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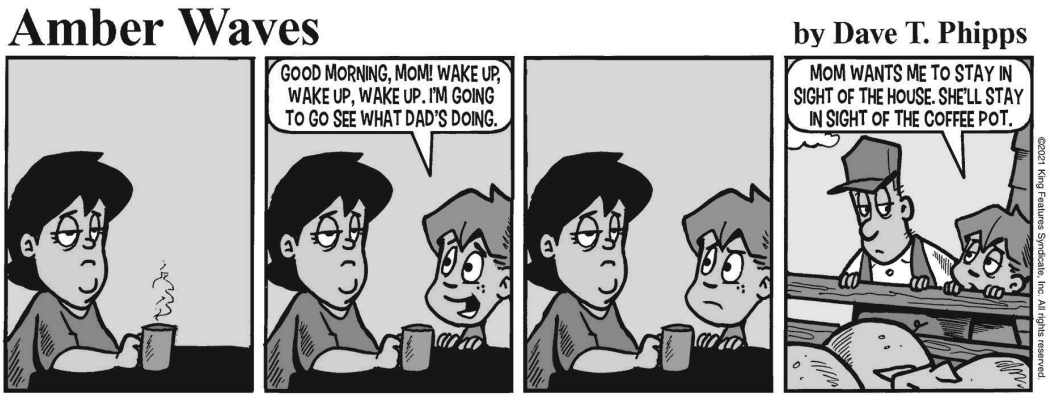

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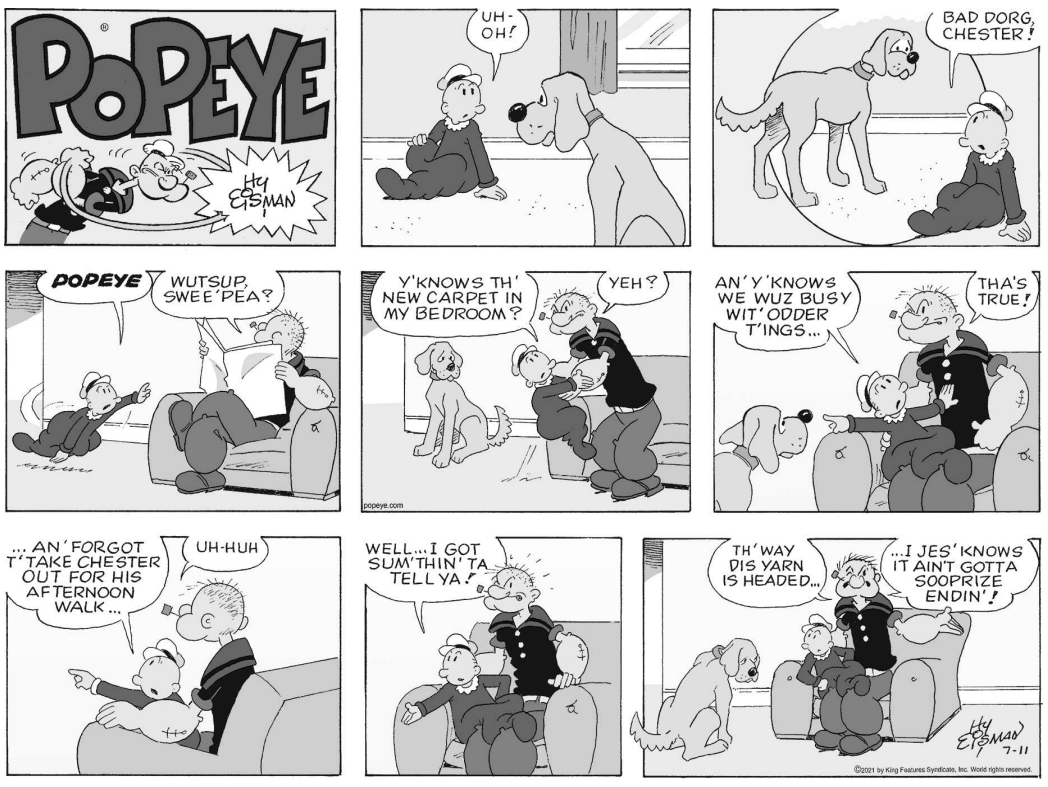

Just Like Cats & Dogs

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LAFF-A-DAY

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"Our next speaker is an outspoken man who is not afraid to speak his mind."

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!

Seek
ARCHES ____ ____ ____ ____ ____ ____

Bridge
TENURED ____ ____ ____ ____ ____ ____ ____

Diamond
TRACE ____ ____ ____ ____ ____

Quick
DRAIP ____ ____ ____ ____ ____

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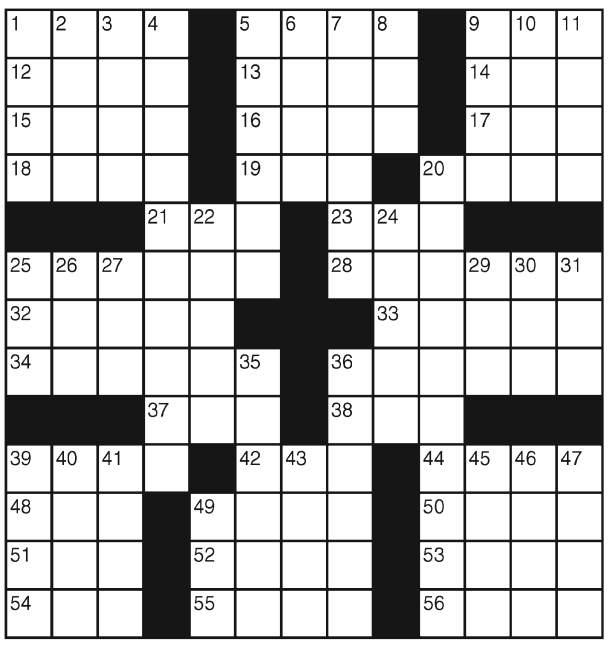
"Have you read any good ____ ____ ____ ____ ____ ____ lately?"

TODAY'S WORD

____ ____ ____ ____ ____ ____ ____

King Crossword



ACROSS
1 Circulate
5 Jolly laugh
9 Lustrous black
12 Zero, in tennis
13 Scent
14 — glance
15 Border on
16 Reply to "Shall we?"
17 Rug cleaner, briefly
18 Gestation location
19 Goat's plaint
20 Roman censor
21 Fib
23 Medit. nation
25 Cellist Pablo
28 Keep perusing
32 Muscat resident
33 Sky blue
34 Lively dances
36 "Be that as it may ..."
37 Sch. URL ender
38 Atty.'s title
39 Libretto
42 Plead
44 "Oops!"
48 Priestly garment
49 Competent
50 Tiny bit
51 2016 Olympics city
52 Composer Bartok
53 Figure skating leap
54 Gender
55 Mideast gulf
56 Helen's home

DOWN
1 Imperfection
2 Timber wolf
3 Egg
4 Stick-in-the-mud
5 Baker Street sleuth
6 Classic theaters
7 Empty talk
8 Hosp. areas
9 Coffee
10 Coup d'—
11 Mexican entree
20 Hodgepodge
22 Homer classic
24 Penn and Connery
25 Police officer
26 "I love," to Livy
27 Bando of baseball
29 "Gee, ya think?"
30 Spanish gold
31 Just out
35 Filled in
36 Sea off Greece
39 Old salts
40 Author Wiesel
41 PlayStation alternative
43 Vogue rival
45 60 minutes
46 "Beetle Bailey" dog
47 Vague
49 Lawyers' org.

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Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

9					6		3	
		8		7				2
	3		9			4		
		4			5		9	
2			3		9			6
	6			1		8		
		2			4			1
	7		5			3		
1				6			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. TELEVISION: What were the first names of the "Golden Girls" characters on the 1980s sitcom?
2. MOVIES: What was the name of the dance song in the movie "The Rocky Horror Picture Show"?
3. GEOGRAPHY: What is the newest internationally recognized nation in the world?
4. GENERAL KNOWLEDGE: How big is an Olympic swimming pool?
5. U.S. STATES: What is the state animal of Nevada?
6. ASTRONOMY: What color is the sunset on Mars?
7. HISTORY: When was the Emancipation Proclamation issued?
8. ANIMAL KINGDOM: What are the offspring of cicadas called?
9. AD SLOGANS: Which auto is advertised as "the ultimate driving machine"?
10. LITERATURE: What is the setting for the novel "Anne of Green Gables"?

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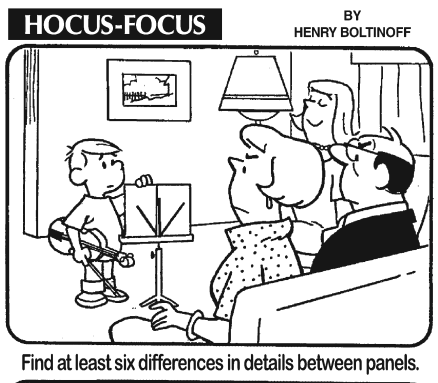
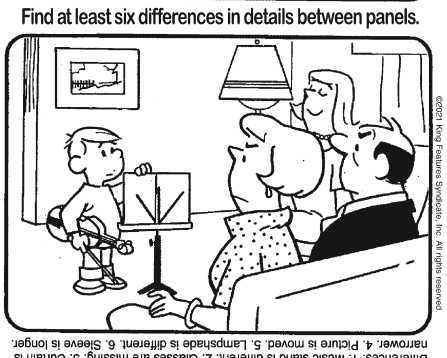
HOCUS-FOCUS

BY HENRY BOLTINOFF



Find at least six differences in details between panels.



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Differences: 1. Music stand is different. 2. Glasses are missing. 3. Curtain is narrower. 4. Picture is moved. 5. Lampshade is different. 6. Sleeve 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: **C** equals **L**

FCBHW TFICCO CHXFP JHW WZFIX WAMZ. OAS'BF JFITP JHW MIEASW ZSVF "CABF EFIZ ZFVPFT."

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Weekly SUDOKU — Answer

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

SCRAMBLERS *solution*

1. Search 2. Denture; 3. Caret; 4. Rapid

Today's Word

RECIPES

King Crossword — *Answers*

Solution time: 21 mins.

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

Answers

1. Rose, Blanche, Dorothy and Sophia
2. "Time Warp"
3. South Sudan (2011)
4. Fifty meters long, 25 meters wide and at least 2 meters deep
5. Desert bighorn sheep
6. Blue
7. Jan. 1, 1863
8. Nymphs
9. BMW
10. Prince Edward Island, Canada

CryptoQuip answer

Elvis really liked his steak soft. You've heard his famous tune "Love Meat Tender."

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