

# Kids' corner

# Cottage Grove Sentinel

**New word**  
**CONSTRUCT**  
to build

**THIS DAY IN...**  
MAY 5  
**HISTORY**

## How they SAY that in...

- ENGLISH:** Building
- SPANISH:** Edificio
- ITALIAN:** Edificio
- FRENCH:** Édifice
- GERMAN:** Gebäude

## Did you know?

ADHERING TO SAFETY GUIDELINES WHILE USING HEAVY MACHINERY OR DOING CONSTRUCTION WORK CAN HELP REDUCE INJURIES.



## GET THE PICTURE?



Can you guess what the bigger picture is?

ANSWER: CONSTRUCTION EQUIPMENT

- **1809:** MARY KIES BECOMES THE FIRST WOMAN TO BE GRANTED A U.S. PATENT. THE PATENT GRANTED KIES THE RIGHTS TO A WEAVING TECHNIQUE.
- **1891:** CARNEGIE HALL, THEN CALLED THE MUSIC HALL, OPENS IN NEW YORK CITY.
- **1925:** JOHN SCOPES IS ARRESTED IN TENNESSEE FOR TEACHING EVOLUTION.

## Puzzles4Kids by Helene Hovanec

### CODED RIDDLE

Change each letter to the one that comes immediately BEFORE it in the alphabet to find a riddle and its answer.

Here's a copy of the alphabet to guide you:

ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ  
XIZ EJE UIF NPUIFS OFFEMF HFU  
NBE BU UIF CBCZ OFFEMF? JU  
XBT QBTU JUT UISFBE UJNF.

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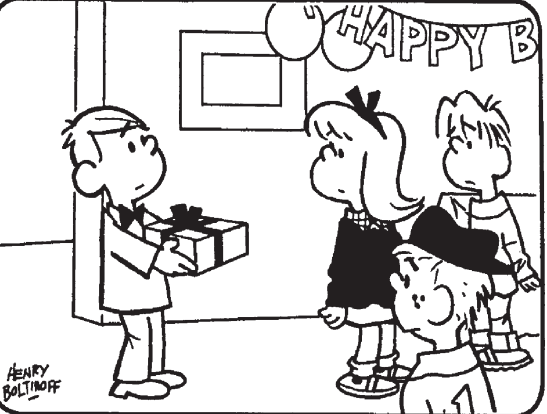
## Even Exchange by Donna Pettman

Each numbered row contains two clues and two 6-letter answers. The two answers differ from each other by only one letter, which has already been inserted. For example, if you exchange the A from MASTER for an I, you get MISTER. Do not change the order of the letters.

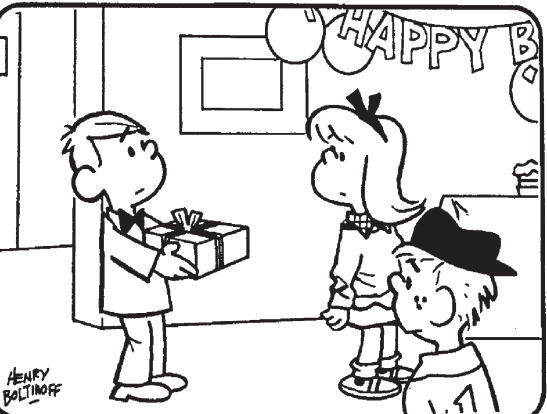
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|--------------------------|-----------|------------------------|-----------|
| 1. Desist                | __ E __ _ | Run after              | __ H __ _ |
| 2. Funny Fudd            | __ M __   | Church leader          | __ D __   |
| 3. Regional articulation | __ N __   | Agree to take          | __ P __   |
| 4. Beatles' drummer      | R __ _    | Parlor game            | B __ _    |
| 5. Male title of respect | __ I __ _ | Gather up courage      | __ U __ _ |
| 6. Dwelling              | __ U __   | Trigger or Secretariat | __ R __   |
| 7. Haphazard             | __ D __   | Kidnapper's demand     | __ S __   |
| 8. He wanted "more"      | O __ _    | Finger splinter        | S __ _    |
| 9. Florence Nightingale  | __ U __ _ | From Lillehammer       | __ O __ _ |
| 10. Twisted hairdo       | __ D __ _ | Thinking organ         | __ N __ _ |

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## HOCUS-FOCUS BY HENRY BOLTINOFF

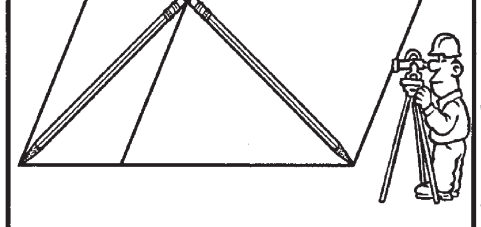


Find at least six differences in details between panels.



Differences: 1. Door is added. 2. Balloon is added. 3. Girl's sweater is different. 4. Boy is missing. 5. Cake is added. 6. Gift bow is different.

## OPTICALS



Which pencil is longer, "A" or "B"?

Answer: They are both the same length.

## Junior Whirl by Charles Barry Townsend

**SQUARE A**

1		N	
2		I	
3		N	
4		E	

**SQUARE B**

1			
2			
3	L	I	S
4			

DOUBLE TROUBLE!

**KIDS PLAY!** The three blocks shown here give us the number "631." Can you rearrange them so that the three-digit number formed can be evenly divided by 7?  
**ANSWER:** Turn the "6" block upside down, giving you the number "931." This can be evenly divided by 7 (931/7 = 133).

**LINK-UPS!** Here's a list of 12, one-syllable words, divided into two columns. Turn them into six longer words by linking them together. To do this, draw a line from one word in the left column to one word in the right.

- |         |      |
|---------|------|
| 1. ASP  | EYED |
| 2. GRIM | RATE |
| 3. NIT  | ACES |
| 4. PANE | ANT  |
| 5. LACK | LED  |
| 6. RAMP | HALT |

Let's make two "Magic Word Squares"! Listed below are the sixteen words you'll be able to read, left-to-right, top-to-bottom, when you've correctly filled in the squares. We've already filled in two of these words. The rest is up to you. Solve the puzzle using trial and error.

- |      |      |      |
|------|------|------|
| AMID | EATS | MATS |
| AMIR | EDGY | NEST |
| AREA | LANE | NINE |
| ARIA | LAST | SING |
| BALM | LIST | TREY |
| BANE |      |      |

The answer: Square A: 1. Lane. 2. Amid. 3. Sing. 4. Trey. Square B: 1. Bane. 2. Area. 3. List. 4. Mats.

Answers: Asphalt, grtmaces, nitrate, paneled, lackeyed, rampant.

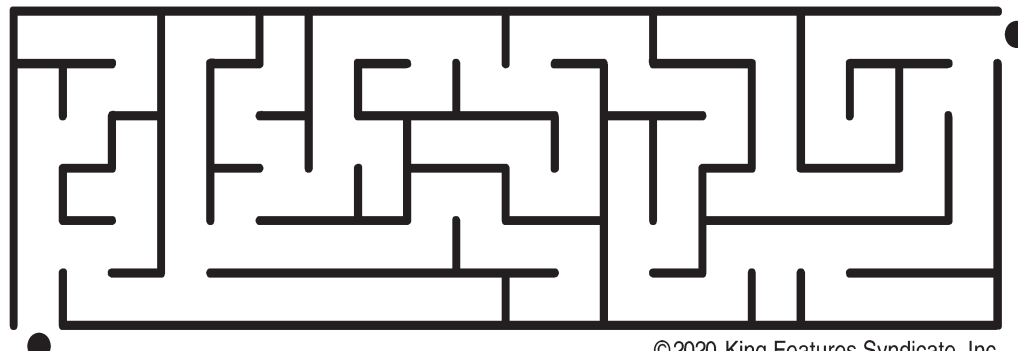


Kids' Maze Solution

- Even Exchange answers**
- Cease, Chase
  - House, Horse
  - Random, Ransom
  - Oliver, Silver
  - Accent, Accept
  - Ringo, Bingo
  - Nurse, Norse
  - Mister, Muster
  - Braid, Brain

**Puzzles4Kids**  
Answer  
Why did the mother needle get mad at the baby needle?  
It was past its thread time.

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