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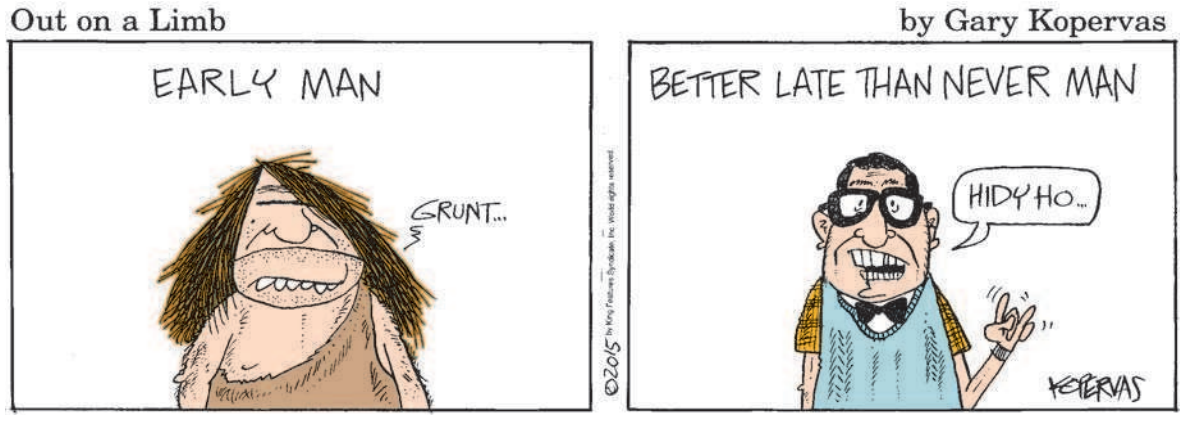

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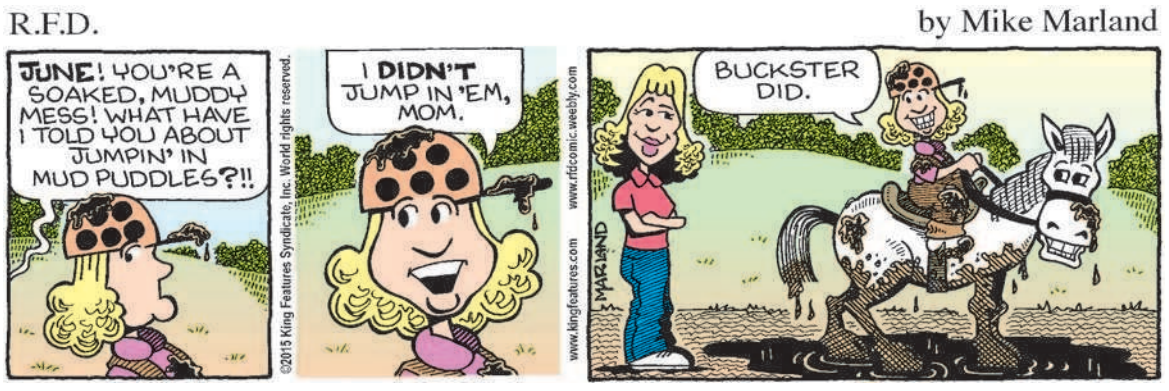

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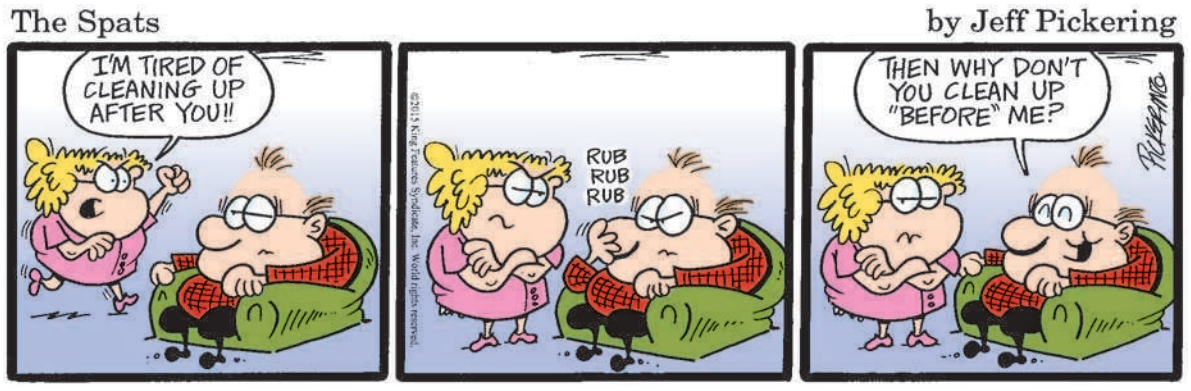

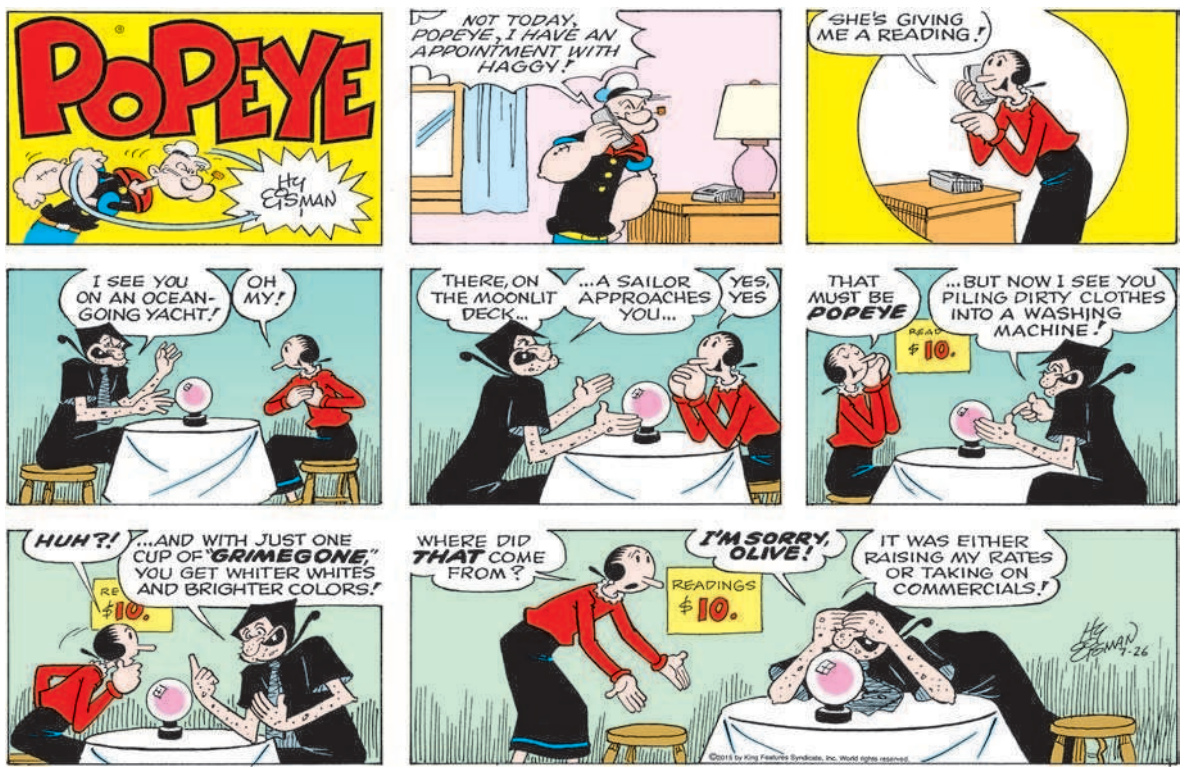

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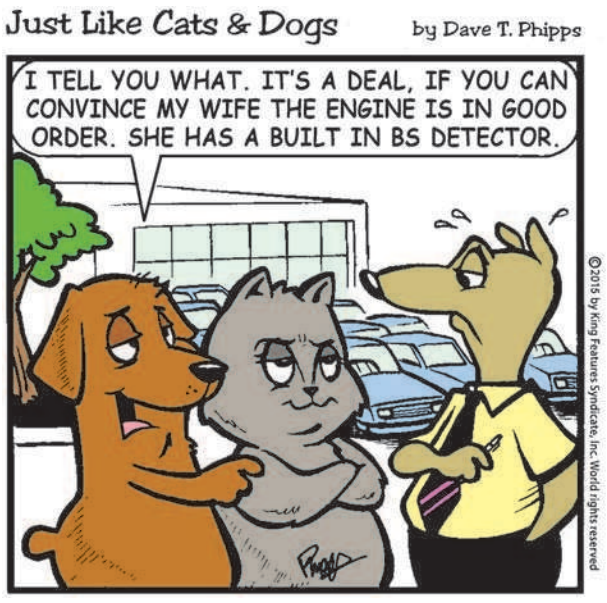


LAFF-A-DAY

"You're right, Marsha, his fly is open."

SCRAMBLERS

Unscramble the letters within each rectangle to form four ordinary words. Then rearrange the boxed letters to form the mystery word, which will complete the gag!

Shoot **TROUPS** ___ ___ ___ [ ] ___ [ ]

Obvious **TROVE** ___ [ ] ___ [ ] ___

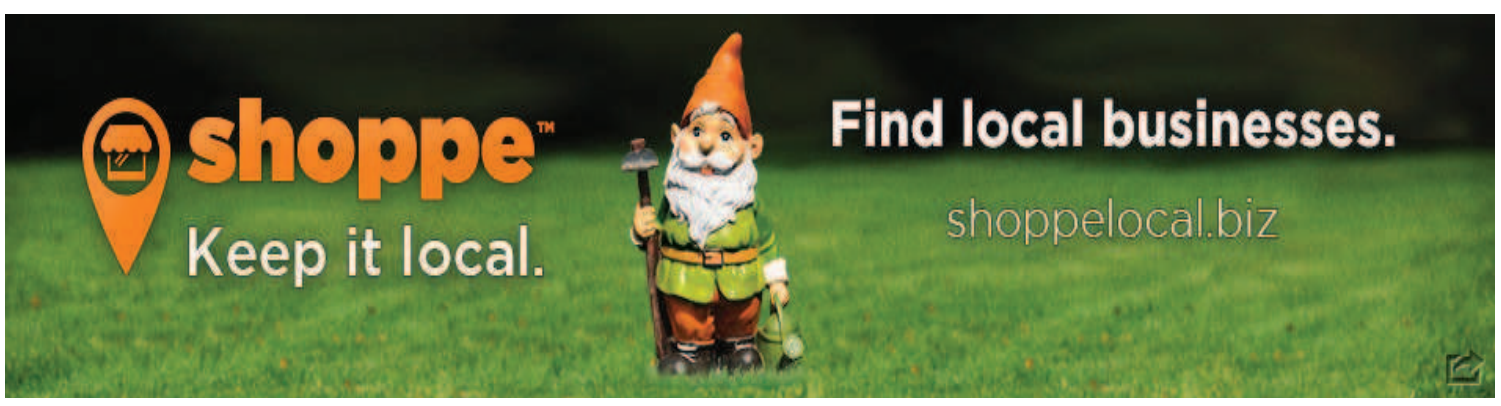
Provide **STEVIN** [ ] ___ ___ [ ] ___ ___

Domain **LAMER** ___ [ ] ___ ___ [ ]

"Don't worry about the expense—we'll have him back on his feet and working __ __ __ __ __ __ __ __ before you know it."

TODAY'S WORD

___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___



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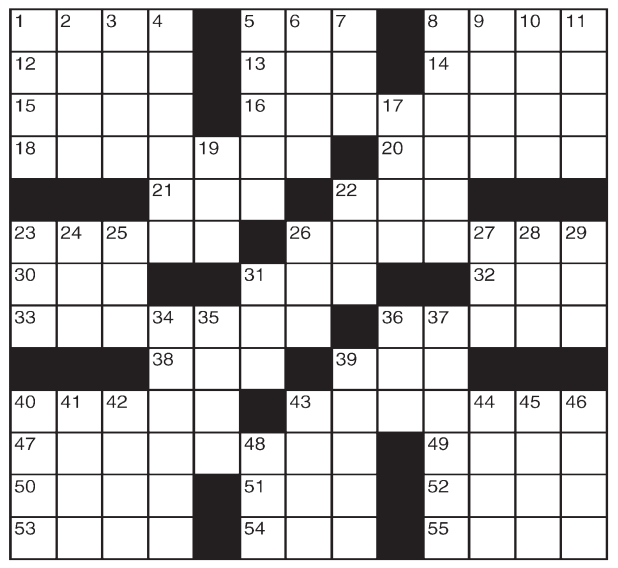

ACROSS

1 Highway division
5 Lamb's mama
8 Take to the pool
12 Press
13 Atlas page
14 Windy day toy
15 Uncategorized (Abbr.)
16 Pete Fountain's instrument
18 Rifle attachment
20 Minuscule bits
21 Regret
22 Big Apple letters
23 Bedding material
26 Stocking style
30 Exist
31 Office machine
32 Hockey legend Bobby
33 Presidential advisors
36 English composition
38 Fresh
39 See 37-Down
40 Ottoman officer
43 Tiara's relative
47 Surfing mecca?
49 — and kin
50 Take the show on the road
51 Praise in verse
52 Birthright barterer
53 Heche or Hathaway
54 Solidify
55 Univ. paper

DOWN

1 Big branch
2 Operatic solo
3 Inquisitive
4 "Keep singing!"
5 Host
6 Poet Whitman
7 Eco-friendly govt. agency
8 Bandleader Henderson
9 Drunkard
10 Particular
11 Citi Field team
17 Beams
19 Sister
22 Put the kibosh on
23 Varnish ingredient
24 401(k) alternative
25 Kan. neighbor
26 Obese
27 Ph. bk. data
28 Geological period
29 Attempt
31 Not many
34 Belong naturally
35 Approach
36 Listener
37 With 39-Across, holiday entree
39 "Monopoly" buy
40 Pocket bread
41 Any time now
42 Dazzle
43 Relinquish
44 Unless, in law
45 Greek vowels
46 So
48 Yule quaff

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Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

		8		2				4
5			3	9		1		
	9				4		7	
	3		4			8		
		9			6			5
2		1		7			4	
	7			6				8
4	2		8			3		
		5			3		6	1

Place a number in the empty boxes in such a way that each row across, each column down and each small 9-box square contains all of the numbers from one to nine.

DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: ★★

★ Moderate ★★ Challenging
★★★ HOO BOY!

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Trivia test

by Fifi Rodriguez

1. GEOGRAPHY: Drake Passage is directly south of which continent?
2. U.S. CITIES: Independence Hall is located in which city?
3. LANGUAGE: What is a shaggy dog story?
4. LITERATURE: Who wrote the novel "Lady Chatterley's Lover"?
5. MUSIC: Who composed "Clair de Lune"?
6. U.S. PRESIDENTS: When did Franklin Roosevelt contract polio?
7. PSYCHOLOGY: What fear is represented in the condition called "iophobia"?
8. TELEVISION: Who voices the character of Mr. Burns on "The Simpsons"?
9. HISTORY: When did the Warsaw Ghetto Uprising begin?
10. ENTERTAINMENT: Which entertainer's nickname was "Satchmo," short for "Satchel Mouth"?

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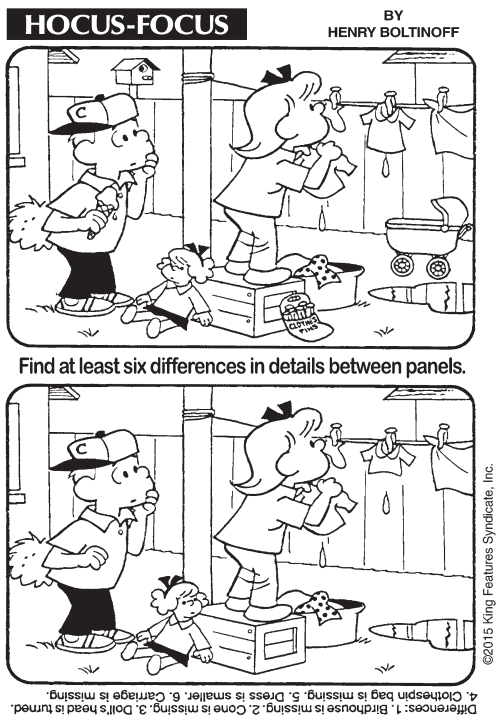
HOCUS-FOCUS

BY HENRY BOLTINOFF



Find at least six differences in details between panels.

Differences: 1. Birdhouse is missing. 2. Cone is missing. 3. Doll's head is turned. 4. Clothespin bag is missing. 5. Dress is smaller. 6. Carriage is missing.

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CryptoQuip

This is a simple substitution cipher in which each letter used stands for another. If you think that X equals O, it will equal O throughout the puzzle. Solution is accomplished by trial and error.

Clue: **J** equals **O**

HSAVD Z AJJL AKV BDZXN

IZTIVD BJJLZV JFA JS AKV

SDZEIV, PJFYE CJF XHC ZA PHX

H BJYE XTHN?

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King Crossword — Answers

Solution time: 21 mins.

L	A	N	E	■	E	W	E	■	S	W	I	M
I	R	O	N	■	M	A	P	■	K	I	T	E
M	I	S	C	■	C	L	A	R	I	N	E	T
B	A	Y	O	N	E	■	T	A	T	O	M	S
■	■	■	R	U	E	■	N	Y	C	■	■	■
L	I	N	E	N	■	F	I	S	H	N	E	T
A	R	E	■	■	F	A	X	■	■	O	R	R
C	A	B	I	N	E	T	■	E	S	S	A	Y
■	■	■	N	E	W	■	H	A	M	■	■	■
P	A	S	H	A	■	C	O	R	O	N	E	T
I	N	T	E	R	N	E	T	■	K	I	T	H
T	O	U	R	■	O	D	E	■	E	S	A	U
A	N	N	E	■	G	E	L	■	D	I	S	■

Weekly SUDOKU — Answer

7	1	8	6	2	5	9	3	4
3	9	2	1	8	4	5	7	6
5	6	4	3	9	7	1	8	2
6	3	7	4	5	1	8	2	9
8	4	9	2	3	6	7	1	5
2	5	1	9	7	8	6	4	3
4	2	6	8	1	9	3	5	7
1	7	3	5	6	2	4	9	8
9	8	5	7	4	3	2	6	1

Trivia Test Answers

1. South America
2. Philadelphia
3. A long-winded and often pointless anecdote
4. D.H. Lawrence
5. Debussy
6. 1921
7. A fear of poison
8. Harry Shearer
9. 1943
10. Trumpeter and singer Louis Armstrong

CryptoQuip Answer

After I took the crisp ginger cookie out of the fridge, would you say it was a cold snap?

SCRAMBLERS solution

1. Sprout; 2. Overt; 3. Invest; 4. Realm

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