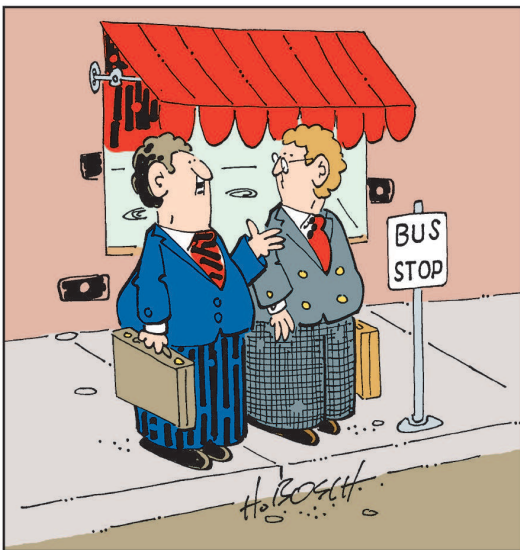


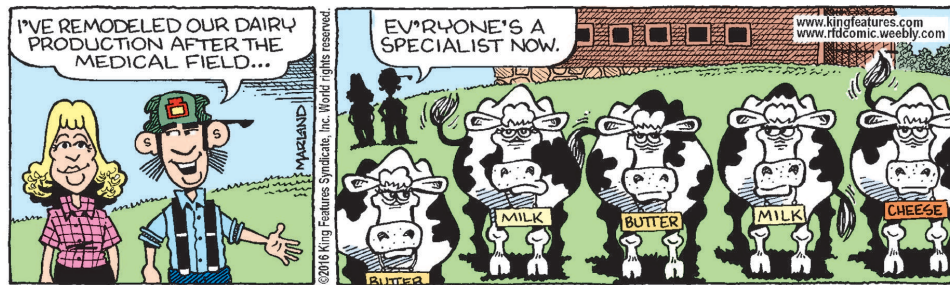
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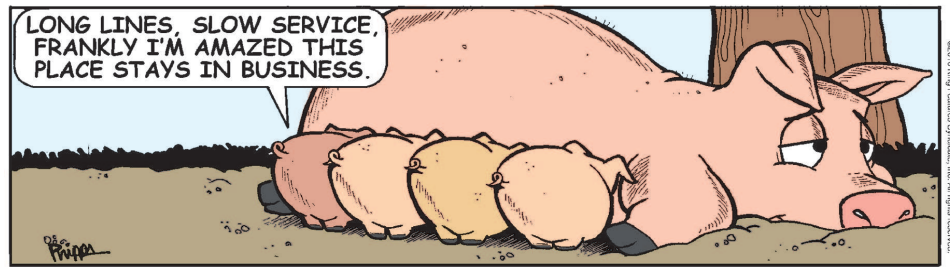
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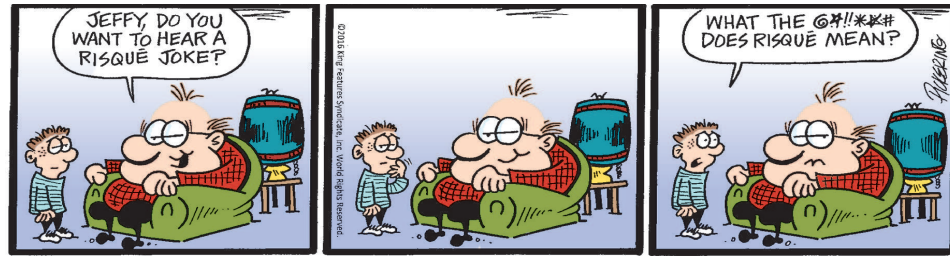
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FLASHBACK SUPER CROSSWORD: TIME FOR A FRESH START

by Mick Harper

- 1. Name the 1996 musical comedy film about a one-hit-wonder band.
2. In 1970 Dave Edmunds covered a vintage blues number, playing most of the instruments himself, and took the song to No. 1. Name the song.
3. Who released the popular 1965 version of "There Goes My Everything"?
4. "Nights Are Forever," by Jennifer Warnes in 1983, was used in which film?
5. Name the vintage song that contains this lyric: "If there were sweethearts in the park, Hed pass a lamp and leave it dark, Remembering the days that used to be."

Crossword puzzle grid with clues for Across and Down.

- ANSWERS
1. "That Thing You Do!" came out in 1996 and co-started Tom Hanks. Set in 1964, the film made a hit out of the title song.
2. "Hear You Knocking" topped the charts for six weeks.
3. Jack Greene. The song topped the country chart for seven weeks.
4. "Twilight Zone: The Movie" co-produced by Steven Spielberg.
5. "The Old Lamp Lighter" best known by The Browns in 1960. In the days before automatic streetlights, lamp lighters would move around town at dusk lighting all the street lamps (usually candles or oil). At dawn, they'd return and extinguish them.

SALOME'S STARS HOROSCOPE

ARIES (March 21 to April 19) Mars, your ruling planet, helps you deal with career challenges in a way that reflects some of your own hidden strengths. This impresses some important decision-makers.
TAURUS (April 20 to May 20) Your strong Bovine will, combined with your romantic nature (you are ruled by Venus), helps turn a romance with a potential for problems into one with more-positive possibilities.
GEMINI (May 21 to June 20) Mercury's influence creates some unsettling moments, but nothing that you can't live with. You'll soon learn more about that major change that is about to be revealed.
CANCER (June 21 to July 22) Opportunities for you are like the phases of the Moon: constantly appearing and reappearing. So, cheer up. The opportunity you think you let slip by will be replaced by another.
LEO (July 23 to August 22) An opportunity that you hoped would open up for you remains closed. Stop wasting time scratching at it. Something else you'll like will soon make itself apparent and accessible.

VIRGO (August 23 to September 22) Congratulations. You'll soon hear some positive feedback for all the hard work you recently put into a project. A Pisces could soon swim into your personal life.
LIBRA (September 23 to October 22) Someone whose friendship you felt you had to write off will try to revive it. What you do is up to you. But don't do it without giving it considerable thought.
SCORPIO (October 23 to November 21) A job-related plan might need to be re-worked to allow for changes. Lucky for you that Saturn remains a strong influence that can help you focus on getting it done right.
SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to December 21) This is a good time to move into areas of self-discovery. You might be surprised about who you really are and how you really relate to those around you.

CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 19) Expect to confront someone who will make an unwelcome request. Stand by your resolve to do the right thing no matter what "persuasion" might be offered.
AQUARIUS (January 20 to February 18) A friendly competition could become more contentious than you expected. Take time out to discuss the reasons behind this unexpected change, and act accordingly.

PISCES (February 19 to March 20) You have a wonderful mind for solving mysteries, so you should feel confident about solving the one developing very close to you. An unlikely source offers help.
BORN THIS WEEK: You're a great host or hostess. You love being with people, and you're very good about planning all sorts of social events that bring folks together.

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: D equals F
NEEVNOGIU XVIHOZOMQ ZISOIZ
NWMCX EIVIWSOXOIZ' SIU SNZKIZ:
"KOHIZ MD XKI SOEK NQU DNGMCZ."

SUDOKU

9x9 Sudoku grid with numbers 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9.

DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK ★★

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