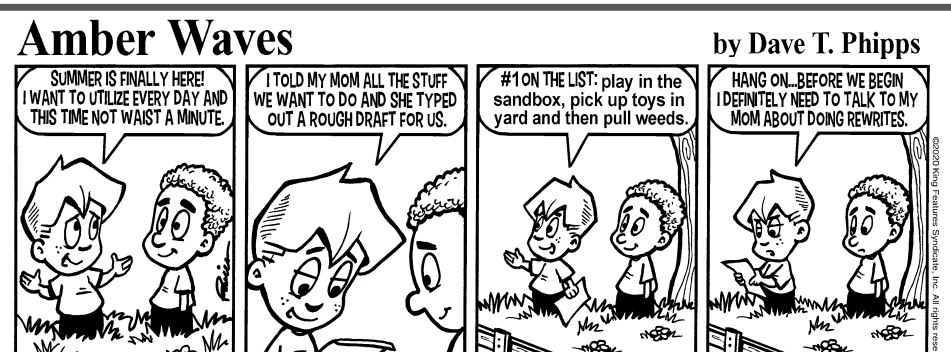
THEN, QUITE UNEXPECTEDLY, BUKOTA IS CLIMBING INTO THE PREOCCUPIED BEASTMEN'S STRONGHOLD. "MY FRIENDS, YOUR TIME GROWS SHORT..." HE COUNSELS.

NEXT: **Brinkmanship**

BY SPENCER

BY GUY DILL

## Amber Waves



SUMMER IS FINALLY HERE! I WANT TO UTILIZE EVERY DAY AND THIS TIME NOT WAIT A MINUTE.

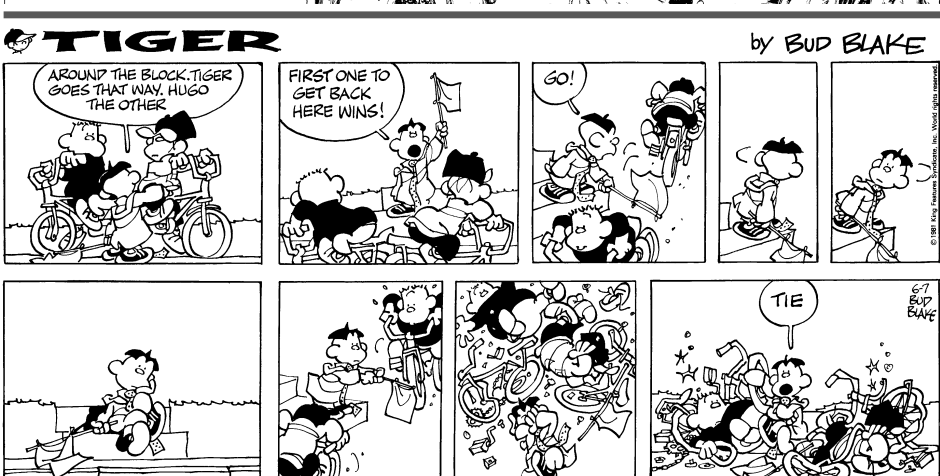
I TOLD MY MOM ALL THE STUFF WE WANT TO DO AND SHE TYPED OUT A ROUGH DRAFT FOR US.

#1 ON THE LIST: play in the sandbox, pick up toys in yard and then pull weeds.

HANG ON... BEFORE WE BEGIN I DEFINITELY NEED TO TALK TO MY MOM ABOUT DOING REWRITES.

by Dave T. Phipps

## TIGER



AROUND THE BLOCK, TIGER GOES THAT WAY, HUGO THE OTHER.

FIRST ONE TO GET BACK HERE WINS!

GO!

TIE

by BUD BLAKE

## R.F.D.



WHAT'S UP WITH THIS?

WE'VE BANNED THE USE OF PLASTIC HERE AT THE FARM STAND.

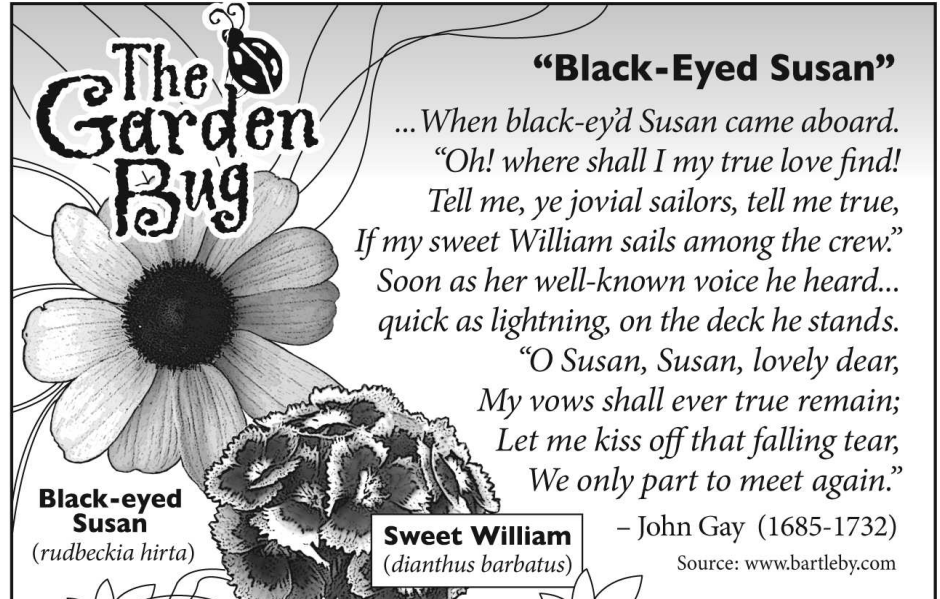
WE ONLY USE PAPER BAGS & WE ENCOURAGE YOU TO BRING YOUR OWN CLOTH BAGS

WELL, 'CEPT FOR DEBIT AND CREDIT CARDS.

ONLY PAPER BAGS & WE ENCOURAGE YOU TO BRING YOUR OWN CLOTH BAGS

by Mike Marland

## The Garden Bug



**"Black-Eyed Susan"**

...When black-ey'd Susan came aboard.  
"Oh! where shall I my true love find!  
Tell me, ye jovial sailors, tell me true,  
If my sweet William sails among the crew."  
Soon as her well-known voice he heard...  
quick as lightning, on the deck he stands.  
"O Susan, Susan, lovely dear,  
My vows shall ever true remain;  
Let me kiss off that falling tear,  
We only part to meet again."

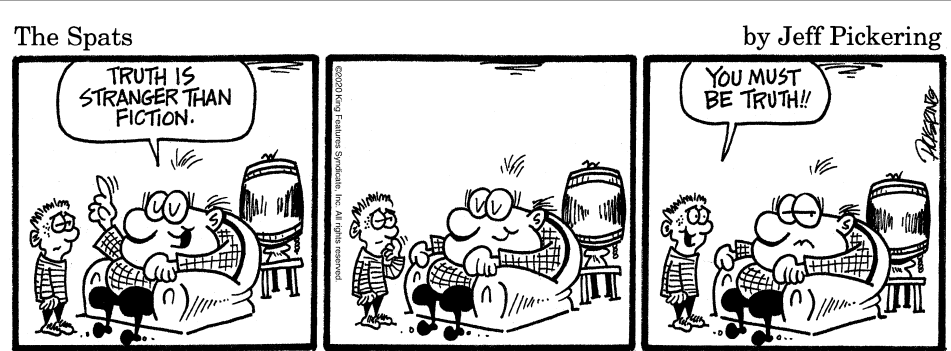
— John Gay (1685-1732)

Source: [www.bartleby.com](http://www.bartleby.com)

**Black-eyed Susan**  
(rudbeckia hirta)

**Sweet William**  
(dianthus barbatus)

## The Spats

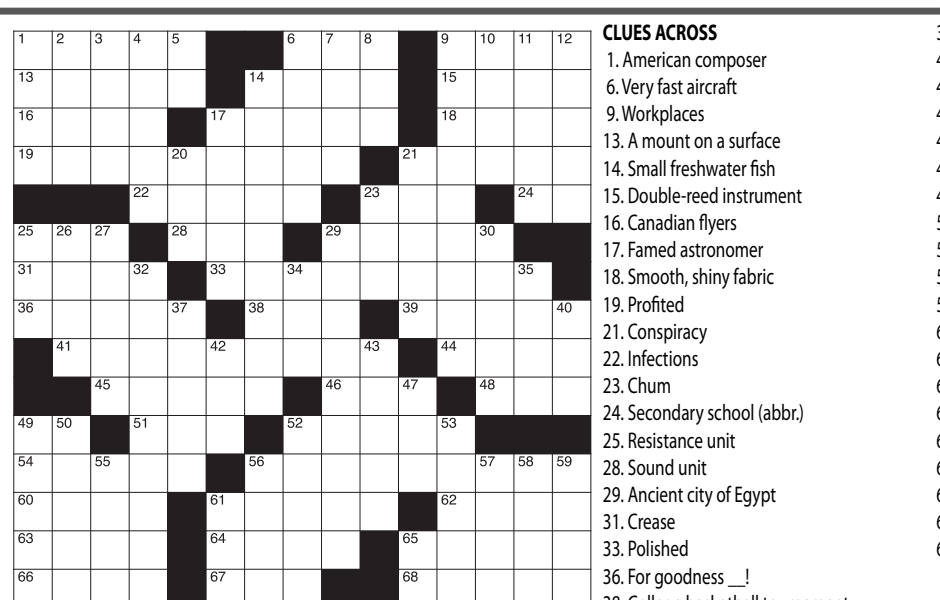


TRUTH IS STRANGER THAN FICTION.

YOU MUST BE TRUTH!!

by Jeff Pickering

## Crossword



1. American composer

6. Very fast aircraft

9. Workplaces

13. A mount on a surface

14. Small freshwater fish

15. Double-reed instrument

16. Canadian flyers

17. Famed astronomer

18. Smooth, shiny fabric

19. Profited

21. Conspiracy

22. Infections

23. Chum

24. Secondary school (abbr.)

25. Resistance unit

28. Sound unit

29. Ancient city of Egypt


31. Crease

33. Polished

36. For goodness' \_!

38. College basketball tournament

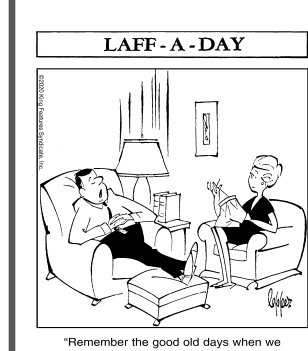
## Just Like Cats & Dogs



IT'S TIMES LIKE THIS I WONDER JUST WHAT I DID RIGHT OR WHAT YOU MIGHT HAVE DONE WRONG?

by Dave T. Phipps

## LAFF-A-DAY



"Remember the good old days when we dreamed of owning all the things we're now

## Crossword

A	H	Y	O		B	Y	E	V	N	E	W			
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S	H	A	V		S	E	V	A	L		S	V	W	Y
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## HOROSCOPES

**ARIES** – Mar 21/Apr 20  
Aries, when faced with too many options, you may have difficulty making a final decision. This is when you may need to bring in a second opinion.

**TAURUS** – Apr 21/May 21  
Don't let indecisiveness get in your way, Taurus. You really know what you want deep down, so put those plans into action as soon as you can. Others may come along for the ride.

**GEMINI** – May 22/June 21  
Don't feel like you need to make sense of everything all of the time, Gemini. Sometimes things will work themselves out and will become more clear over time.

**CANCER** – June 22/July 22  
Don't put too many eggs in one basket, Cancer. Look for

**LEO** – July 23/Aug 23  
There is little point focusing all your energy on a situation that you know will not go in your favor, Leo. Instead, start zeroing in on a different project or task.

**VIRGO** – Aug 24/Sept 22  
Creative pursuits are keeping you busy, Virgo. While they may fill the hours, figure out a

**LIBRA** – Sept 23/Oct 23  
It is hard to foster tight relationships when you do not actively work on them, Libra. Sometimes you need to take the lead and initiate contact with others.

**SCORPIO** – Oct 24/Nov 22  
Don't be too hard on yourself if some poor news at work seems to be directly related to one of your assignments, Scorpio. You were only one factor in this situation.

**SAGITTARIUS** – Nov 23/Dec 21  
Take as many moments as you can steal for yourself in the days to come, Sagittarius. Soon enough you will be too busy to sit and relax for any amount of time.

**CAPRICORN** – Dec 22/Jan 20  
Friends certainly have your back, Capricorn. You must be willing to accept their assistance in your time of need. Even though you're a giver by nature, accept the help.

**AQUARIUS** – Jan 21/Feb 18  
Aquarius, it may be up to you to step up and make up some of the financial deficit in your household when you get news that affects everyone. You can quickly recover.

**PISCES** – Feb 19/Mar 20  
New career goals may have to be put on hold for the time being, Pisces. Another issue takes precedence at the moment.

## MEET ROCKY



Rocky is a 4 year old Terrier mix who weighs around 35 pounds. He loves to play and cuddle. He is a little shy but warms up quickly.

## WE NEED A HOME....

If you would like to meet these two or any of their friends, please visit us at:

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## MEET GIDGET



Gidget is an 8 month old, female DSH, kitten. She is a very sweet girl who is very playful and likes attention. She gets along great with other cats.