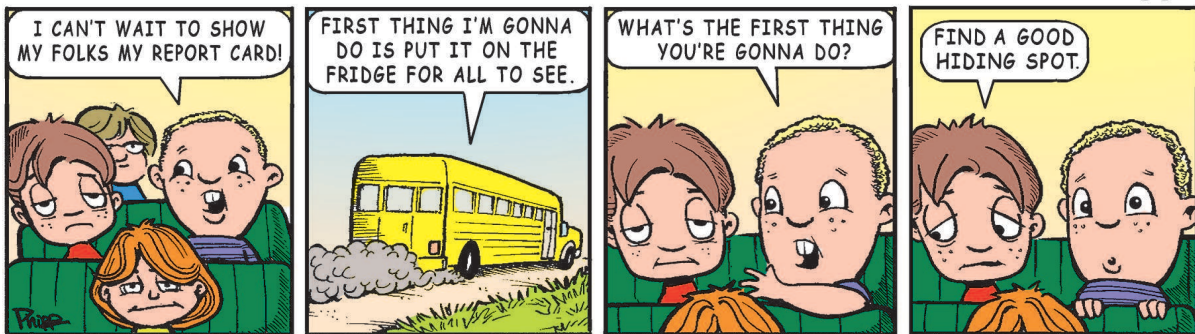


### Amber Waves

by Dave T. Phipps



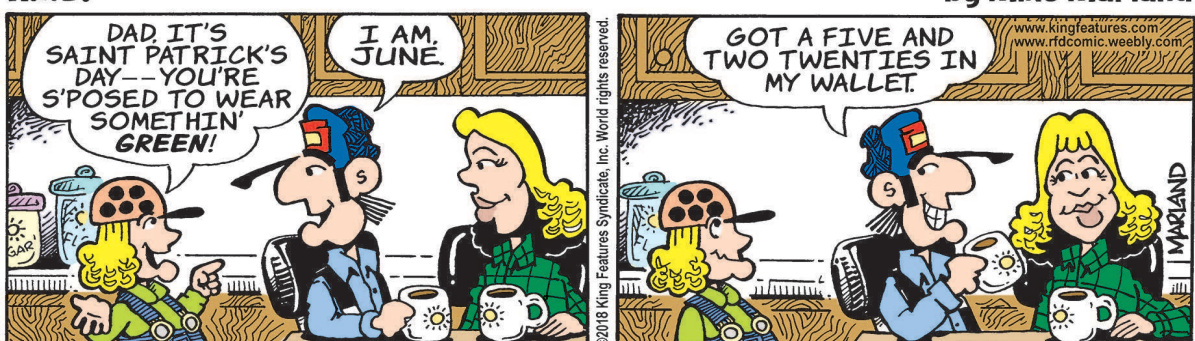
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by Gary Kopervas



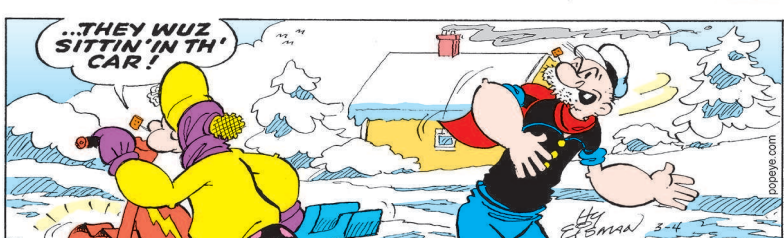
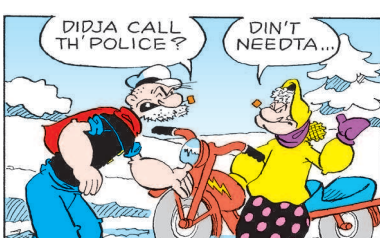
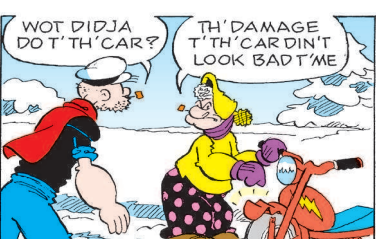
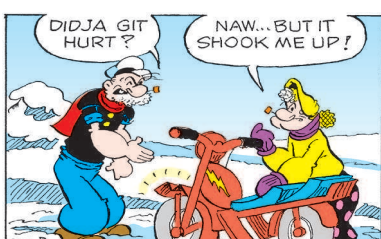
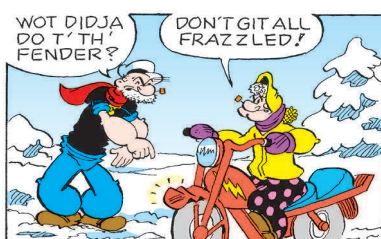
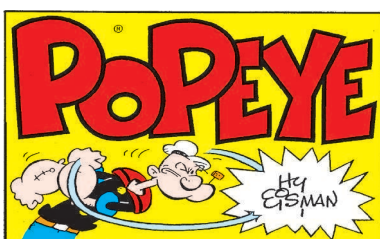
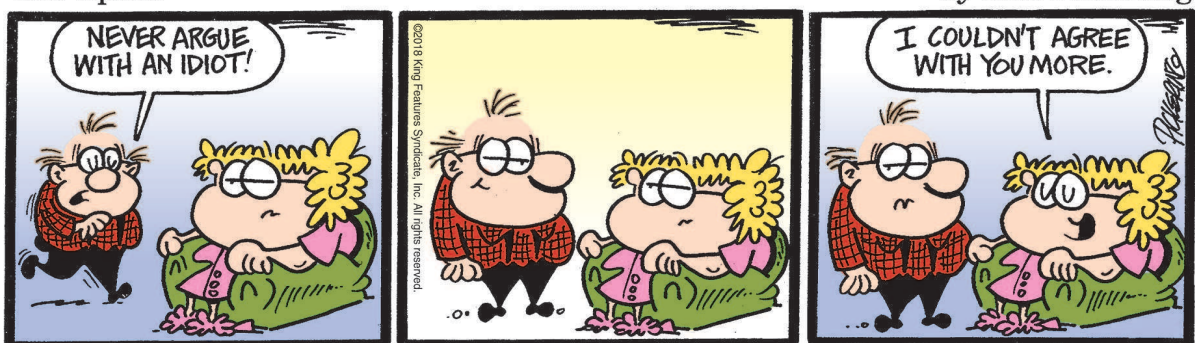
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by Mike Marland



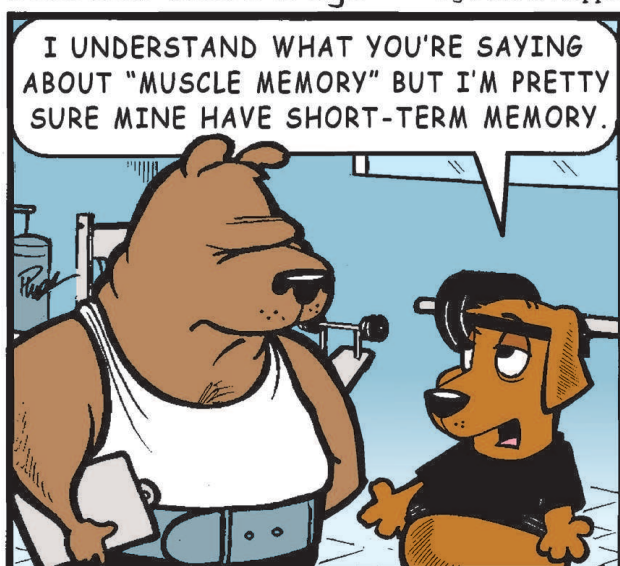
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by Jeff Pickering

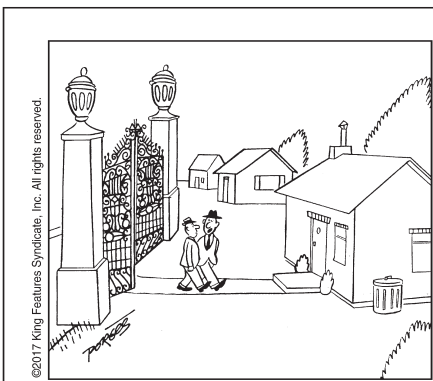
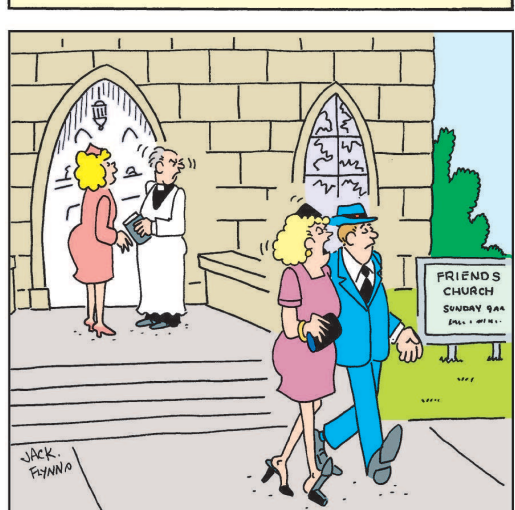


### Just Like Cats & Dogs

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!

Simple: VEAIN

Scout: PORTAL

Blur: MARES

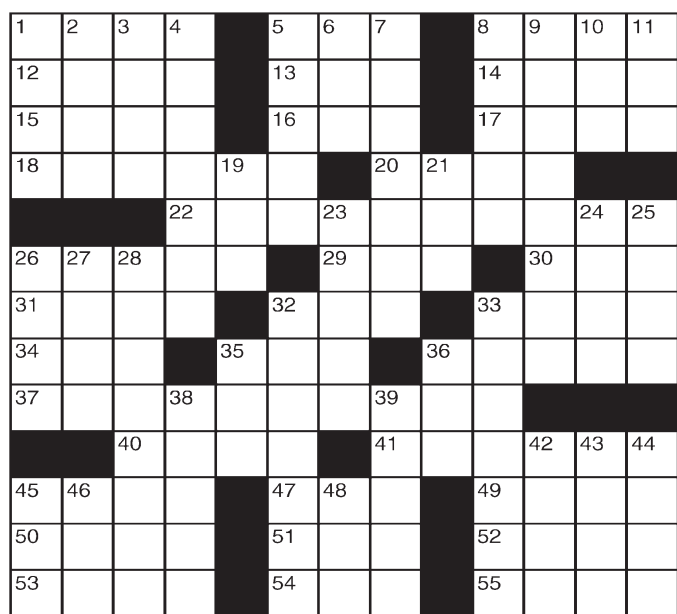
Teamwork: GYRNSEY

TODAY'S WORD: \_\_\_\_\_

## King Crossword

### ACROSS

- 1 Whatever's left
- 5 Fix a skirt
- 8 Ollie's pal
- 12 Sore
- 13 "All the Things You —"
- 14 Stylish
- 15 Item on stage
- 16 Moving vehicle
- 17 Shakespeare villain
- 18 Elvis' Mississippi birthplace
- 20 Feathery cluster
- 22 Gave up's sound
- 26 Censor's sound
- 29 Tic-tac-toe win
- 30 Scoffer's laugh
- 31 Libretto
- 32 Play on words
- 33 Mexican money
- 34 French article
- 35 Moonshine container
- 36 Petruccio's Kate, e.g.
- 37 Western capital
- 40 Freeway access
- 41 Attractive person



- 45 "Zounds!"
- 47 Mauna —
- 49 Church section
- 50 VHS alternative
- 51 Mischievous tyke
- 52 Enrages
- 53 Keg contents
- 54 Greek consonants
- 55 Opening day?
- 5 Devastation
- 6 Historic period
- 7 Bring up
- 8 Bradbury genre
- 9 Margaret —
- 10 Bailout recipient in 2009
- 11 Sgt., e.g.
- 19 Track circuit
- 21 Venusian vessel?
- 23 Cheek enhancer
- 24 Facility
- 25 Arab boat
- 26 A/C measures
- 27 Musical
- 28 Denounce
- 32 Jack-o'-lantern
- 33 Southwestern city
- 35 Bread spread
- 36 Pigpen
- 38 "M\*A\*S\*H" role
- 39 Types of tides
- 42 MacDonal'd's place
- 43 Eye layer
- 44 Not as much
- 45 "Chicago" lyricist Fred
- 46 "Golly!"
- 48 Ostrich's cousin

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### Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

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

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

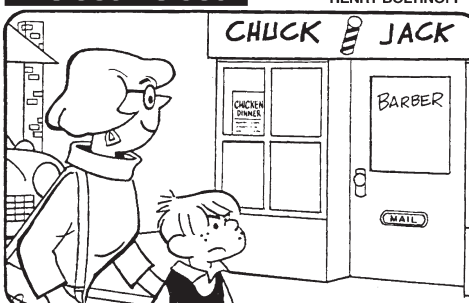
by Fifi Rodriguez

1. MYTHOLOGY: What was a harpy in Greek mythology?
2. GAMES: How many railroad spaces are on a Monopoly board?
3. LITERATURE: Which American novelist wrote the book "White Fang"?
4. U.S. STATES: What is the capital of Maryland?
5. MOVIES: What was the shortest title for a Best Picture Oscar winning movie?
6. U.S. PRESIDENTS: Which 19th-century president died from cirrhosis of liver?
7. ANATOMY: What does the Greek adjective "otic" refer to in the human body?
8. GEOGRAPHY: How many countries and principalities are neighbors of France?
9. THEATER: What musical features the song "Bali Ha'i"?
10. ANIMAL KINGDOM: What is a young hen called?

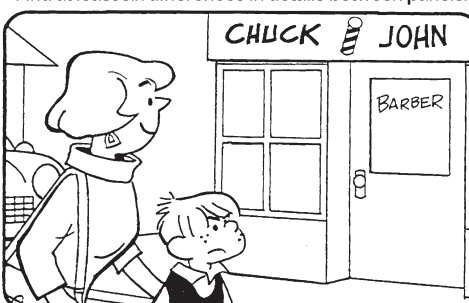
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### HOCUS-FOCUS

BY HENRY BOLTIHOFF



Find at least six differences in details between panels.



Differences: 1. Chimney is missing. 2. Glasses are missing. 3. Shave is shorter. 4. Poster is missing. 5. Name is different. 6. Mail slot is missing. 7. The car. 8. Eight. Belgium, Luxembourg, Germany, Switzerland, Italy, Monaco, Andorra and Spain. 9. "South Pacific". 10. A pulley.

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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: V equals E

FBVSVUVC K QI KS OI ZVWIHKO  
RD FVMPD GBVGMH, VUVCYDYZD  
MUVWH PIIMKSQ TO RV FKOB  
YTSM HOTCVH.

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### SCRAMBLERS

Today's Word

1. Naive; 2. Patrol; 3. Smear; 4. Synergy

solution

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