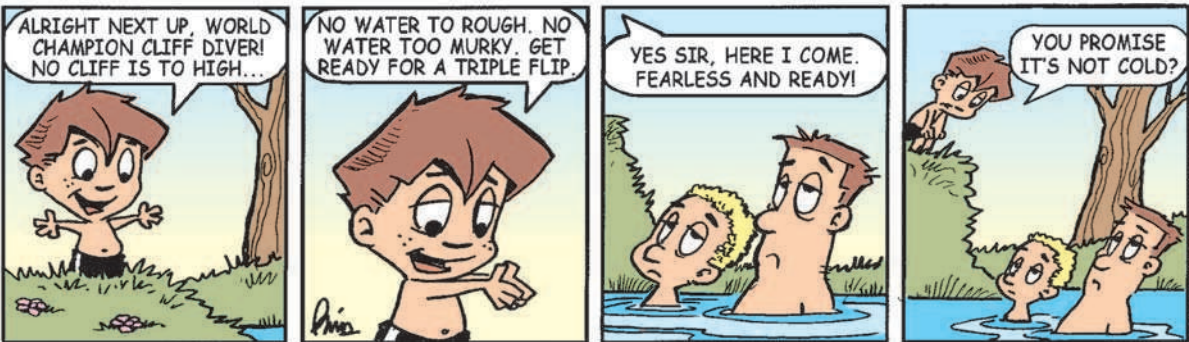


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by Dave T. Phipps



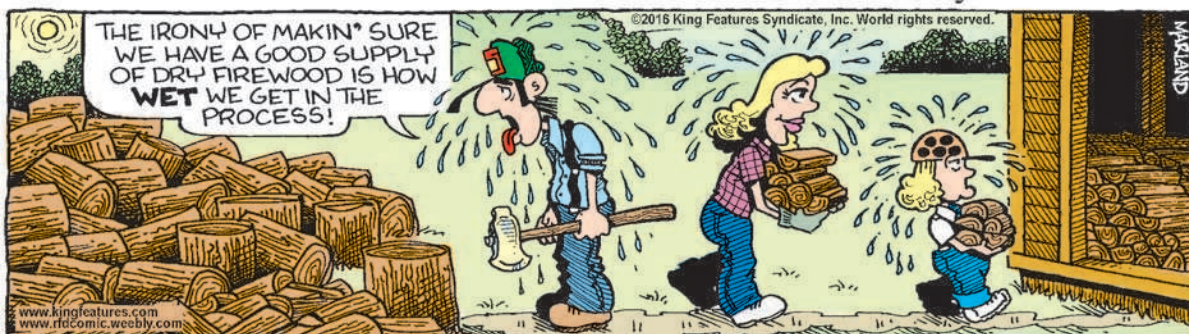
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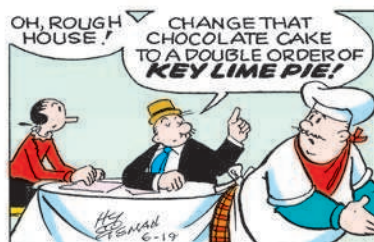
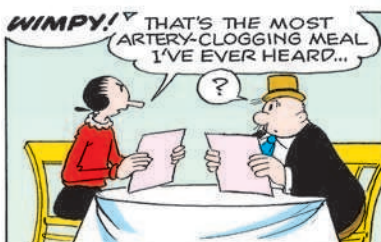
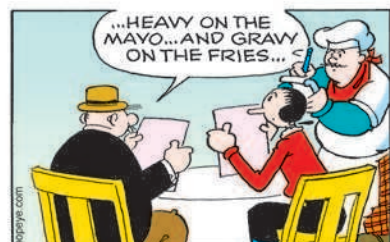
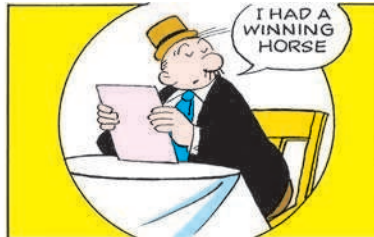
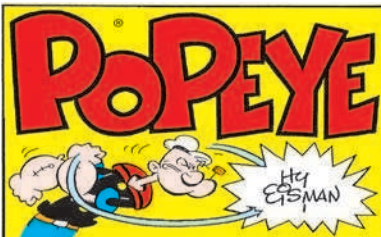
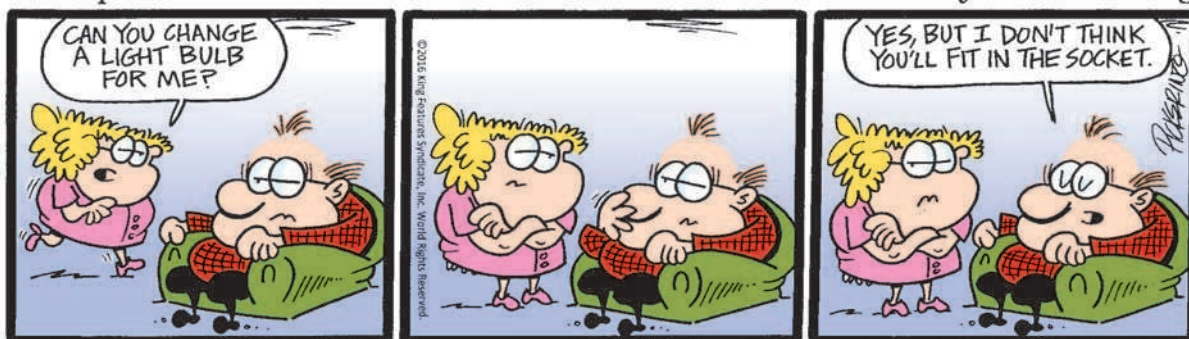
R.F.D.

by Mike Marland



The Spats

by Jeff Pickering



Just Like Cats & Dogs

by Dave T. Phipps



LAFF-A-DAY



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!

Switch PAWS [] [] [] []

Bestow NEWDO [] [] [] []

Middle TENCER [] [] [] []

Dawdle TRILEO [] [] [] []

TODAY'S WORD [] [] [] [] [] [] [] [] [] []

King Crossword

ACROSS

- 1 Circle portions
- 5 Owned
- 8 Open slightly
- 12 Milne bear
- 13 Eggs
- 14 Rage
- 15 Rewrite, maybe
- 16 What "old soldiers" do
- 18 Take out of context?
- 20 Inbox fillers
- 21 Santa's bagful
- 23 -- -tac-toe
- 24 All-American dessert
- 28 Use an old phone
- 31 Allow
- 32 "No man is an island" writer John
- 34 Brewery product
- 35 Item on stage
- 37 What George Washington couldn't do
- 39 Central
- 41 Sagacious
- 42 Ranking
- 45 In truth
- 49 Ultra-formal
- 51 Neighborhood
- 52 Top-rated
- 53 Coffee vessel
- 54 Shade of blue

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	
12					13			14			
15					16			17			
18				19			20				
			21			22		23			
24	25	26				27		28	29	30	
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		39		40		41					
42	43				44		45		46	47	48
49						50			51		
52							53			54	
55							56			57	

- 55 Raised
- 56 -- -relief
- 57 Slave to
- 9 Re our legal system
- 10 Seed covering
- 11 Deli loaves
- 17 911 respond-er (Abbr.)
- 19 Three- --- sloth
- 22 Tendon
- 24 Matterhorn, for one
- 25 Apiece
- 26 Type of food poisoning
- 27 Peps up
- 29 Boxing legend
- 30 CSA VIP
- 33 Otherwise
- 36 -- against (opposing)
- 38 Infuse with CO2
- 40 Payable
- 42 Mop the deck
- 43 Hammer wielder of myth
- 44 Theatergoer's souvenir
- 46 Enrages
- 47 Tilt
- 48 Connecticut campus
- 50 A Gershwin

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Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

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

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

- ANATOMY: Where are the carpal bones found in the human body?
- GEOGRAPHY: What is the deepest lake in the United States?
- LANGUAGE: What is another name for a sommelier?
- ANIMAL KINGDOM: What is the chief characteristic of a palmiped's feet?
- MUSIC: A piece of music in the "adagio" style would be played in what manner?
- HISTORY: What was the name of first fully functional Space Shuttle orbiter?
- MOVIES: What was the acronym name of the artificial intelligence in the "Iron Man" and "The Avengers" movies?
- GENERAL KNOWLEDGE: What is the study of the movement of bullets?
- U.S. GOVERNMENT: Who was the first secretary of the Treasury?
- LITERATURE: What was the title of the first James Bond novel?

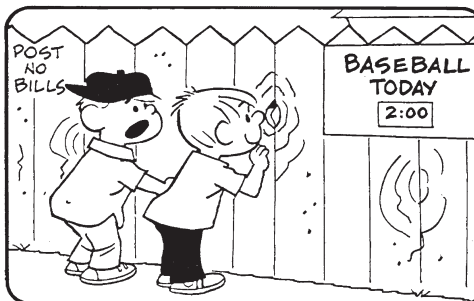
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HOCUS-FOCUS

BY HENRY BOLTIHOFF



Find at least six differences in details between panels.



Differences: 1. Fence top is different. 2. Sign emblem is missing. 3. Cap is missing. 4. Cuffs are missing. 5. Soda can is missing. 6. Sign is different. 7. Girl's hair is different. 8. Girl's shirt is missing. 9. Girl's shoes are missing. 10. "Casino Royale" vs. "Alexander Hamilton".

E	S	N	S	E	S	B	A	S	B	R	E	D
T	E	L	A	V	E	N	U	R	N	O	V	A
L	A	V	E	N	U	R	N	O	V	A	L	A
S	T	A	U	S	A	V	E	L	A	V	E	L
L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L
P	R	O	P	R	O	P	R	O	P	R	O	P
L	E	T	L	E	T	L	E	T	L	E	T	L
A	P	P	L	E	D	I	T	E	M	A	I	L
T	I	C	T	O	S	T	I	C	T	O	S	T
D	E	L	E	T	E	M	A	I	L	D	E	L
E	D	I	T	E	M	A	I	L	E	D	E	L
A	L	A	V	E	L	A	V	E	L	A	L	A

Solution time: 21 mins.

Answers

King Crossword

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

Answer

Weekly SUDOKU

CryptoQuip
Series about the goodies offered by a large California city: "The Treats of San Francisco."

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: B equals O

LQSCQL ZTBFM MDQ UBBNCQL
BPPQSQN TO Z JZSUQ
AZJCPBSWCZ ACOM: "MDQ
MSQZML BP LZW PSZWACLAB."

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Today's Word
3. Center; 4. Letter
1. Swap; 2. Endow;
solution
SCRAMBLERS