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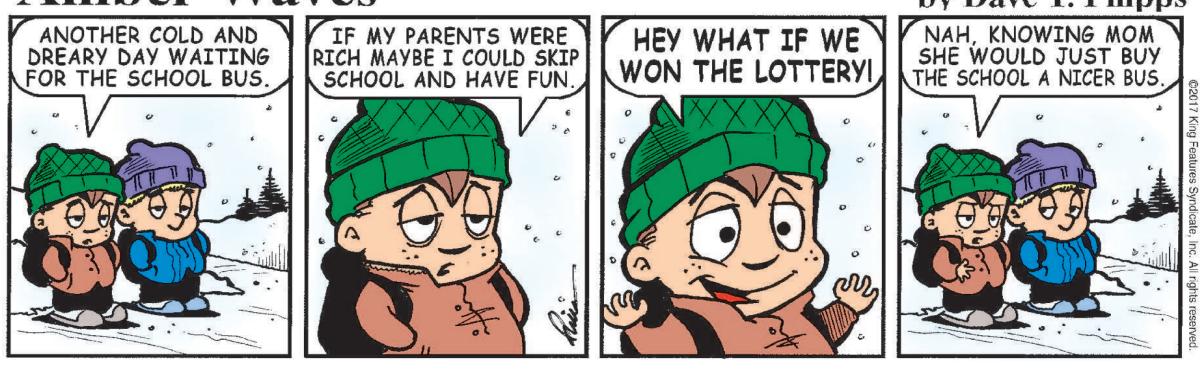

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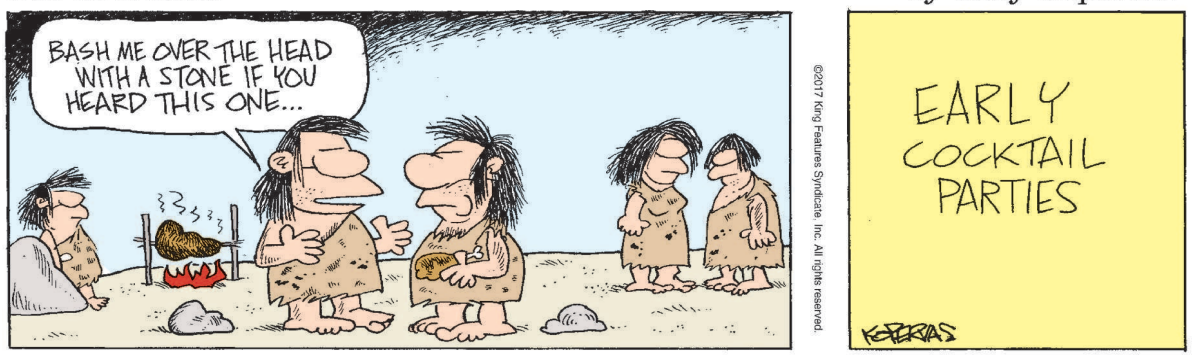

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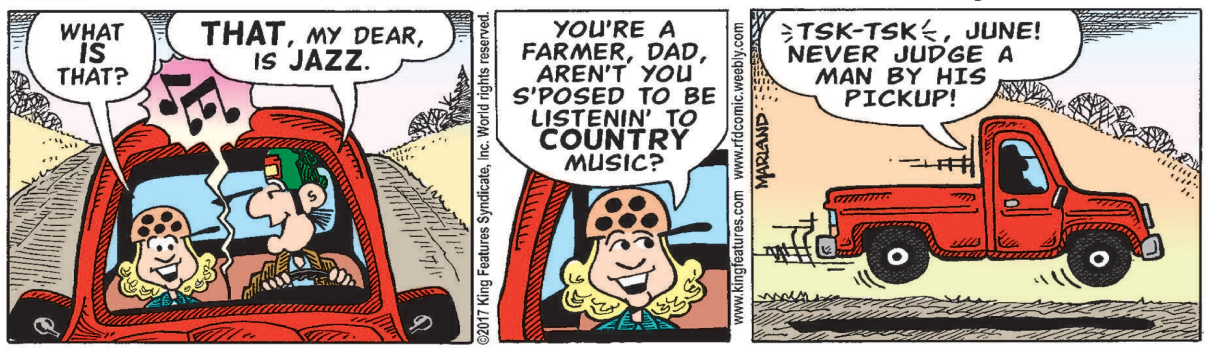

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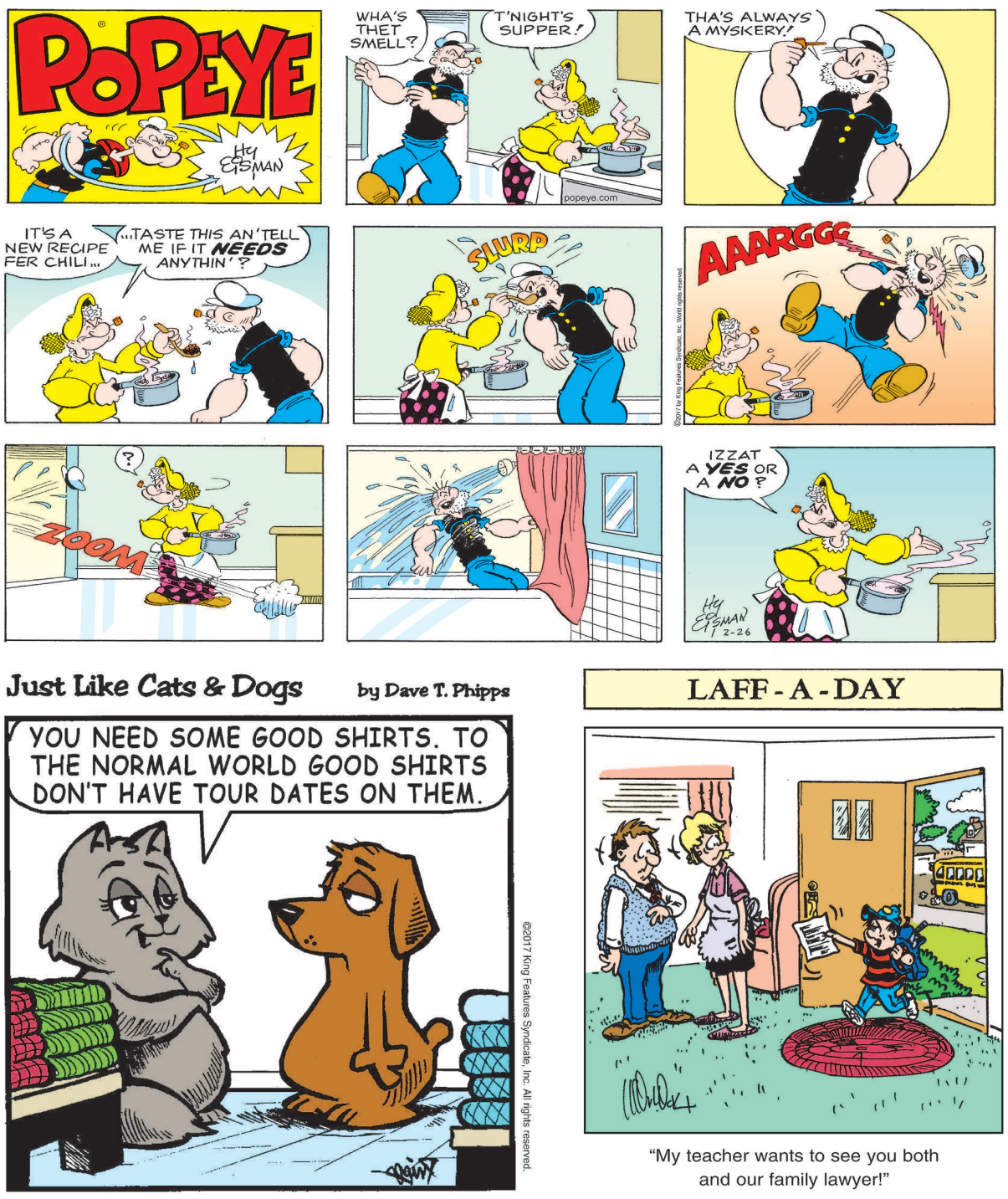


Just Like Cats & Dogs

by Dave T. Phipps

LAFF-A-DAY

"My teacher wants to see you both and our family lawyer!"

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!

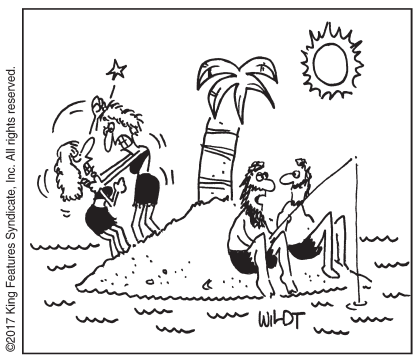
Lounge **ZEAL** ____ ☐☐ ____

Cluster **UNBLED** ____ ____ ☐ ____ ____ ☐

Edge **FINGER** ____ ____ ☐ ____ ☐ ____

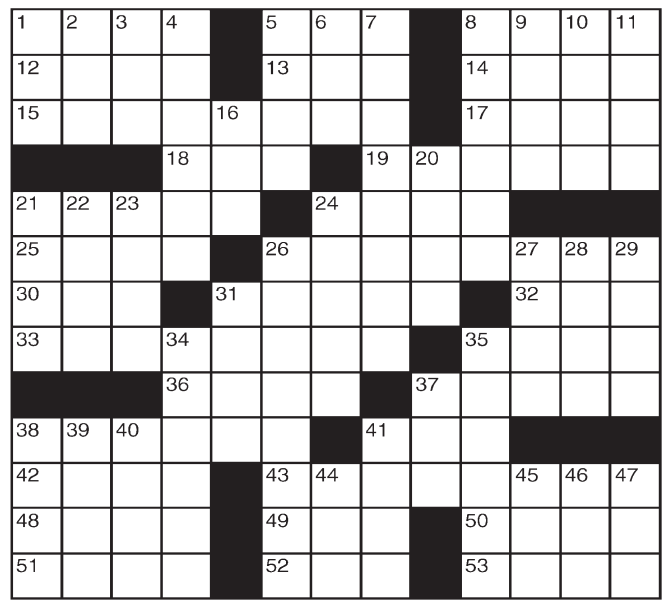
Mosey **BLAME** ☐☐ ____ ____ ____

TODAY'S WORD



"Oh, we have plenty of food and fresh water. They're fighting over a _____."

King Crossword



ACROSS

1 Do as you're told
5 A cont.
8 Old fogy
12 Geometry measure
13 Born
14 Divisible by two
15 Soared
17 Choose the best
18 Japanese pond carp
19 With resolution
21 Twelve
24 Highway division
25 Saharan
26 Demonstrated, as when on strike
30 Chaps
31 Chess wins
32 Consumed
33 Sank a billiard ball
35 Caspian feeder
36 Addict
37 William Tell's target
38 Formosa, today
41 Annoy
42 — Major
43 Fined for speeding, e.g.
48 Indonesian island
49 High-arc shot
50 Basin accessory
51 Help in a crime
52 "Tasty!"
53 Annoyingly slow

DOWN

1 Rowing tool
2 Sis' counterpart
3 Common Mkt.
4 Talked on and on
5 Opposed
6 Lawyer's payment
7 Clearly embarrassed
8 Edict
9 Egg
10 Farmer's home?
11 Sans siblings
16 A billion years
20 Tattoo-parlor supply
21 Moist
22 Sandwich cookie
23 Brass component
24 Metric measure
26 Obviously
27 Rainout cover
28 Common Latin abbr.
29 Strike from the text
31 Smaller plateau
34 Persian Gulf nation
35 Maintenance
37 Noah's boat
38 Big brass instrument
39 Bedouin
40 — of Capri
41 Cold War weapon (Abbr.)
44 Debt notice
45 Pair
46 "A mouse!"
47 Parched

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Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

	9		2					4
		8			5		7	
4				9		6		
	4				7		5	
3				8				9
		2	3			7		
9					6		3	
	2			5		1		
		7	1					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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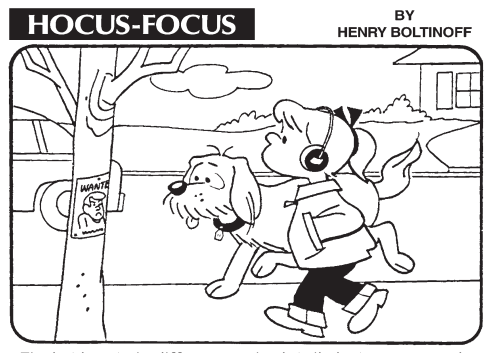
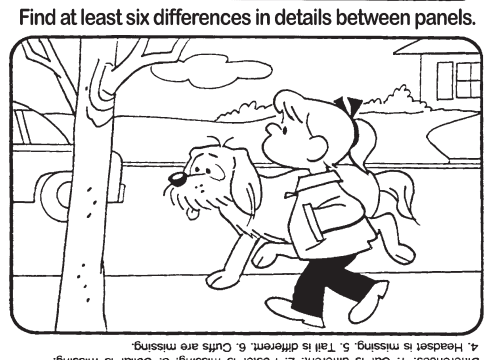
HOCUS-FOCUS

BY HENRY BOLTINOFF



Find at least six differences in details between panels.



Differences: 1. Car is different. 2. Poster is missing. 3. Collar is missing. 4. Headset is missing. 5. Tail is different. 6. Cuffs are 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: **D** equals **S**

BQX CN DSUFSD MIBLC M AMOFQV GBYSQSDDQV CUMYYSX MOBWJ AQMNBU-SWGMWKFWJ DLIDCMWKSD: "QBDC FW DYFKS."

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Trivia test

by Fifi Rodriguez

1. FOOD & DRINK: Which plant sometimes is known as "pieplant" because its edible stalks often are used in desserts?
2. LITERATURE: Which of Shakespeare's plays features a character named Viola?
3. MOVIES: Which movie featured the theme song "You've Got a Friend In Me"?
4. U.S. PRESIDENTS: Who served as vice president of the U.S. for 82 days before becoming president?
5. GEOGRAPHY: What two countries are connected by the Khyber Pass?
6. MUSIC: What bridge did Billie Joe jump off in Bobbie Gentry's song "Ode to Billie Joe"?
7. ANATOMY: Where would the parietal bones be found in the human body?
8. RELIGION: What is the second book of the Old Testament?
9. GEOLOGY: What kind of natural stone is known as Carrara?
10. GENERAL KNOWLEDGE: What is the official language of Brazil?

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Trivia Test Answers

1. Rhubarb
2. "Twelfth Night"
3. "Toy Story"
4. Harry Truman
5. Afghanistan and Pakistan
6. The Tallahatchie bridge
7. The skull
8. Exodus
9. Marble
10. Portuguese

— King Crossword —

Answers

Solution time: 21 mins.

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

— Weekly SUDOKU —

Answer

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

— CryptoQuip —

Answer

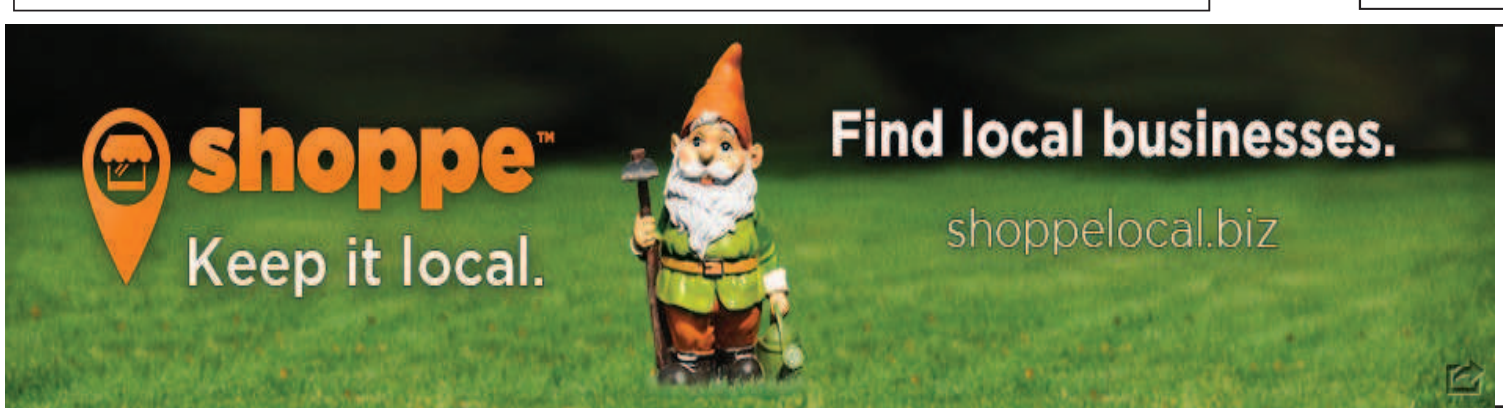
Old TV series about a family hopelessly trapped among flavor-enhancing substances: "Lost in Spice."

SCRAMBLERS

Today's Word

1. Laze; 2. Bundle; 3. Fringe; 4. Amble

MAGAZINE



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