

JUST LIKE CATS & DOGS by Dave T. Phipps



LAFF-A-DAY



"That ten-dollar raise you told me to keep quiet about — I found out everyone else got twenty dollars!"

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: N equals G

TZWS YIJD MCNTCNR SWWO XQ

MKH RKLLECWR, C CJYNC SW

XZWH TQKEO RZQL YX XZW

NWSWIYE RXQIW.

When army bigwigs need to buy supplies, I imagine they would shop at the general store.

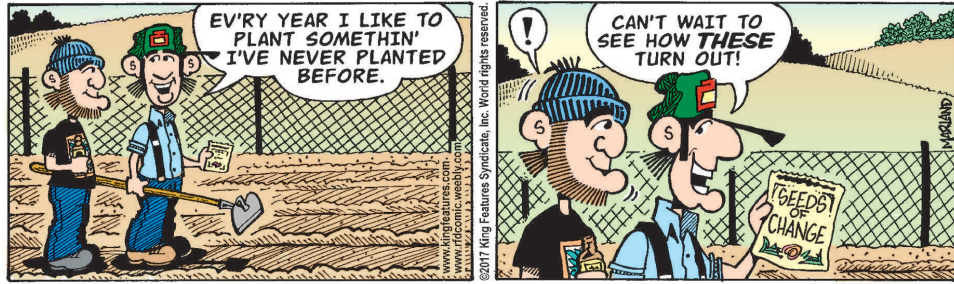
Cryptoquip answer

SUDOKU

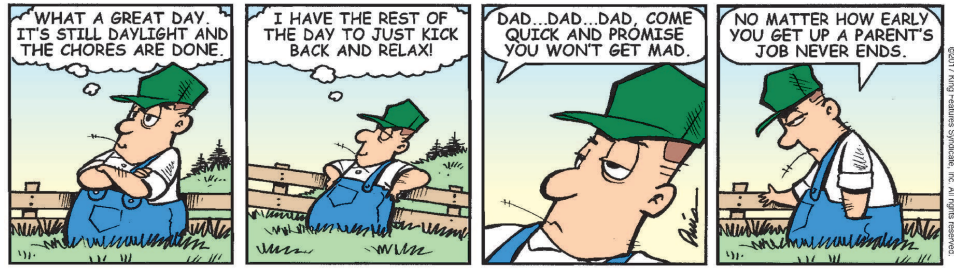
9x9 Sudoku grid with numbers 1-9.

DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK ★★

R.F.D. by Mike Marland



AMBER WAVES by Dave T. Phipps



THE SPATS by Jeff Pickering



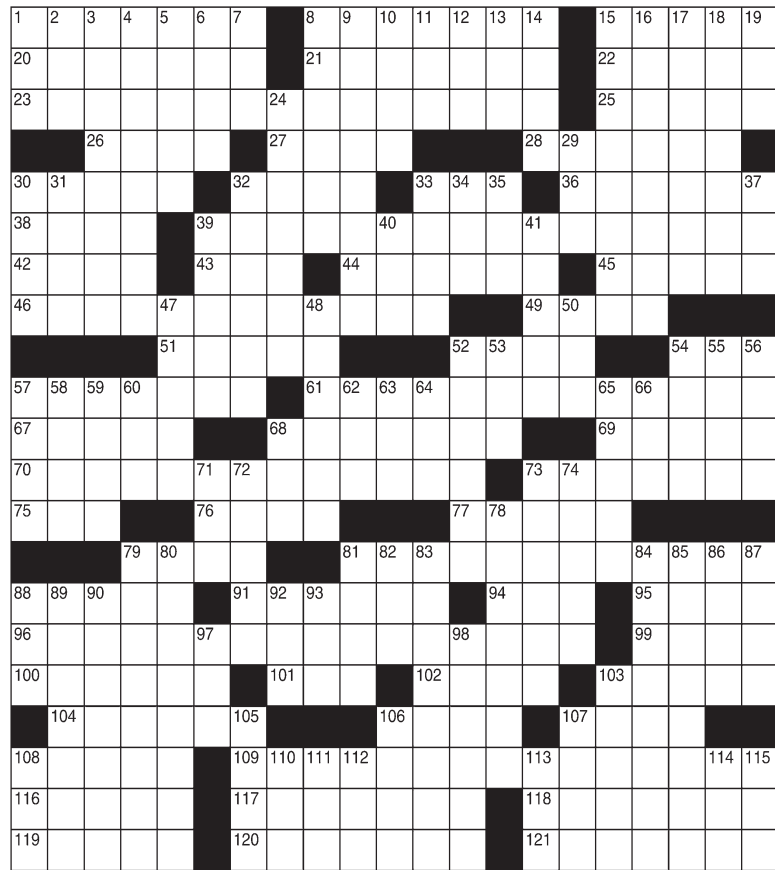
FLASHBACK

by Mick Harper

- 1. Who released "She's a Fool"?
2. Which group wrote and released "Sincerely"?
3. Name the band that released "All Right Now"?
4. Which group charted with "This Time I'm In It for Love"?
5. Name the song that contains this lyric: "People walking around reciting poetry, Screamin' guitars and a thousand colored lights, People I'm telling you this place is really out of sight, You can have your fortune told?"

SUPER CROSSWORD: PLANETS OUT OF ALIGNMENT

- CROSS: 1 Get in a trap, 8 Diner dishes, 15 Long tales, 20 One finding something, 21 Mishmash, 22 Match venue, 23 Additional examination, 25 McLain of old baseball, 26 Sioux tribe members, 27 Scene, 28 Tranquil, 30 Island, 32 Poker style, 33 Eve's music, 36 Sends in, as payment, 38 Run things, 39 Result of a minor infraction in hockey, 42 Specks in la Seine, 43 Not be well, 44 "Sand" actor, 45 Fencing weapons, 46 Hall-of-Fame Jets running back, 49 Launch platforms, 51 Italian for "seven", 52 Complacent, 54 Projecting crane arm, 57 Major fuss, 61 Lie in court, 67 "I'm keeping my eye on", 68 Work site supervisors, 69 Book review?, 70 One enlisting, 73 Milk sugar, 75 Where one lives: Abbr., 76 Steeple, 77 Gabrielle of modeling and volleyball, 79 Part of AFB, 81 Moon rock source, 88 Not be well, 91 Ancient Indian emperor, 94 Colo. clock setting, 95 Whitish gem, 96 Unexpected nice thing, 99 Fight arbiters, 100 Comic Berle, 101 JFK takeoff guess, 102 Wine-related prefix, 103 Don't dissent, 104 "Peter Pan" pennier, 106 Gen. Robert, 107 Pair, 108 "Zip your lip!", 109 "Inherited or acquired" dichotomy, 116 Tolerate, 117 Like sandals, 118 Not shown, as on TV, 119 Died down, 120 Nonvital body organs, 121 People being quizzed, 123 Lay waste to degree, 34 Ocean off Ga. and Fla., 35 U.S. architect I.M., 37 OS part: Abbr., 39 Stunned with a gun, 40 Abbr. for those with only one given name, 41 Infield fly ball, 47 "A Mighty Fortress — God" (hymn), 48 Gain back, 50 Gain maturity, 52 Nevada, 53 52-Down, e.g.: Abbr., 54 A martial art, 55 Fleur-de-lis, 56 Gig fraction, 57 Wild hog, 58 About, 59 Y facilities, 60 Tyke amuser, 62 "Either he goes — go!", 63 Confronted, 64 Mrs., in Nice, 65 Sprinter, e.g. (out), 68 To and —, 71 Ar-tee linkup, 72 Not dirty, 73 To a smaller degree, 74 Not obtuse, 78 Badgers' kin, 79 River or lake outing, 80 Various, 81 Ear-piercing, 82 Odessa loc., 83 Emperor exiled to Elba, 84 "No deal!", 85 Gap, 86 Cozy eatery, 87 Additional, 88 LP stat, 89 "Arabian Nights" hero, 90 Skin pigment, 92 Beaufort Fr. woman, 93 Pres. initials, 97 Singer, 98 Keanu of film, 103 Subtle glows, 105 Seth's eldest, 106 Deco artist, 107 Sand hill, 108 Raven's cry, 110 Smartphone download, 111 No. in the white pages, 112 A, in French, 113 Enthusiast, 114 R&B singer, 115 Mag workers



SALOME'S STARS HOROSCOPE



ARIES (March 21 to April 19) A heads-up alert to all free-spirited Ewes and Rams: Be wary of a deal that could result in compromising your independence.

TAURUS (April 20 to May 20) New facts emerge that help put an irksome workplace situation in perspective. Meanwhile, pay more attention to a family member who needs your wisdom and strength.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 20) A slight setback in plans is nothing to worry about. Use this delay to deal with a number of matters you might have ignored for too long.

CANCER (June 21 to July 22) You're entering a period of stability. Use it to straighten out any outstanding problems related to a very personal situation.

LEO (July 23 to August 22) As much as you love being a social Lion, you might well benefit from staying out of the spotlight for a while. You need time to reflect on some upcoming decisions.

VIRGO (August 23 to September 22) A difficult family situation improves, thanks to your timely intervention. You can now start to focus more of your attention on preparing for a possible career change.

LIBRA (September 23 to October 22) An on-the-job change works to your benefit by offering new opportunities. It's up to you to check them out. Meanwhile, a stalled romantic situation starts up again.

SCORPIO (October 23 to November 21) That flare-up of Scorpion temperament cools down, leaving you more receptive to suggestions about changes that might need to be made in your personal life.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to December 21) An unusual period of indecisiveness is a mite frustrating. But things soon clear up, allowing the sage Sagittarian to make those wise pronouncements again.

CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 19) You might feel that you know best, but it's not a good idea at this time to try to force your opinions on others. Best advice: Inspire change by example, not by intimidation.

AQUARIUS (January 20 to February 18) Some setbacks could affect your plans to fortify your financial situation. But things start moving again by early next week. Meanwhile, enjoy your resurgent social life.

PISCES (February 19 to March 20) Show that often-hidden steely spine of yours as you once again stand up to an emotional bully. You've got the strength to do it, especially as friends rally to your side.

BORN THIS WEEK: Your ruling planet, Mercury, endows you with a gift for writing. Have you considered penning the world's greatest novel?

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Weekly SUDOKU Answer

Answers for the crossword puzzle.

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