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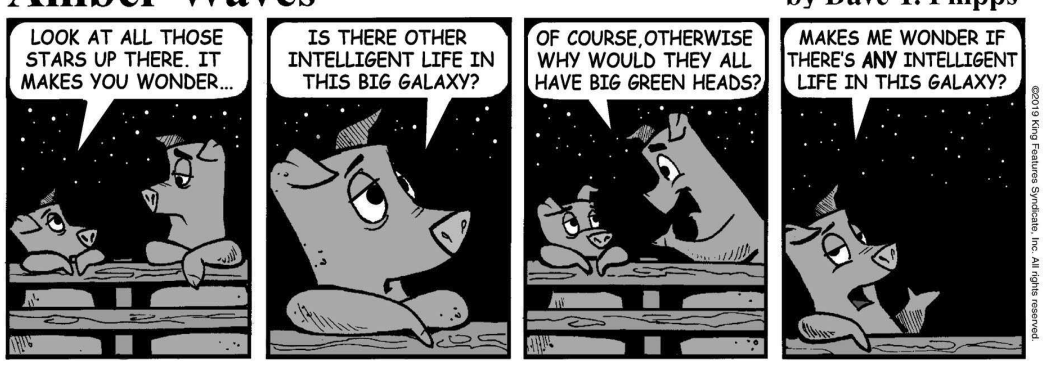

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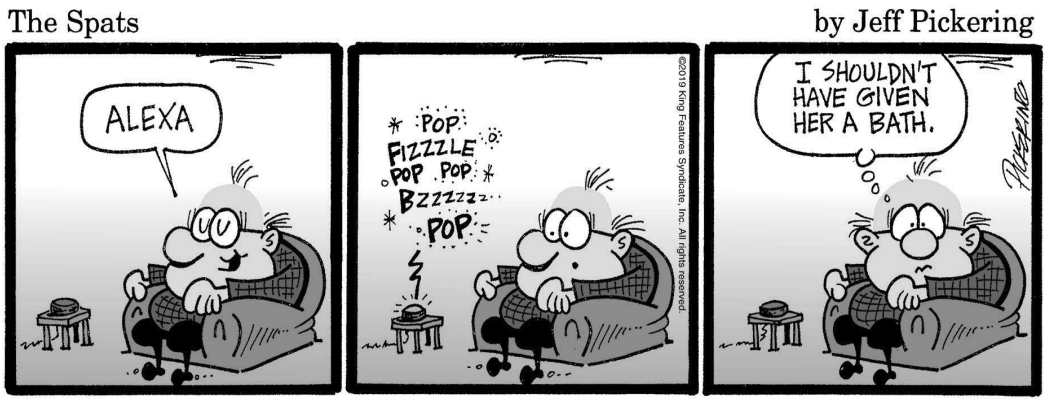

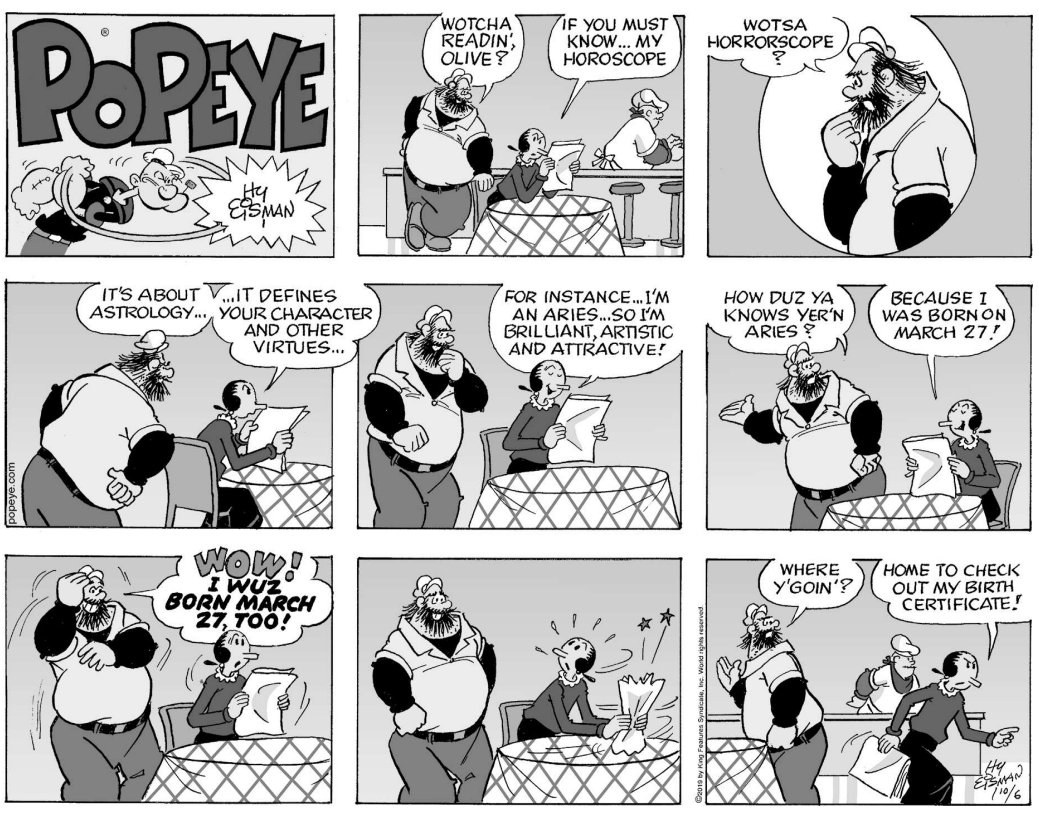

Just Like Cats & Dogs

by Dave T. Phipps

LAFF-A-DAY

"This doesn't contribute much to my memories of a happy childhood."

SCRAMBLERS

"I don't get paid much, but knowing how much the _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ make is a great benefit."

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!

Adroit **STATUE**

Genetic **LIBART**

Adorn **SHARVIN**

Finish **RECUSOL**

TODAY'S WORD

King Crossword

ACROSS

1 "Lord of the Rings" actor Ian
5 Spigot
8 Jet forth
12 Cruising
13 Court
14 Baserunner's goal
15 Locale for a 1920s "sitting" fad
17 Settled down
18 Kingdom near Fiji
19 Creators
21 "Carmina Burana" composer
24 Directory data (Abbr.)
25 Humorous utterance
28 Temporary gift
30 Scot's hat
33 Illustrations
34 Flower of New Mexico
35 "I — Camera"
36 Lingerie item
37 Physical
38 Vivacity, in music
39 Genetic letters
41 Ogler's look
43 Jungle expedition
46 Romantic dance
50 Send out
51 Worm holder
54 Leftovers
55 To and —
56 Writer Angelou
57 Wan
58 Evergreen type
59 Horse-drawn carriage

DOWN

1 Sword handle
2 Norway's capital
3 Slender
4 Housefly larva
5 Pair
6 "You've got mail" co.
7 Verse
8 Drum major's hat
9 Directing principle
10 Eastern potentate
11 Drenches
16 Standard
20 Pavlova or Paquin
22 Change
23 Central
25 Poke
26 Blunder
27 Beachcomber's find
29 Top
31 Parisian pal
32 Name in China's history
34 Calendar quota
38 Lullaby composer
40 Smartly dressed
42 Biblical verb suffix
43 Antitoxins
44 Iowa city
45 Dubious
47 Ark builder
48 "The Naked Maja" artist
49 Suitable
52 Anger
53 Piglet's mom

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Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

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

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: Which is the northernmost of the Great Lakes?
2. GENERAL KNOWLEDGE: What would a phillumenist collect or study?
3. MOVIES: Which movie was based on the novel "Do Androids Dream of Electric Sheep?"?
4. HISTORY: The Treaty of Versailles ended which major 20th-century war?
5. LANGUAGE: What does the Greek prefix "lex" mean in English?
6. TELEVISION: What was the nickname of Carrie Bradshaw's boyfriend in the comedic series "Sex and the City"?
7. ANIMAL KINGDOM: How many eyes does a honey bee have?
8. MEASUREMENTS: What does a caliper measure?
9. MUSIC: Who sang the hit 1970s song "Love Me Like a Rock"?
10. ANATOMY: What is a common word for the sternum?

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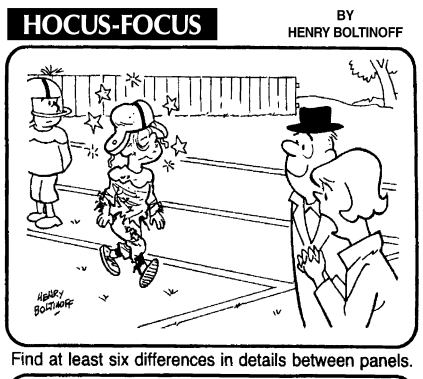
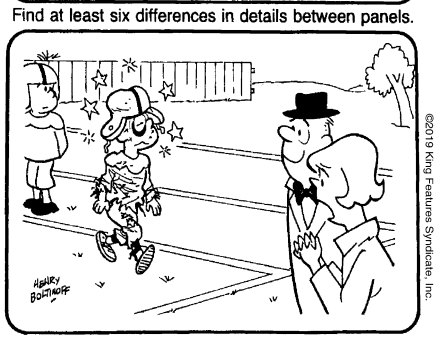
HOCUS-FOCUS

BY HENRY BOLTINOFF



Find at least six differences in details between panels.



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 **Y**

FW XPO GDPLKCJ KDC VCJNKD PW T RTGOTV LCZ-TJZ-NLCCJ GDFLK, TLC XPO KLFIIFJN KDC RDLFGKITG KCC?

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SCRAMBLERS *solution*

1. Astute; 2. Tribal; 3. Varnish; 4. Closure

Today's Word

BACHELORS

— King Crossword —

Answers

Solution time: 25 mins.

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

Trivia Test Answers

1. Lake Superior
2. Matchbook covers and boxes
3. "Blade Runner"
4. World War I
5. Word
6. Mr. Big
7. Five
8. Distance between two opposite sides of an object
9. Paul Simon
10. Breastbone

— Weekly SUDOKU —

Answer

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

CryptoQuip answer

If you shorten the length of a casual red-and-green shirt, are you trimming the Christmas tee?

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