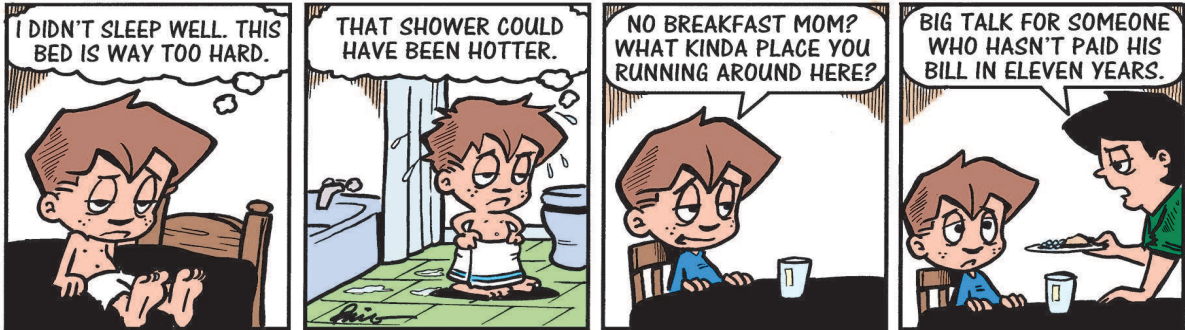


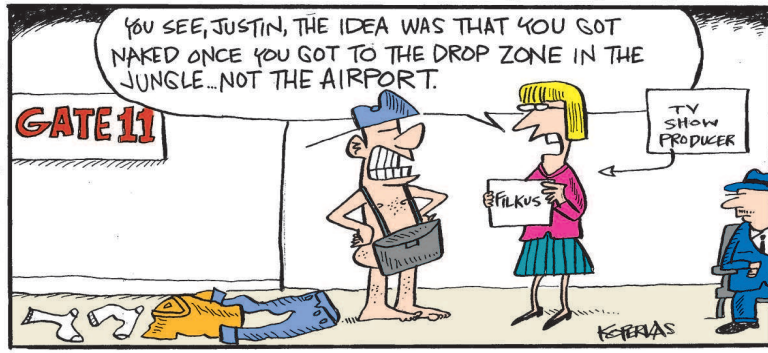
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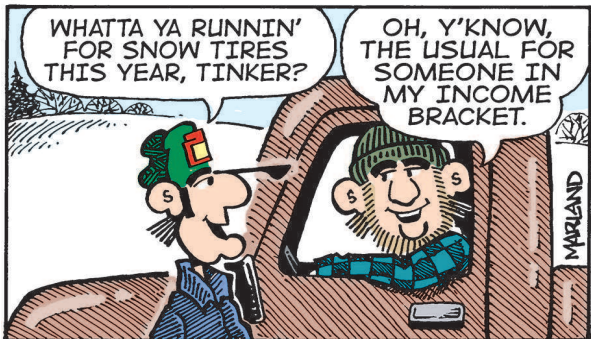
Out on a Limb

JUSTIN FILKUS APPEARS ON AN EPISODE OF THE TV SHOW "NAKED AND AFRAID"



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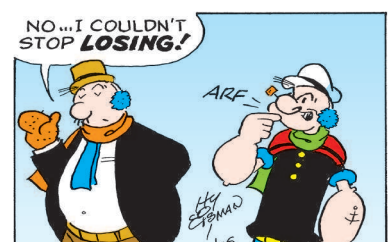
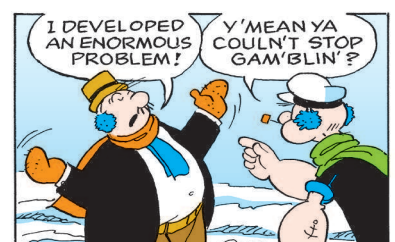
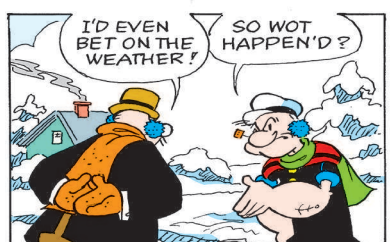
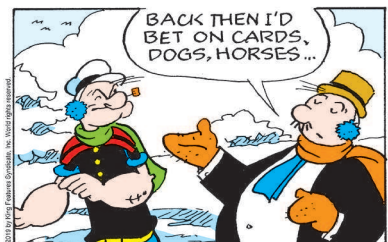
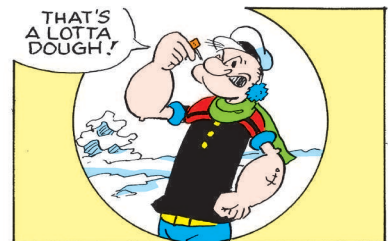
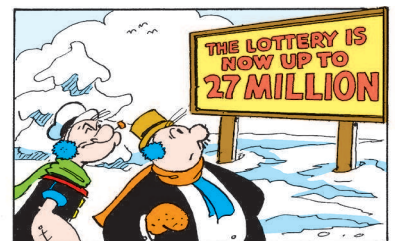
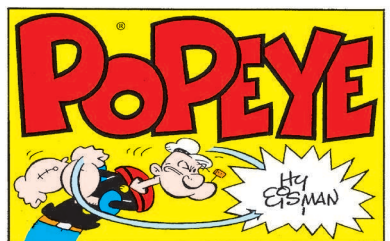


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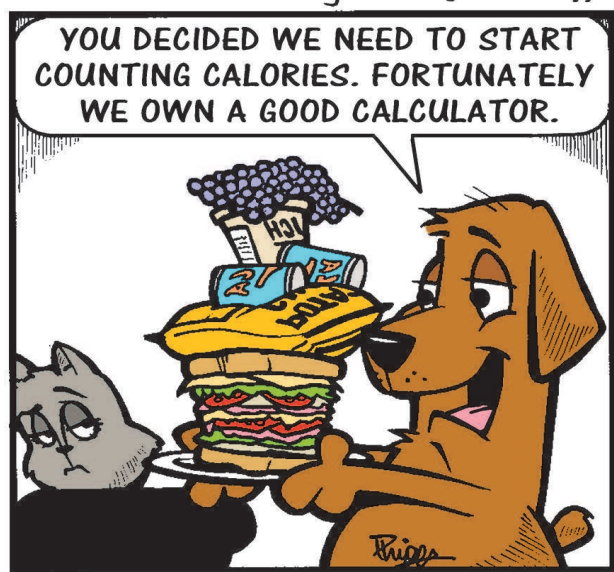


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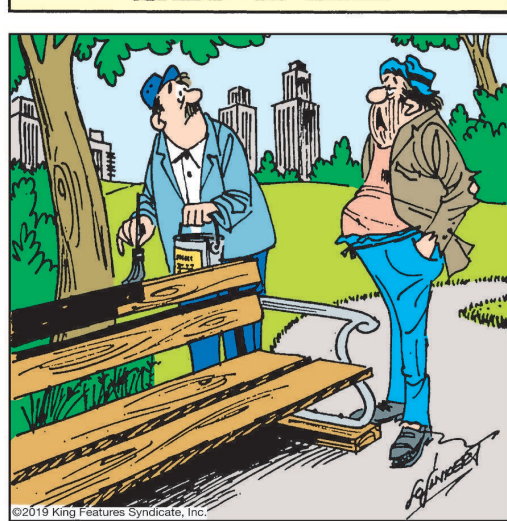


Just Like Cats & Dogs

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!

Ignore PRUNS

Shine REGAL

Polish HENIS

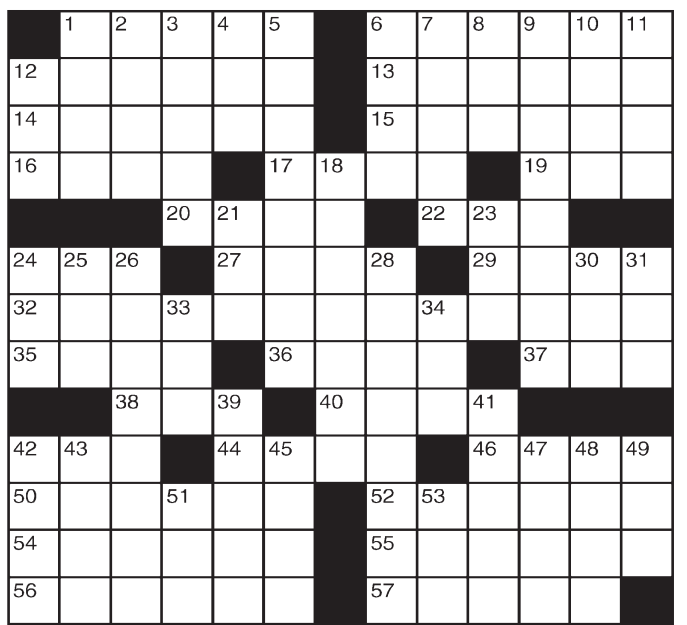
Dot PINTO

TODAY'S WORD

King Crossword

ACROSS

- 1 — about (spread the word)
- 6 Utters
- 12 Grads
- 13 Recluse
- 14 ymnosophist's practice
- 15 Incompetent
- 16 Vicinity
- 17 Sicilian spouter
- 19 Tier
- 20 Onetime NYC mayor
- 22 Writer
- 24 Sternward
- 27 Near the treasure
- 29 "Thin Man" dog
- 32 Just one thing after another?
- 35 Deserve
- 36 Arp's movement
- 37 Poehler or Grant
- 38 Panasonic competitor
- 40 Incline
- 42 Slithery squeezer
- 44 Not so much
- 46 Radius neighbor
- 50 German Chancellor



- 7 Punishment-related
- 8 Geological time
- 9 Food of the gods
- 10 Narc's measure
- 11 Crockpot creation
- 12 Literary collection
- 18 Menaces
- 21 Possess
- 23 Chow down
- 24 Expert
- 25 Govt. lender
- 26 Seasoning
- 28 Guaranteed
- 30 Male turkey
- 31 One or more
- 33 Business abbr.
- 34 Hoosegow
- 39 Back street
- 41 Disney pachyderm
- 42 Wild party
- 43 Never again?
- 45 41-Down's "wings"
- 47 Noisy
- 48 Schnozz
- 49 Illustrations
- 51 Blunder
- 53 Neither mate

DOWN

- 1 Unclear view
- 2 Discourteous
- 3 Eskimo boat
- 4 Officeholders
- 5 It gets punched
- 6 Avoid

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Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

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

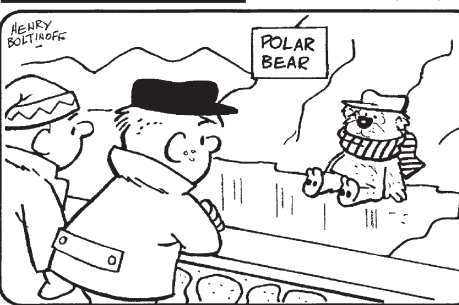
by Fifi Rodriguez

- GAMES: How much do you have to pay if you land on the "Income Tax" space in Monopoly?
- LANGUAGE: What does the Greek prefix "poly" mean in English?
- GEOGRAPHY: What is the capital of the island of Fiji?
- FOOD & DRINK: What is the substance in chili peppers that makes the tongue burn?
- SCIENCE: What does the acronym DNA stand for?
- MATH: What is the top number of a fraction called?
- U.S. PRESIDENTS: What was the Secret Service code word for first lady Michelle Obama?
- LAW: What is the 10th Amendment to the U.S. Constitution about?
- ANATOMY: What is the rarest blood type in human beings?
- MUSIC: The film "Rhapsody in Blue" was about the life of which composer?

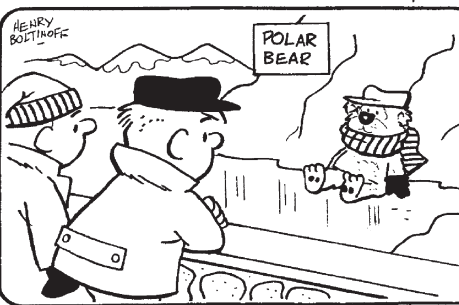
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HOCUS-FOCUS

BY HENRY BOLTINOFF



Find at least six differences in details between panels.



Differences: 1. Boy's hat is different. 2. Bear is wearing mittens. 3. Boy's glove is black. 4. Boy's hat has three teeth. 5. Boy's freckles are missing. 6. Bear has three teeth.

10. George Gerstwin
9. AB negative (less than 1 percent)
8. Rights retained by the states
7. Renaissance
6. The numerator
5. Deoxythbomucleic Acid
4. Capcadin
3. Suva
2. Many
1. 10 percent of your assets or \$200

Trivia Test Answers

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

Solution time: 24 mins.

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 P

BNFV S PGI'W VSMI CW
OSGGKQVA CV CGW TBV NSXOTX,
DFTDKF PTLKQ PKSCU CG NSW
GNF NTUF DTXG SQMSVGSF.

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SCRAMBLERS

Today's Word

- 1. Spurn; 2. Clare;
- 3. Shine; 4. Point

King Crossword

Answers

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

Weekly SUDOKU

When a city's navy is battling in its own harbor, people could claim it has the home port advantage.