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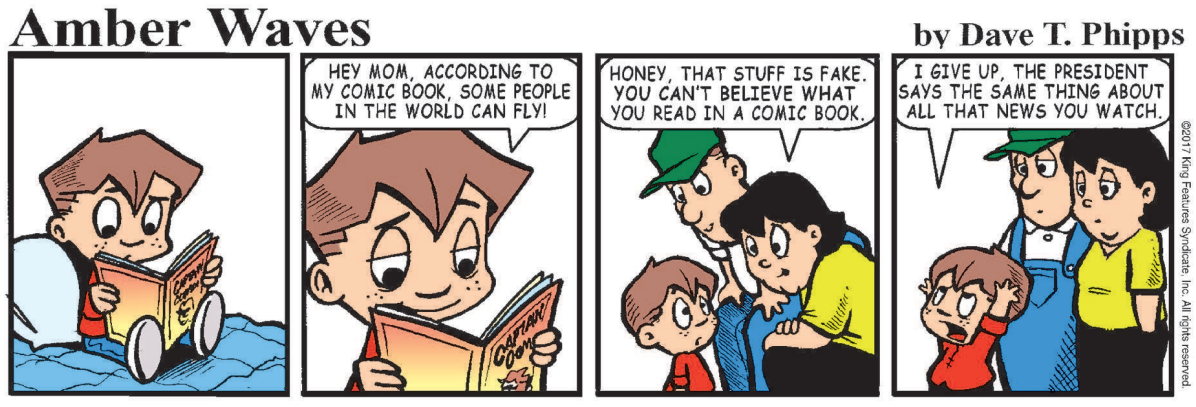

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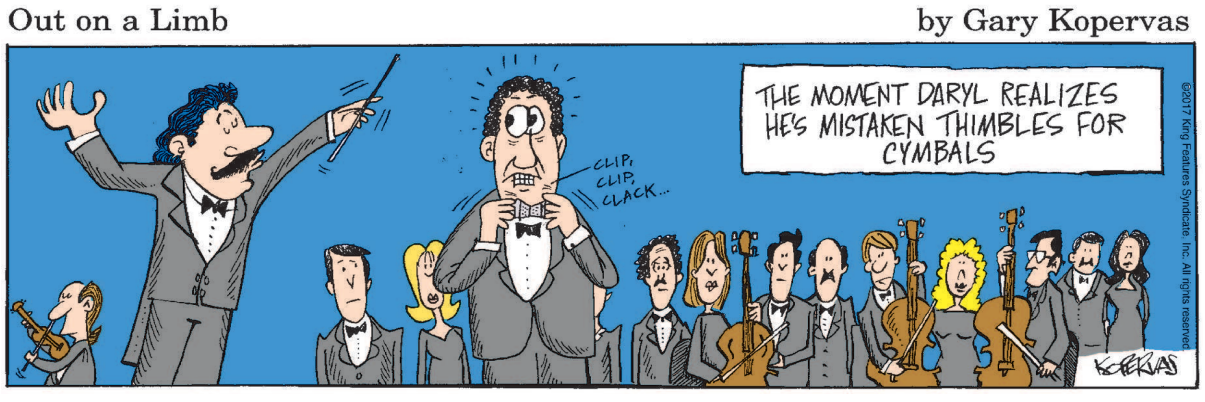

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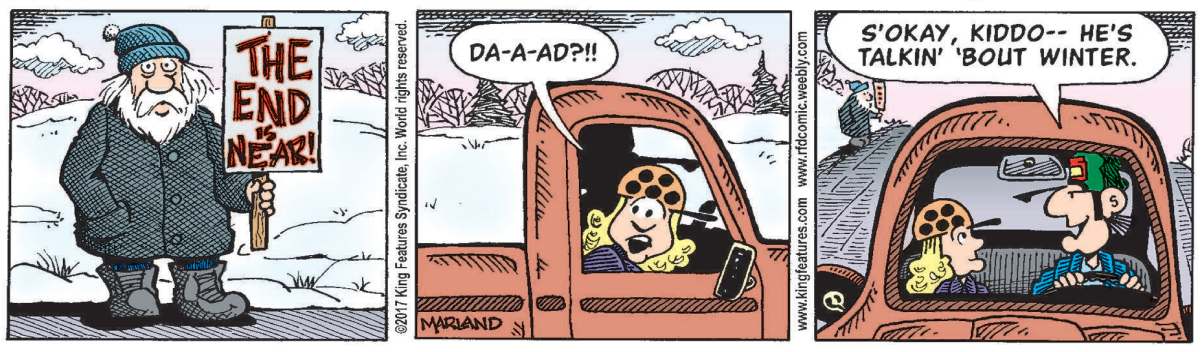

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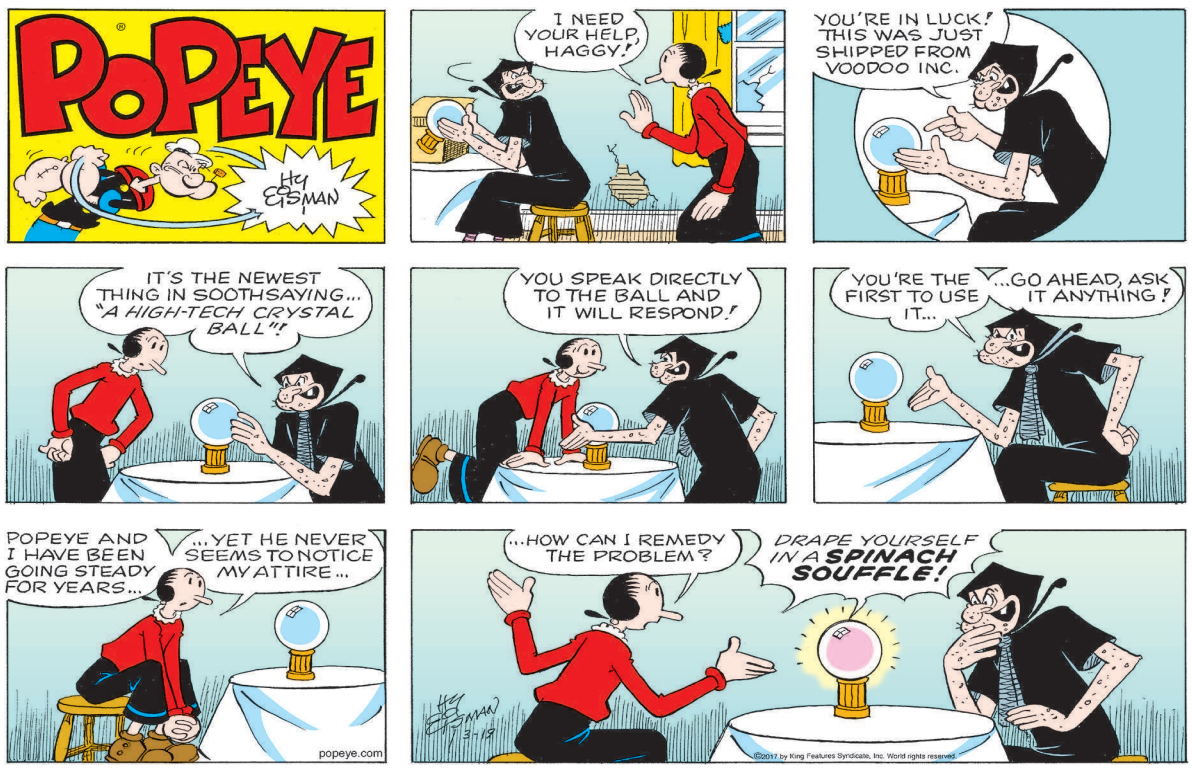

Just Like Cats & Dogs

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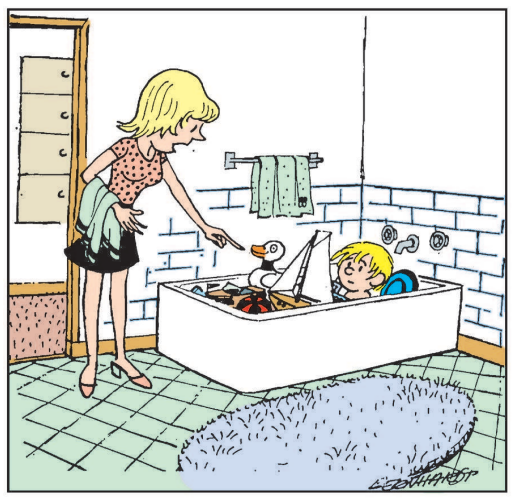
LAFF - A - DAY



"Who do you think you're fooling? There isn't any water in that tub!"

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!

Skill
NATTLE ____ ____ ____ ____ ____ ____

Fiend
TUBER ____ ____ ____ ____ ____

Grudge
TIPES ____ ____ ____ ____ ____

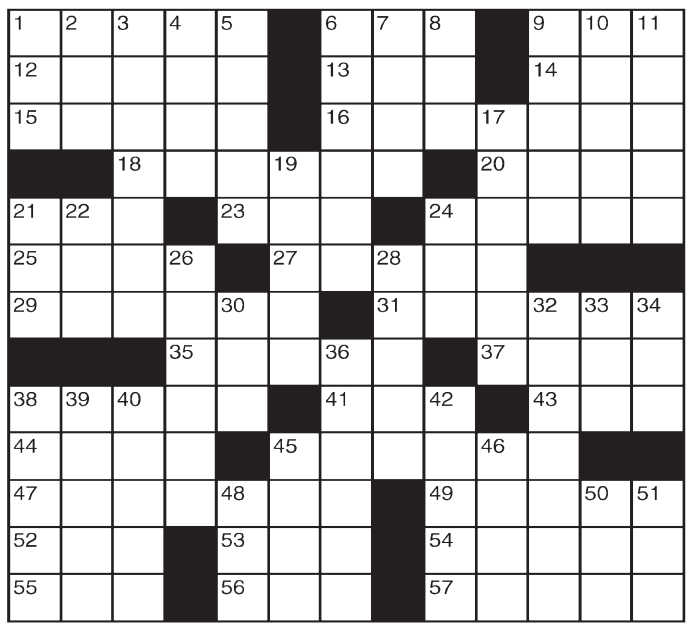
Notify
ALIGNS ____ ____ ____ ____ ____ ____

"Let's hope the _____ lessons pay off."

TODAY'S WORD

____ ____ ____ ____ ____ ____

King Crossword



ACROSS
1 Earth (Lat.)
6 Witnessed
9 — -relief
12 Symbol of slowness
13 Inventor Whitney
14 Genetic abbr.
15 Of punishment
16 Burma's capital, once
18 Astute
20 Took the train
21 Oom follower
23 Thither
24 Xbox enthusiast
25 "— a Kick Out of You"
27 Worked with rattan
29 Circle around the sun
31 Conspiracy of silence
35 Cardiff's people
37 Sunrise
38 200 milligrams
41 Gear tooth
43 Affirmative action?
44 Culture medium
45 Cringes
47 Longtime Klugman
49 Symbol of sorrow
52 Jazz job
53 Accomplished
54 Intact
55 Individual
56 Chances, for short
57 Gumby's horse

DOWN
1 Recipe meas.
2 Away from WSW
3 Cowboy, co-star often
4 Iranian money
5 Dumpster location
6 Venus' sister
7 Winged
8 Victory
9 Witch craft?
10 Battery terminal
11 Less loony
17 Ranked
19 Singer's recording
21 Snapshot
22 Past
24 Jewel
26 In the direction of
28 "Forget it!"
30 Trawler need
32 Rifle
33 Pair
34 Moreover
36 Berates
38 Freight
39 Over
40 Kitchen need
42 Outfit
45 Film sample
46 Nevada city
48 Commotion
50 Regret
51 Pigs' digs

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Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

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

by Fifi Rodriguez

1. FOOD & DRINK: What is meringue made of?
2. MOVIES: What were the names of the tunnels in the movie "The Great Escape"?
3. GENERAL KNOWLEDGE: Pure gold consists of how many karats?
4. LITERATURE: In which of Charles Dickens' novels does the character of Fagin appear?
5. GEOGRAPHY: What Pacific island nation is known by the initials FSM?
6. ANATOMY: How many chambers are in the human heart?
7. MUSIC: How many keys are on a standard piano?
8. BIBLE: How old was Methuselah when he died?
9. MEASUREMENTS: What degree of latitude is the Equator?
10. ANIMAL KINGDOM: What is a group of rhinos called?

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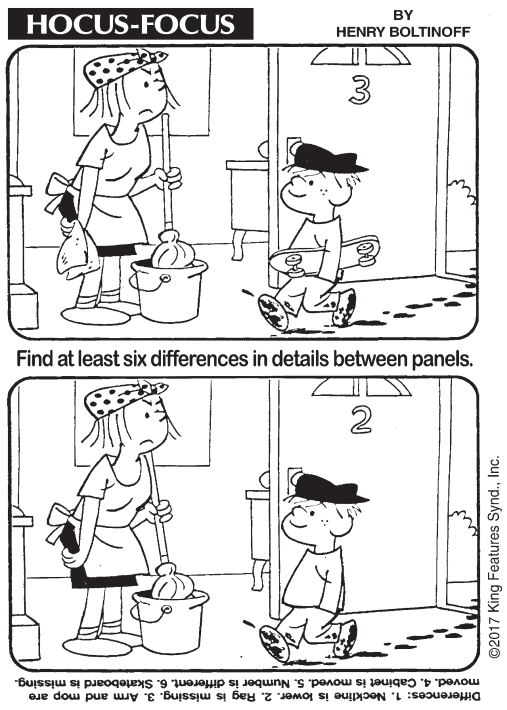
HOCUS-FOCUS

BY HENRY BOLTINOFF



Find at least six differences in details between panels.

Differences: 1. Neckline is lower. 2. Rag is missing. 3. Arm and mop are moved. 4. Cabinet is moved. 5. Number is different. 6. Skateboard 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: **X** equals **L**

ALHB N WSCZ'F JNXX ANCBF RULHCF RO SGGSBHBU ZNBIHC, JRVXZ ULNU WH ULRVILU RO NF N OXSHC NXNCG?

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SCRAMBLERS *solution*
1. Talent; 2. Brute; 3. Spite; 4. Signal
Today's Word
BALLET

CryptoQuip answer
When a bird's call warns others of imminent danger, could that be thought of as a flier alarm?

Weekly SUDOKU Answer

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

King Crossword *Answers*

Solution time: 27 mins.

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

Trivia Test Answers
1. Whipped egg white and sugar
2. Tom, Dick and Harry
3. 24
4. "Oliver Twist"
5. Federated States of Micronesia
6. Four
7. 88
8. 969 in the Hebrew Bible
9. Zero
10. A crash