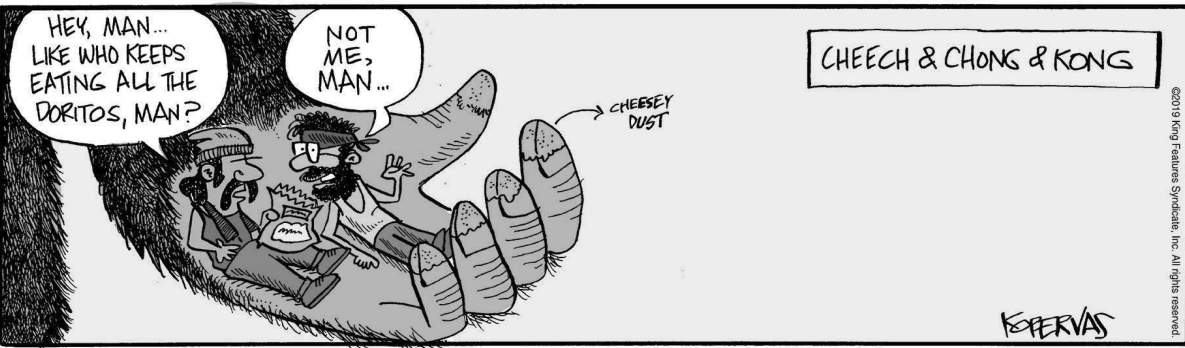


Amber Waves



by Dave T. Phipps

Out on a Limb



by Gary Kopervas

R.F.D.



by Mike Marland

The Spats



by Jeff Pickering



Just Like Cats & Dogs

by Dave T. Phipps



LAFF-A-DAY



"Don't bother me — I'm in my think tank!"

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!

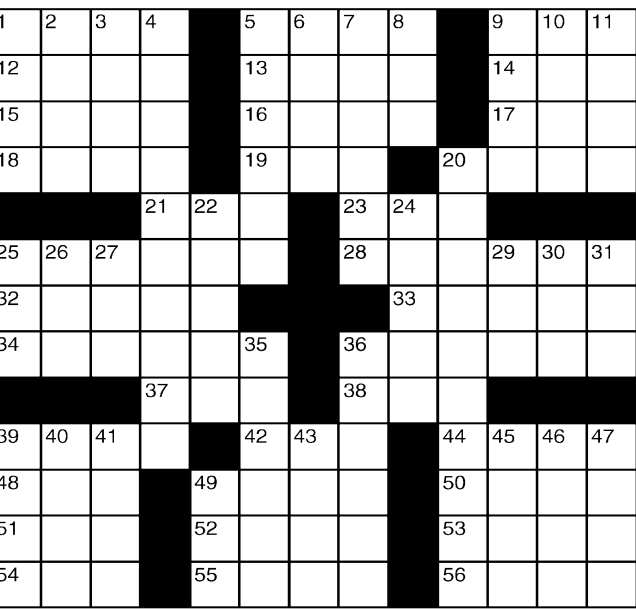
Contest
BEATED
Guile
UNMACE
Usual
MARLON
Expand
DRAPES

TODAY'S WORD

King Crossword

ACROSS

- 1 Banner
5 Ayes' opponents
9 Water barrier
12 Continental coin
13 Squashed circle
14 " — Got a Secret"
15 First victim
16 Stage statuary
17 Still, in verse
18 Peruse
19 Squid squirt
20 Mentor
21 Will Ferrell Christmas movie
23 Swelled head
25 PBS dinosaur
28 Intertwine
32 Underwater gear
33 Hatred
34 Swear (to)
36 Refines, as ore
37 Devoured
38 Coop denizen
39 Rude one
42 Expert
44 Birthday party essential
48 Clumsy boat
49 Start a garden
50 One side of the Urals



- 51 Tavern
52 Be in charge of
53 Dregs
54 — carte
55 Catch sight of
56 Top pick, slangily
7 eare's river
8 Northerner
9 Crafty
9 God, in Grenoble
10 State
11 Waiter's handout
20 Aaron's idol
22 Minimum
24 Travelocity mascot
25 Merit-badge org.
26 Performance
27 Trench
29 Have a bug
30 Snip
31 Type mea-sures
35 Reservation residences
36 Cheaply imitative
39 Ali —
40 Exam format
41 Gumbo need
43 Harvest
45 On the briny
46 Ukraine's capital
47 Facility
49 The girl

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Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

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

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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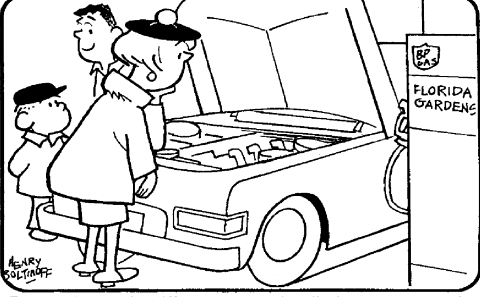
Trivia test by Fifi Rodriguez

1. MUSIC: What is the full name of former Beatles member Paul McCartney?
2. FOOD & DRINK: What is marzipan?
3. CHEMISTRY: Who is credited with discovering the element oxygen?
4. ANATOMY: What purpose does bile serve in the human body?
5. GENERAL KNOWLEDGE: Who was the first woman to appear on the cover of Playboy magazine?
6. HISTORY: The Contras guerrilla movement was associated with which country?
7. GEOGRAPHY: The island of Sardinia is a region of which country?
8. LANGUAGE: What does the Latin abbreviation "cv" or "curriculum vitae" mean in English?
9. LITERATURE: Which movie was made from the science-fiction short story called "The Sentinel" by Arthur C. Clarke?
10. MOVIES: In which post-apocalyptic 1980s movie did the singer Tina Turner appear?

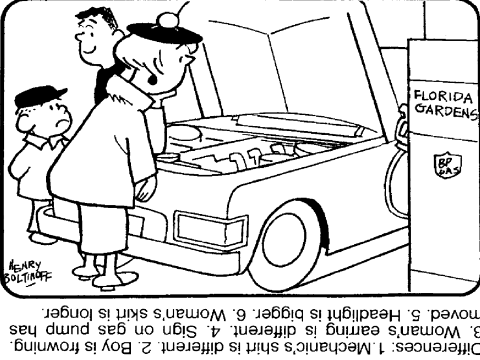
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HOCUS-FOCUS

BY HENRY BOLTINOFF



Find at least six differences in details between panels.



Differences: 1. Mechanic's shirt is different. 2. Boy is frowning. 3. Woman's shirt is longer. 4. Sign on gas pump has moved. 5. Headlight is bigger. 6. Woman's shirt is longer.

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 I

DNVG ISPV NVGI MJV XGXRMTTF
KVRXGK RNXXJ NSRVT JSSPI,
DSATU FSA BMTT XR M BNXXBCVG
BNVBC-XG?

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DOBERMAN

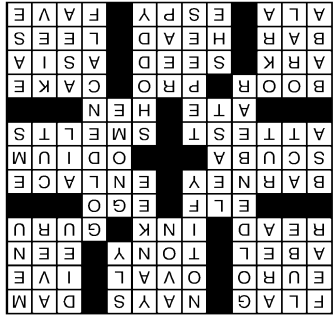
Today's Word

3. Normal; 4. Spread

1. Debate; 2. Accumen;

solution

SCRAMBLERS



Solution time: 24 mins.

Answers

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

Answer

Weekly SUDOKU
When some hens are initially getting their hotel rooms, check-in?

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