

Amber Waves



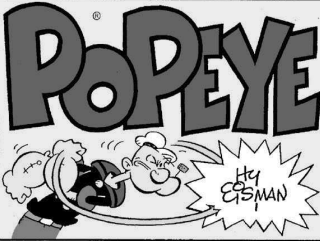
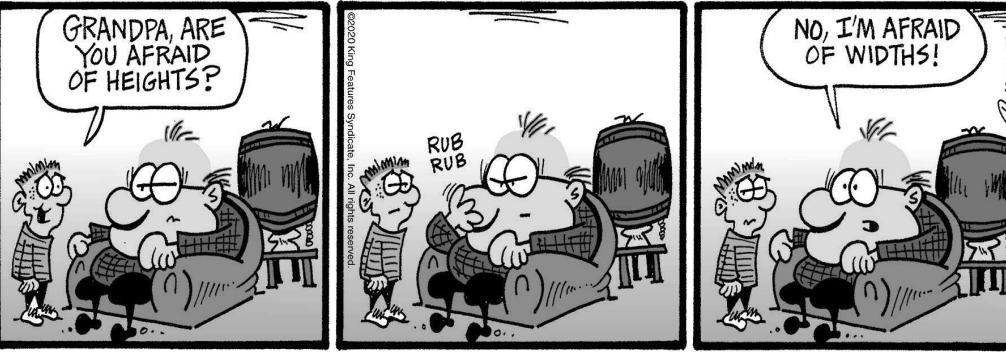
Out on a Limb



R.F.D.



The Spats



Just Like Cats & Dogs



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!

Group REESIS
Shame GAMITS
Point DOPIER
Docile TENGLE

TODAY'S WORD

by Dave T. Phipps

by Gary Kopervas

by Mike Marland

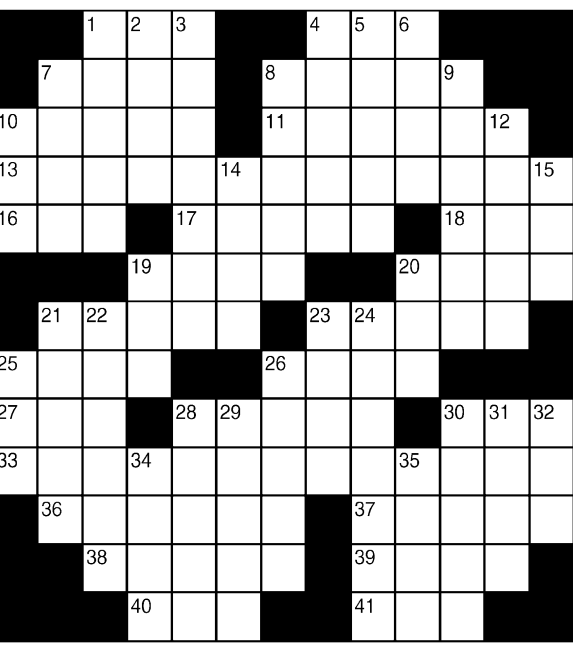
by Jeff Pickering

BY HENRY BOLTINGOFF

ACROSS

- 1 Possesses
- 4 Cribbage scorer
- 7 Ringlet
- 8 Preclude
- 10 "M*A*S*H" setting
- 11 Scent
- 13 Kitchen pair
- 16 — and outs
- 17 "The — Show With Jon Stewart"
- 18 Whopper
- 19 Citi Field team
- 20 Marching musicmakers
- 21 Topper for Miss USA
- 23 Rushmore or Rainier
- 25 Responsibility
- 26 Cried
- 27 Lawyers' org.
- 28 Memorable mission
- 30 Shooter ammo
- 33 13-Across, e.g.
- 36 African desert wind
- 37 Ointment
- 38 Military subdivision
- 39 Unattractive
- 40 Mauna —

King Crossword



- 41 More, to sleeve phenom
- 10 Japanese pond carp
- 24 One skilled in playing dead
- 25 " — Kapital"
- 26 Goes up a few degrees
- 28 Worship
- 29 Parkinson's treatment
- 30 Doctor's orders?
- 31 Jealousy
- 32 Iron or Bronze
- 34 Out of control
- 35 Long story
- 12 Epithet for Simon Templar (with "The")
- 14 Information
- 15 Scarlet
- 19 Spring month
- 20 On the other hand
- 21 Big brass
- 22 Slanted, as lettering
- 23 Viral Web
- 1 Throws hard
- 2 Neighborhood
- 3 — : spoken :: libel : written
- 4 Danger
- 5 Black wood
- 6 Ready for action
- 7 Quarter, e.g.
- 8 CSA president
- 9 Overcoat

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Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

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

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!

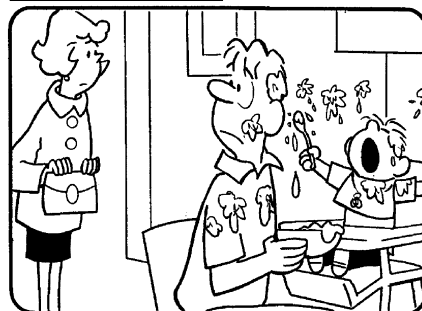
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Trivia test by Fifi Rodriguez

- 1. ANIMAL KINGDOM: What are female elephants called?
- 2. GENERAL KNOWLEDGE: What is the oldest brewery in the United States?
- 3. MOVIES: To which destination is the McCallister family traveling in the movie "Home Alone"?
- 4. GEOGRAPHY: How many U.S. states are named after a president?
- 5. MUSIC: In the song, what did Frosty the Snowman do after a magic hat was placed on his head?
- 6. ANATOMY: Where is the glabella located in the human body?
- 7. LANGUAGE: What did the Russian Space Station "Mir" mean in English?
- 8. LITERATURE: What are the names of the young bunnies in "The Tale of Peter Rabbit"?
- 9. HISTORY: In what year was the sound barrier broken by a jet aircraft?
- 10. LANDMARKS: Which presidents are depicted in the Mount Rushmore National Memorial in South Dakota?

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HOCUS-FOCUS



Find at least six differences in details between panels.



Differences: 1. Button is missing. 2. Skirt is different. 3. Food splat is missing. 4. Chair back is lower. 5. Nose is smaller. 6. Hair is different.

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: B equals R

OMBBWIZ "LPMB JMBL" AFNNL XMDI
LCKWP FC. CMKL CBGUKMWO "OMQ
ZWDGBUI AI JWPX QGF!"

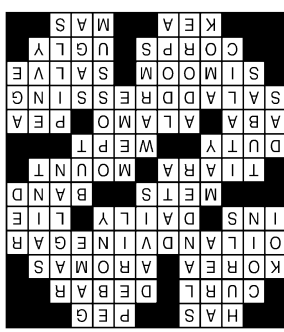
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DESSERT

Today's Word

1. Series: 2. Stigma: 3. Period: 4. Gentle solution

SCRAMBLERS



Solution time: 25 mins.

Answers

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

Answer

Weekly SUDOKU

Married "Star Wars" buffs have answer
split up. "Pais proclaim "may divorce be with you!"



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