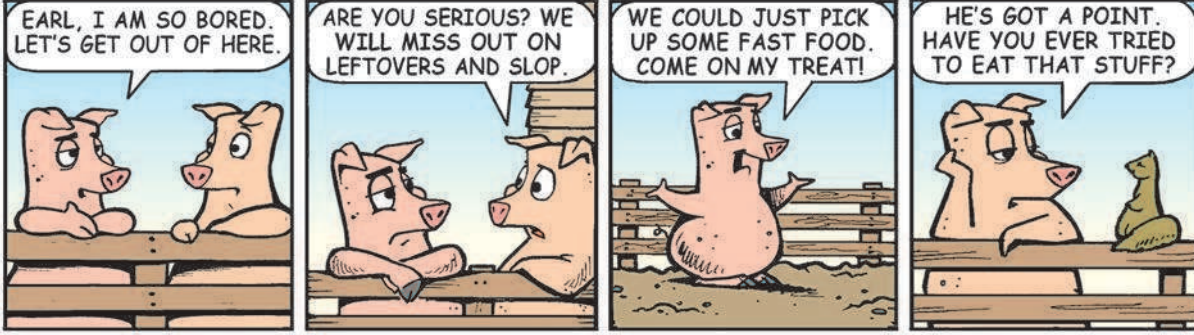


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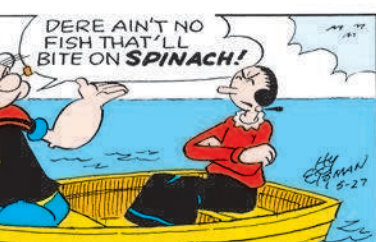
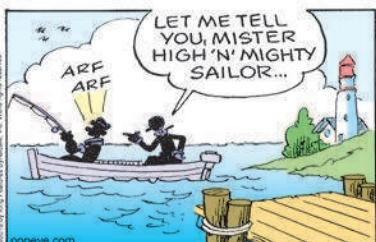
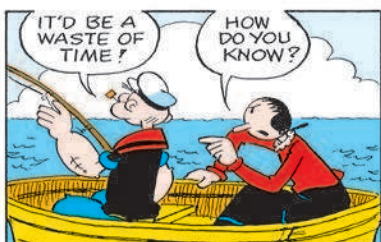
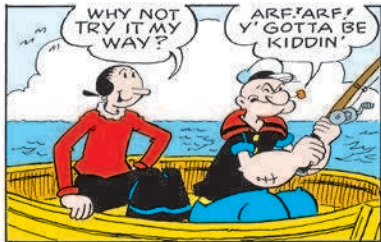
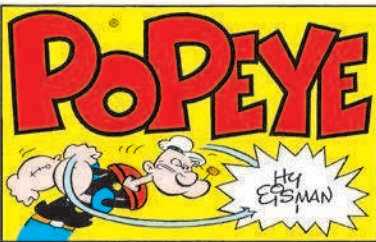
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Just Like Cats & Dogs

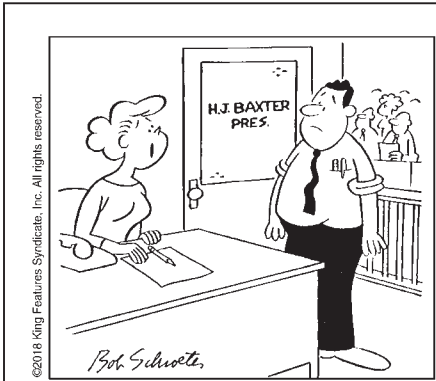
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LAFF-A-DAY



"This is nice, Harold. You and I relaxing, the children playing on the floor. But I'm a little puzzled. Who are these children?"



"Yes, the boss is in a great mood — but asking him for an _____ would spoil it!"

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!

Respond
TRACE

Angst
AMELIAS

Fairy
PRIEST

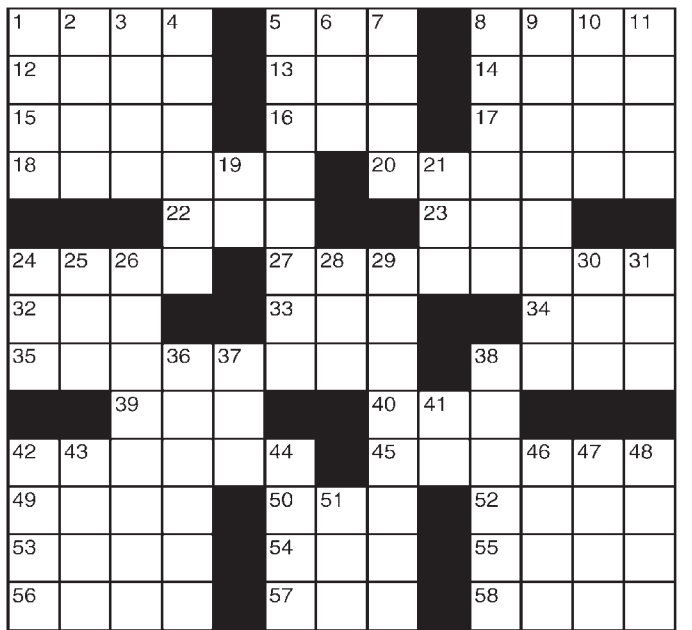
Creak
ARGON

TODAY'S WORD

King Crossword

ACROSS

- 1 Move rapidly
- 5 Pirates' quaff
- 8 EPA concern
- 12 World's fair
- 13 Detergent brand
- 14 Hardy cabbage
- 15 Tolerate
- 16 Whatever number
- 17 "— have to do"
- 18 Release
- 20 Heart lines
- 22 Sauce source
- 23 Prickly seed-case
- 24 Scenery chowers
- 27 Afternoon shows
- 32 Biz deg.
- 33 Journalist
- 34 "Erie Canal" mule
- 35 Math tables, e.g.
- 38 Ratio phrase
- 39 Auto
- 40 Hr. portion
- 42 Religious retreat
- 45 Declare
- 49 See 38-Down
- 50 A billion years
- 52 Lotion additive



- 6 Grecian vessel
- 7 Poet Angelou
- 8 Slalom slope
- 9 Futon, for one
- 10 — podrida
- 11 Solidifies
- 19 "When pigs fly!"
- 21 Japanese sash
- 24 "Let me think ..."
- 25 "The — Daba Honeymoon"
- 26 Compact car maker?
- 28 Citric beverage
- 29 Devil's home?
- 30 Chow down
- 31 — -mo replay
- 36 Toughest to find
- 37 Gershwin or Glass
- 38 Young one
- 41 Kipling poem
- 42 Touch
- 43 Protected
- 44 Repast
- 46 Nastase of tennis lore
- 47 Lasso
- 48 Anthropologist Margaret
- 51 Individual

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Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

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

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

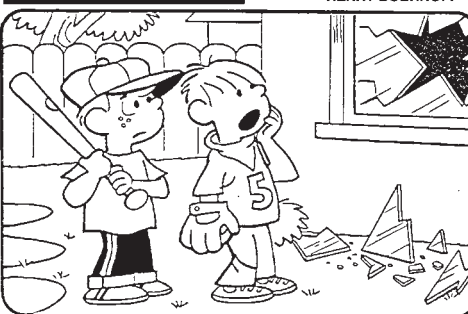
by Fifi Rodriguez

1. GEOGRAPHY: The island of Saipan is a commonwealth of which nation?
2. LANGUAGE: How many lines are in a limerick?
3. U.S. STATES: What is the only U.S. state name that ends in three consecutive vowels?
4. ASTRONOMY: Where is the Lowell Observatory located?
5. MATH: What is the longest side of a right triangle called?
6. HISTORY: Which European conflict was ended with the Dayton Agreement in 1995?
7. LITERATURE: Who wrote the novel "Mansfield Park"?
8. U.S. PRESIDENTS: Which president gave the famous Gettysburg Address?
9. COMICS: What was the real name of the Green Arrow?
10. TELEVISION: What was Kramer's first name on "Seinfeld"?

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HOCUS-FOCUS

BY HENRY BOLTINOFF



Find at least six differences in details between panels.



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1. United States
2. Five
3. Hawaii
4. Flagstaff, Arizona
5. Hypocrite
6. Bosnian War
7. Jane Austen
8. Abraham Lincoln
9. Oliver Queen
10. Cosmo

Trivia Test Answers

O	E	T	E	A	L	E	X	I	E	L	E	O
E	I	N	I	N	A	N	O	I	N	A	N	O
E	A	L	O	E	N	O	E	N	O	E	N	O
A	S	R	A	M	F	E	F	I	R	M		
C	A	R										
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L	S	A	L	I	D	A	V	A				
S	E	N	E	S	M	A	T	I				
B	U	R										
S	A	V	A	O	A	N	D	H	N	N		
L	L	I	T	L	E	A	N	V				
E	X	A	L	E	R	A	O	K	A	L	E	
S	M	O	G									

Solution time: 25 mins.

Answers

King Crossword

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

Answer

Weekly SUDOKU

When a fortunate chicken wins the lottery, I would say it is due to the click of the draw.

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: S equals T

FIBM C VYUSNMCSB DIJDHBM
 FJMZ SIB AYSSBUR, J FYNAX ZCR
 JS JZ XNB SY SIB DANDH YV
 SIB XUCF.

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INCREASE

Today's Word

1. React; 2. Malaise; 3. Sprite; 4. Gran solution

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