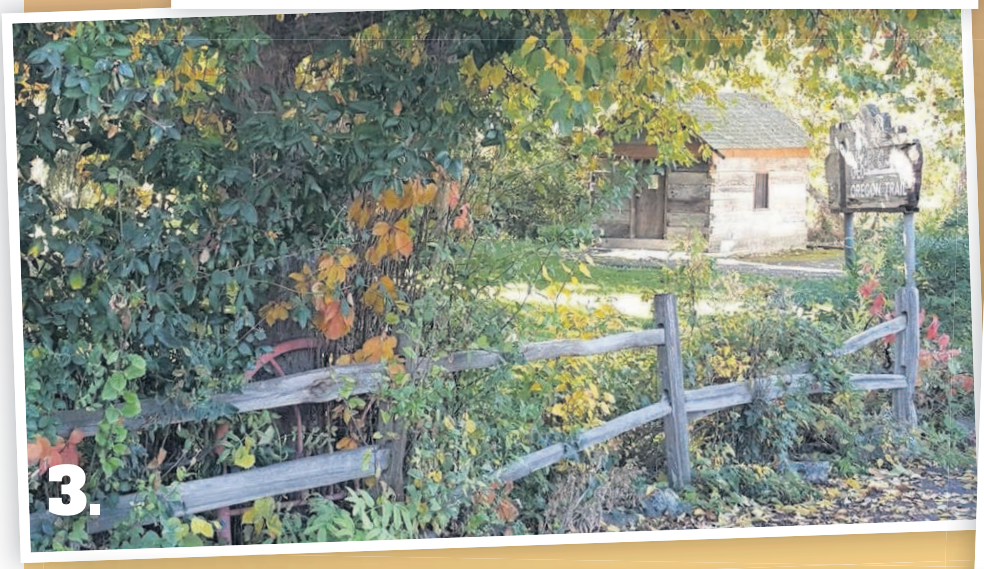
LEAVES *autumn*



1. *Rachael Christiansen:* Chesney the lab takes a break from playing in the leaves in Hermiston. 2. *Pat Messenger:* Fallen leaves collect on the ground at the Riverfront Park walking trail. 3. *Cole Gilbert:* The Oregon Trail Museum in Echo is surround by fall foliage. 4. *Madisen DeLong:* The Columbia River Nature Trails below McNary Dam are a nice place for a walk in the fall. 5. *Cole Gilbert:* An old homestead on Andrews Road in Echo Meadows. 6. *Madisen DeLong:* A mushroom sprouts in a Hermiston backyard.

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: **Q** equals **E**

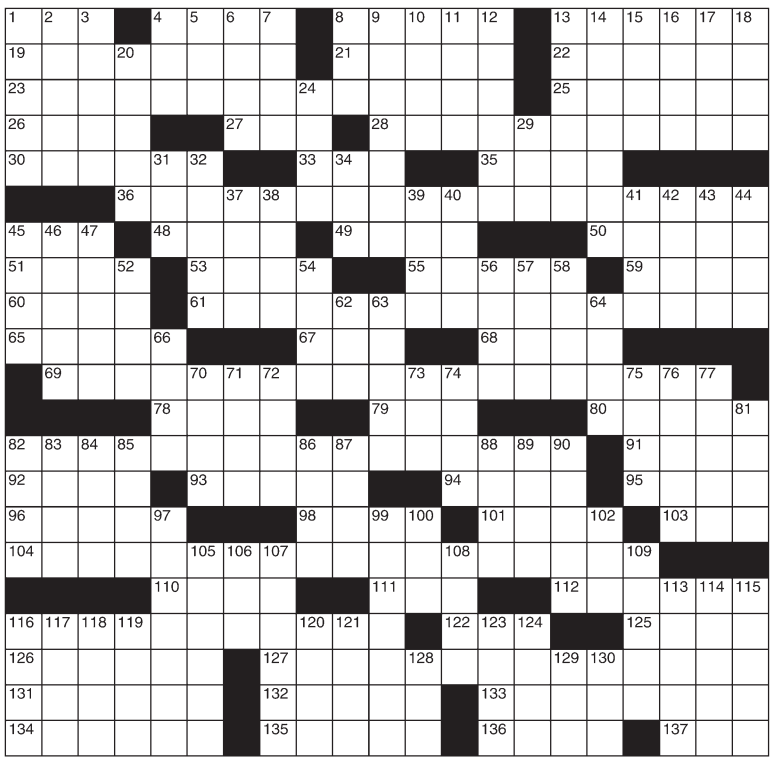
YAQ OYRC, ZAJBA ARE FQBQSYPX UQQS UREPX ADFY, ZRO MLDSE JS YAQ ZLLEO ARSCJSC LS MLF EQQF PJMQ.

answer
The stag, which had recently been badly hurt, was found in the woods hanging on for deer life.

SUPER CROSSWORD: OH, YOU!

ACROSS
1 Roman 102
4 Took off on
8 Overflowing (in)
13 Comes into being
19 Pal from way back
21 TV sergeant played by Phil Silvers
22 Put a new front on
23 What a table had when Sitting Bull was sitting at it?
25 1994 sci-fi action film
26 Tailless cat
27 Secretive govt. group
28 Small city's package deliverer?
30 Eight-armed mollusks
33 London lav
35 Muslim chief
36 Marshy inlet near Boston?
45 Atty.'s org.
48 Bang, as a big toe
49 Supper crumbs
50 Long oar
51 Actor Max
53 Spanish cheers
55 Carne — (Mexican steak dish)
59 Vicinity
60 Vigor, in music
61 Coup d'état?
65 As dry as —
67 Prefix with tourism
68 1998 Australian Open winner Korda
69 Fast at installing canoe stabilizers?
78 Award in the ad business
79 P.O. item
80 Directive
82 Unfeeling person's fake-out?
91 Mid-voyage
92 — -deucy (card game)
93 Streep of film
94 Plum cousin
95 Class fixture
96 Ringo on drums
98 With 103-Across, frozen dessert brand
101 Cop in a drug bust
103 See 98-Across
104 Like an ogre wearing his facial disguise?
110 Graf — (ill-fated German warship)
111 Notch shape
112 Inner layer
116 "My poetry is terrible compared to Maya's"?
122 Hearing thing
125 Dog in "Garfield"
126 Setting
127 Messed up during a film shoot?
131 Really stuck
132 "Paradise Lost" figure
133 Mongoose cousins
134 How china is often sold
135 Noodges
136 Alternative to Bloomie's
137 That ship

DOWN
1 Vodka drink, informally
2 Hipbone-related
3 "— buy that!"
4 "La Cage — Folles"
5 Alternative to a Word file
6 Early utopia
7 Colorants
8 — Dhabi
9 Vogue editor Anna
10 Actor — Ray
11 Give a bias
12 Large wasp
13 Stella — (beer)
14 Renovates, for short
15 "— one ..." (start of an opinion)
16 Indian dress
17 "Behold!," to Caesar
18 Foreteller
20 Plump and healthy-looking
24 Soft rock
29 "Still the King" cable channel
31 Faux —
32 Schoolyard rejoinder
34 "Well now!"
37 "Star Trek" helmsman
38 $5 bills, in slang
39 Forest buck
40 Shell rival in Canada
41 Curious as —
42 Cosmonaut Gagarin
43 Muffin topper
44 — Bator
45 "SOS" band
46 7/4 cookout
47 The vowels
52 Rice-A- —
54 "Let it stand"
56 Datebook entry: Abbr.
57 Elk cousin
58 Intro drawing class, maybe
62 "— bin ein Berliner"
63 Carols
64 Ship of myth
66 Shoe brand
70 Model Heidi
71 French department
72 Former queen of Jordan
73 Gambling venue, briefly
74 Website IDs
75 Alum
76 Ill-fated Ford
77 Witherspoon of Hollywood
81 Garden tool
82 Wallet filler
83 Play starter
84 Main role
85 Harp cousin
86 NASDAQ cousin
87 "In the Valley of —" (2007 film)
88 Arm bone
89 Beer topper
90 Not tame
97 "Twilight" vampire — Hale
99 Small stream
100 Prop- ending
102 15-season CBS series
105 About to bat, e.g.
106 Division: Abbr.
107 Fortify
108 Feat
109 Bad-mouth
113 Concepts
114 Late inning
115 Swan cousins
116 Skater Kulik
117 Olympus — (volcano on Mars)
118 Big Ten gp.
119 Klutzy sorts
120 Folk wisdom
121 Yves' yeses
123 $$$ sources
124 Emu cousin
128 Raised rails
129 Comic shriek
130 This yr.'s 75-Downs



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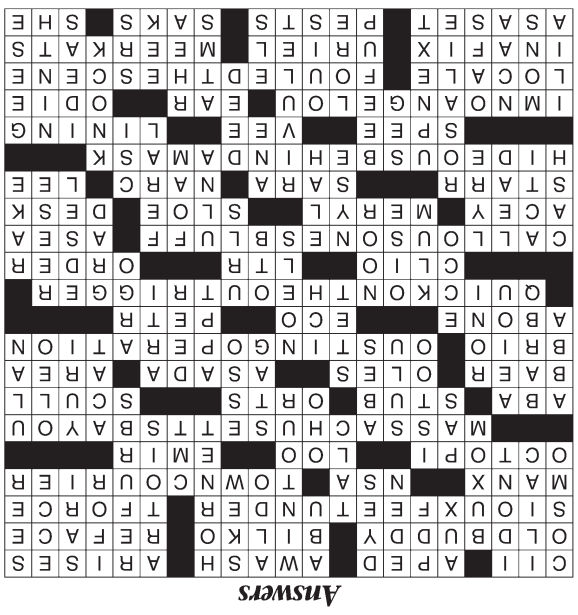

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		8	7			5		
3				2			4	
4				5			9	6
		3			1	2		
	7		8					1
7				1			8	
2		9	4					5
	1				2	9		

DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK ★★★

Weekly SUDOKU
Answer

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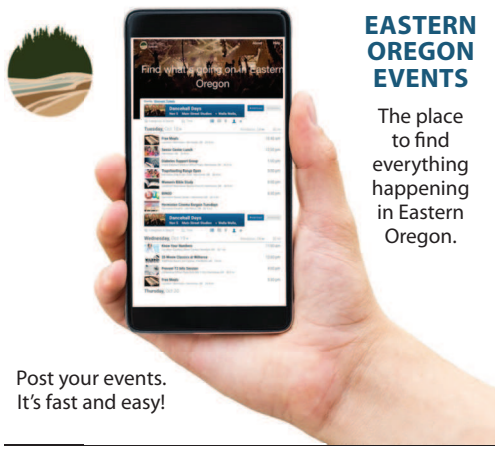

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