by Dave T. Phipps

## **King** Crossword

**ACROSS** 1 Scepter 12 4 Israeli airline

8 Staffer 12 Brit. record

label 13 The Big Easy acronym

14 Not worth debating 15 Picnic crasher

low plumage 18 Popular takeout entree

16 Bird with yel-

20 Use a shovel 21 Golden

24 Atkinson of "Mr. Bean" 28 Wood pigeon

Fleece ship

32 Long tale 33 Mil. morale booster

34 Gladden 36 Decay

37 Lost traction 39 Pink wading

bird 41 King of Judea

43 Faux pas 44 Belly

50 Coastal diving bird

55 Chopper mater

57 Bassoon's kin 9 Charged bit

58 Director

**Burton** 11 Ordinal suffix 59 Longings 17 Fragrant tree 19 Abrupt turn 60 See to

22 Michelle 61 Packed away Wie's game

**DOWN** 23 Cameo 1 Harvest shapes

3 Bubblehead 26 Awestruck 27 Peacekeeping 4 Fencer's cry

46 Tribal emblem 5 Brit's restroom 6 100 percent

2 Hotel chain

7 "Shane" star 8 Juan's pals

10 Medico

31 And others (Lat.)

30 Pinot -

29 Capri, for one

25 Tip off

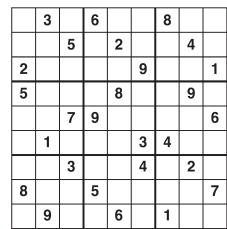
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## Weekly **SUDOKU**

by Linda Thistle

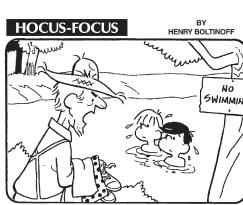


Place a number in the empty boxes in such a way that each row across, each column down and each small 9-box square contains all of the numbers from one to nine.

## **DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK:** ◆ ◆

◆ Moderate ◆◆ Challenging

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SCRAMBLERS

## **CryptoQuip**

# 35 Sent forth

1. LITERATUR featured a charac Gamgee? 2. TELEVISION

of Fred's boss on t

'The Flintstones": 3. GENERAL I many cards are in 4. GEOGRAPH largest island?

5. MOVIES: V features a charac Dude"?

6. FOOD & DRI did tequila origina 7. ADVERTISIN advertised in con the character Capt

8. SCIENCE: W duces acorns? 9. HISTORY: V States' first comm

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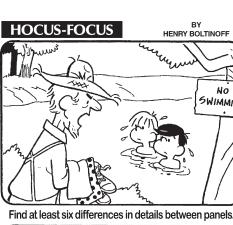
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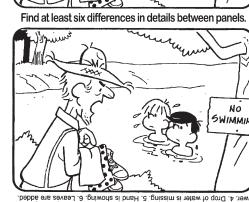
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Just Like Cats & Dogs

DO YOU CARRY ANY FAKE FLOWERS THAT

LOOK SO REAL THEY COULD FOOL SOMEONE AND THUS BE USED MULTIPLE TIMES?

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!

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C'MON, YOU

GOOD ONE!

**Amber Waves** 

UH, OWEN....WHAT SIZE SHOE DOES YOUR DAD WEAR?

by Mike Marland

MY WORDPLAY IS SO UNDERAPPRECIATED AROUND HERE SPECIAL GROAN!

The Spats

R.F.D.

YOU'RE SITTING-IN MY CHAIR!!



T...IT'S ON A DAY LIKE



by Jeff Pickering

YOUR FLIGHT HAS

BEEN CANCELLED.













by Dave T. Phipps





"I keep remembering her age and forgetting her birthday."