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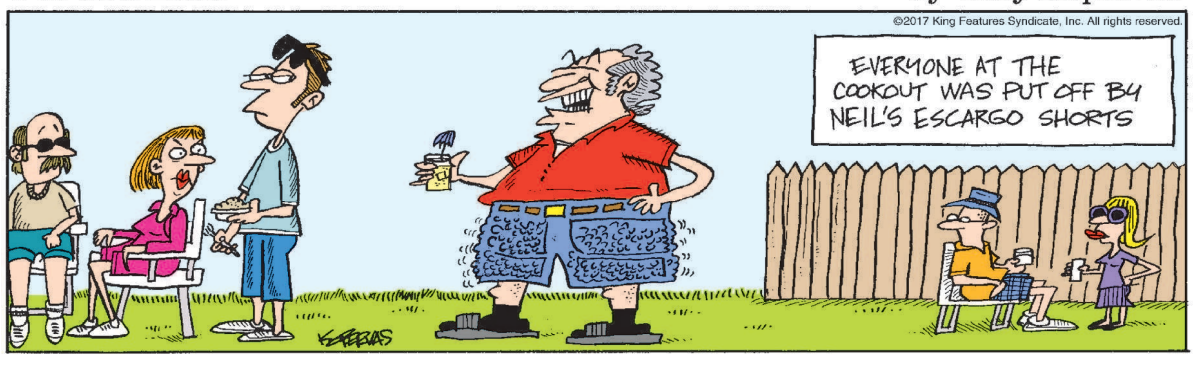

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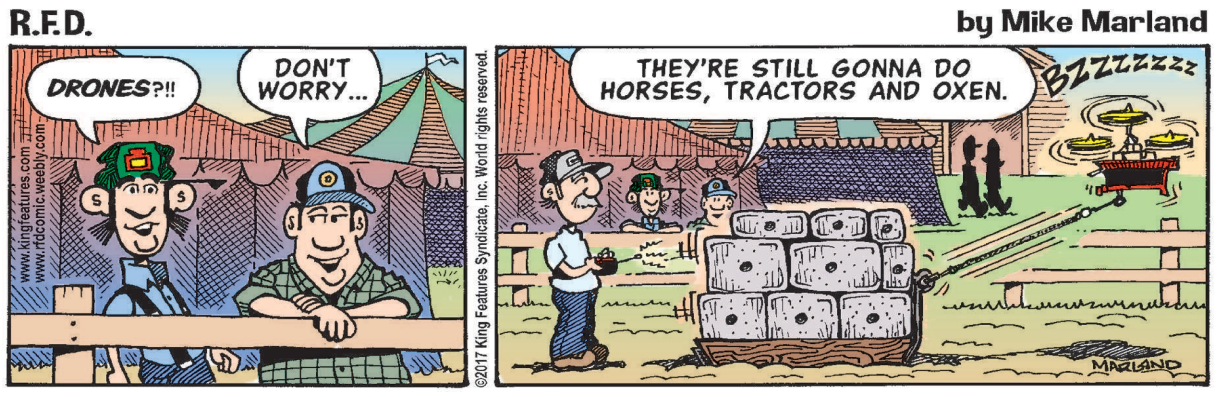

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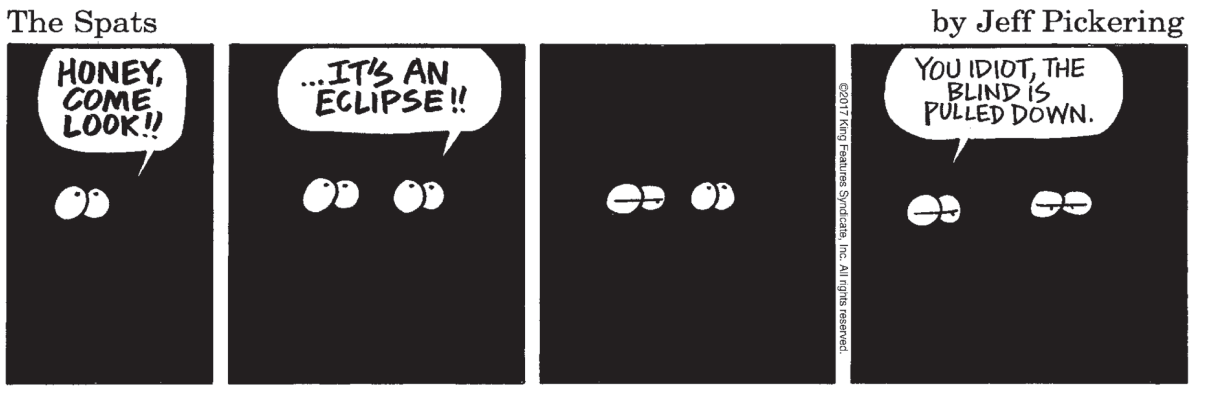

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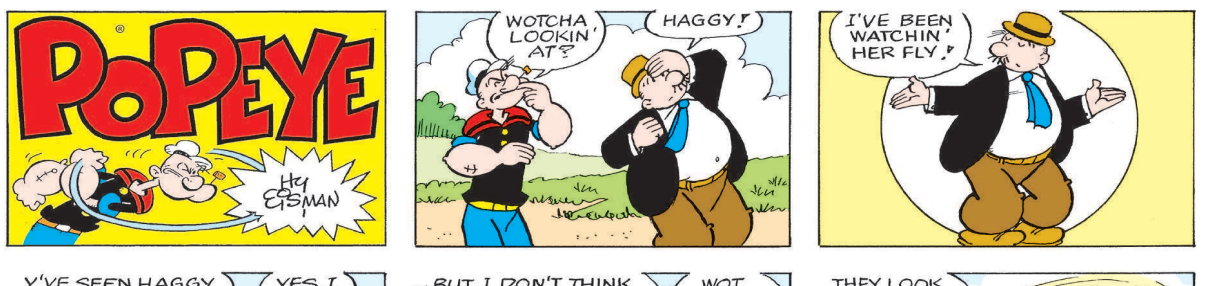


Just Like Cats & Dogs

by Dave T. Phipps

LAFF-A-DAY

"It's game time!"

SCRAMBLERS

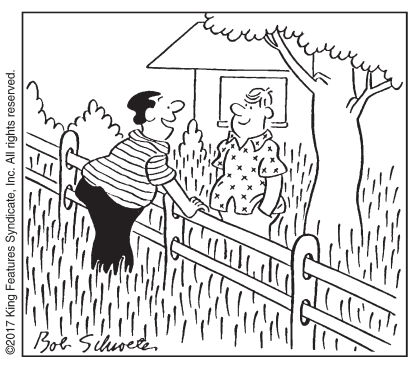
Unscramble the letters within each rectangle to form four ordinary words. Then rearrange the boxed letters to form the mystery word, which will complete the gag!

Amusing **TYWIT** ____ ____ ____ ____ [ ]

Rank **RAGED** ____ ____ [ ] [ ] ____

Redeem **NEATO** ____ ____ [ ] [ ] ____

Bottomless **LAMBAYS** ____ [ ] [ ] ____ ____ ____ ____



"So far it's working out great — us agreeing not to keep up with ____ ____ ____ ____ ____ ____!"

TODAY'S WORD

____ ____ ____ ____ ____ ____ ____

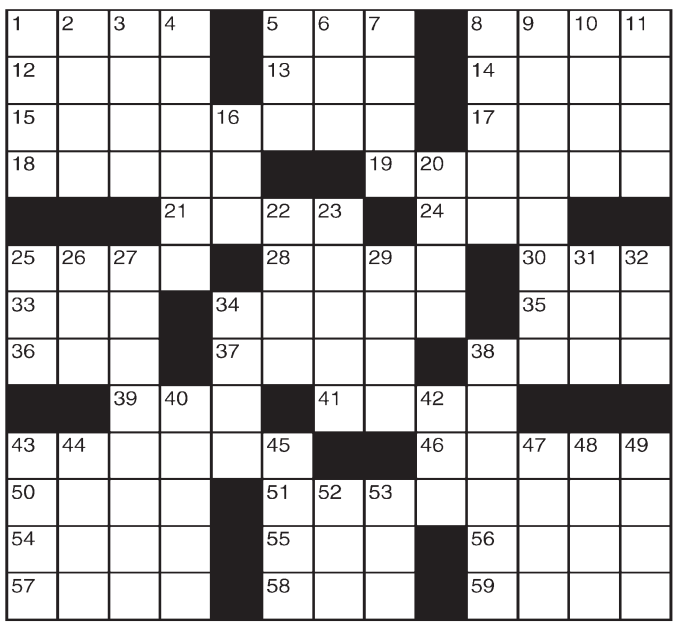
King Crossword

ACROSS

1 Where Jesus changed water to wine
5 Knock
8 Envelope part
12 Neural transmitter
13 Ram's mate
14 Toy block name
15 No skeptic
17 Microwave, e.g.
18 Nickelodeon-style gunk
19 Kind of movie glasses
21 Pinnacle
24 Rowing need
25 Courage
28 Elliptical
30 "Modern Family" network
33 Fire residue
34 — so often
35 Sticky stuff
36 Muumuu accessory
37 — Pak of the LPGA
38 Shaft of light
39 Kreskin's claim
41 Story
43 Small flocks
46 Winning
50 Vicinity
51 With adroitness
54 Hair salon request
55 Be unwell
56 Not "fer"
57 Santa's sackful
58 Ump
59 Lavish affection (on)

DOWN

1 Urban fleet
2 Skating jump
3 — me tangere
4 Inner selves, to Jung
5 Gun the engine
6 Shock and —
7 Saucy
8 Plant life
9 Effectiveness
10 Screenwriter James
11 Small lake
16 Common Mkt. inits., once
20 Sacred
22 Relocate
23 Chris of tennis fame
25 Cowboy's sweetie
26 Work with
27 Pickpocket's crime
29 Met melody
31 Feathery neckpiece
32 Web address ending
34 Catch sight of
38 Decapitate
40 Some stockings have them
42 Restroom, for short
43 Team leader (Abbr.)
44 Sandwich treat
45 Wound reminder
47 Therefore
48 Came down
49 Measure of force
52 Whopper
53 Keebler employee?



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Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

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

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. GAMES: In Monopoly, what color is the property St. James Place?
2. LANGUAGE: What does the expression "carrying coal to Newcastle" mean?
3. TELEVISION: What was the name of the news director on "WKRP in Cincinnati"?
4. U.S. PRESIDENTS: Which U.S. president was the target of the first assassination attempt?
5. ANIMAL KINGDOM: In the cat family, what are vibrissae?
6. MEASUREMENTS: How many grams are in a pound?
7. U.S. STATES: What state lies directly to the north of Kansas?
8. MEDICAL: What is happening if you experience borborygmi?
9. FIRSTS: When were the first license plates required for cars?
10. GENERAL KNOWLEDGE: What does an onomastician study?

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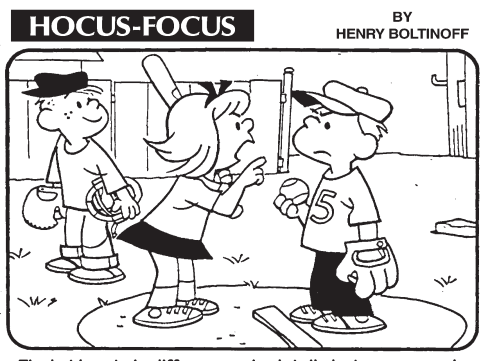
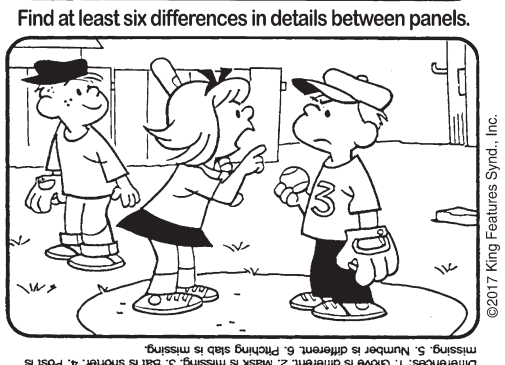
HOCUS-FOCUS

BY HENRY BOLTINOFF



Find at least six differences in details between panels.



Differences: 1. Glove is different. 2. Mask is missing. 3. Bat is shorter. 4. Post is missing. 5. Number is different. 6. Pitching slab 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: **W** equals **O**

LRSZ-UKPSZIT JMPSWL KGWRP

K LKX UZW DKNWCIT SICPKMX

BMXTJ WD XWPIGWWBJ:

"M QWNI QWWJI-QIKD."

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— King Crossword —

Answers

Solution time: 25 mins.

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

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

Trivia Test Answers

1. Orange
2. Something superfluous or unnecessary. Newcastle is a coal-mining city.
3. Les Nessman
4. Andrew Jackson, 1835. The gun misfired.
5. Whiskers
6. 454
7. Nebraska
8. You may be hungry. Borborygmi is stomach growling.
9. 1901, New York state
10. Names

— Weekly SUDOKU —

Answer

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

CryptoQuip answer

Much-watched sitcom about a man who favored certain kinds of notebooks: "I Love Loose-Leaf."

SCRAMBLERS solution

1. Witty; 2. Grade; 3. Atone; 4. Abysmal

Today's Word

ANYBODY