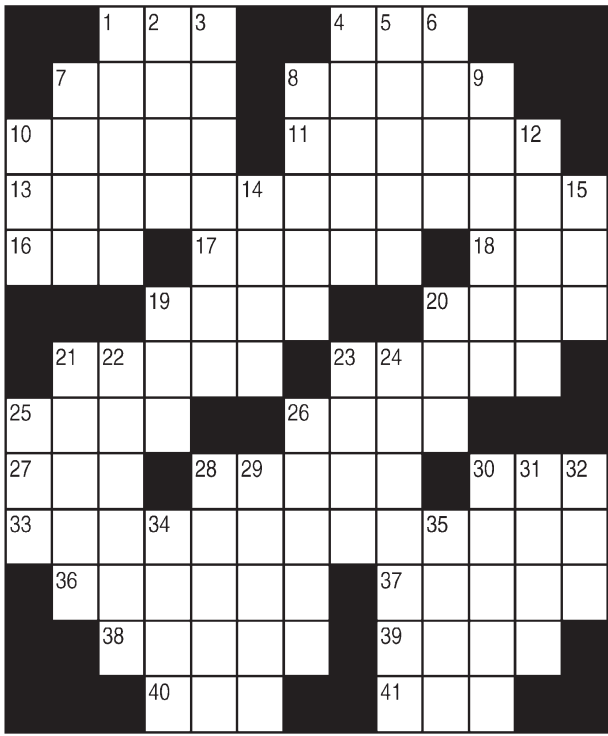


King Crossword

- ACROSS**
- 1 — Na Na
 - 4 Swindle
 - 7 Summery desserts
 - 8 Fusses
 - 10 Sixth president
 - 11 Many
 - 13 Proof of a crime
 - 16 Sprite
 - 17 Unclear
 - 18 Still, in verse
 - 19 Say it isn't so
 - 20 Rhyming tributes
 - 21 Groups of musicians
 - 23 Slanted edge
 - 25 Volcanic outflow
 - 26 One of the Three Bears
 - 27 Sailor's assent
 - 28 Unwilling
 - 30 Fine, to NASA
 - 33 Texas city
 - 36 Bill-payment period
 - 37 Alan of "Little Miss Sunshine"
 - 38 Mystery writer's award
 - 39 Don of radio
 - 40 Sun. speech



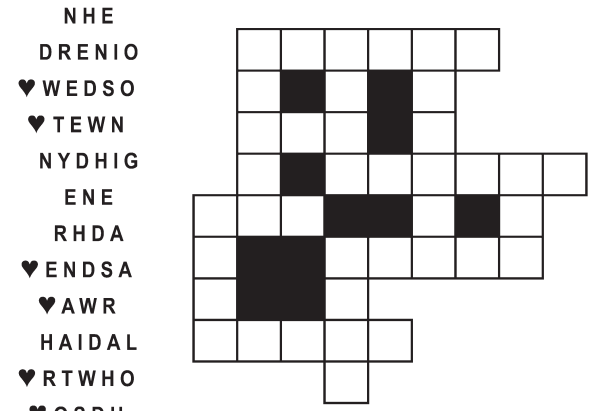
- 41 Rand McNally item
- 10 Expert
- 12 Man of — (Superman comparison)
- 14 Catches some rays
- 15 — and outs
- 19 "CSI" evidence
- 20 Eggs
- 21 Louisiana marsh
- 22 Unwilling
- 23 Dog owner's ordeal
- 24 Son of
- Joseph
- 25 Fond du —, Wis.
- 26 Harness horse
- 28 Thrust
- 29 "Argo" award
- 30 Invite to the penthouse
- 31 Elevator name
- 32 Family
- 34 Cushions
- 35 "Joy of Cooking" writer
- Rombauer

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FEAR KNOT

By: rj johnson

DOUBT? ...OR DARE!



Unscramble these twelve letter strings to form each into an ordinary word (ex. HAGNEC becomes CHANGE). Prepare to use only ONE word from any marked (♥) letter string as each unscrambles into more than one word (ex. ♥RATHE becomes HATER or EARTH or HEART). Fit each string's word either across or down to knot all twelve strings together.

Puzzles4Kids

by Helene Hovanec

WORD FUN

Study the two words on each line to find the ONE letter in the left column that is NOT in the word in the right column. Write the extra letter on the blank space. Then read DOWN to answer this riddle:

WHERE DO COWS GO ON VACATION?

LAMEST	___	TALES	CHASED	___	SHADE
PIANOS	___	SPAIN	SIZING	___	ZINGS
COARSE	___	ACRES	DESERT	___	REEDS
			SANITY	___	SAINT
FREAKY	___	FAKER			
BLOATS	___	BLAST			
REALMS	___	MALES			
RANKLE	___	LEARN			

Just Like Cats & Dogs

by Dave T. Phipps



MAGIC MAZE • ASTRONOMY TERMS

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

- Find the listed words in the diagram. They run in all directions forward, backward, up, down and diagonally
- | | | | |
|------------|------------|----------|--------|
| Black hole | Equinox | Nebula | Waning |
| Blue moon | Galaxy | Phase | Waxing |
| Eclipse | Light-year | Solstice | Zenith |
| Ecliptic | Meteor | Sunspot | |

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Letter Box

by Linda Thistle

Place a letter 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 letters listed above the diagram. When completed, the row indicated will spell out a word or words.

	B	E	F	K	L	O	S	U	Y
		L	Y				E		
	Y				K	O	L		
		B		E				U	
		U	O		S			B	
	F			B				U	
		Y	U	O				F	
→									
	B	U		L	F	S			
	E	S	K			O			

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Even Exchange

by Donna Pettman

Each numbered row contains two clues and two 6-letter answers. The two answers differ from each other by only one letter, which has already been inserted. For example, if you exchange the A from MASTER for an I, you get MISTER. Do not change the order of the letters.

- | | | | | | | | | | | |
|------------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| 1. Pancake alternative | W | ___ | ___ | ___ | ___ | Sweepstakes | R | ___ | ___ | ___ |
| 2. Musical pace | ___ | ___ | O | ___ | ___ | Lure | ___ | ___ | T | ___ |
| 3. New York island | ___ | L | ___ | ___ | ___ | King of rock 'n' roll | ___ | V | ___ | ___ |
| 4. More courageous | ___ | L | ___ | ___ | ___ | Boundary | ___ | R | ___ | ___ |
| 5. Santiago's country | ___ | ___ | E | ___ | ___ | Youngster | ___ | ___ | D | ___ |
| 6. Tall | ___ | O | ___ | ___ | ___ | Southpaw | ___ | E | ___ | ___ |
| 7. Four quarters | D | ___ | ___ | ___ | ___ | Dog's band | C | ___ | ___ | ___ |
| 8. Snowy color | ___ | H | ___ | ___ | ___ | Use a pen | ___ | R | ___ | ___ |
| 9. Corn | ___ | ___ | Z | ___ | ___ | Lobster state | ___ | ___ | N | ___ |
| 10. Mom or Dad | ___ | ___ | ___ | R | ___ | Copyright | ___ | ___ | T | ___ |

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Salome's Stars

ARIES (March 21 to April 19) Making things more complicated than they need to be can be a problem for the typically orderly Lamb. Try to look for a less intricate way to accomplish the same goals.

TAURUS (April 20 to May 20) Avoiding personal involvement in a troubling situation might be advisable at this time, especially since you probably don't have all the facts. The weekend brings a surprise.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 20) A problem with a colleague you thought had been resolved could recur. However, this time you'll be able to rely on your record to get a quick resolution in your favor. Good luck.

CANCER (June 21 to July 22) Giving your self-esteem a boost could be a good idea for the Moon Child, who might feel a bit daunted by the week's occurrences. Just focus on all your positive accomplishments.

LEO (July 23 to August 22) The "mane" attraction for the Lovable Lion this week is — what else? — love. New relationships move to new levels, while long-standing partnerships are strengthened.

VIRGO (August 23 to September 22) A recent workplace problem will prove to be one of miscommunication, and once the matter is settled, you should have a better chance of getting your proposals approved.

LIBRA (September 23 to October 22) Good news! After dealing pretty much in the dark with a matter that seemed to be taking forever to resolve, you should soon be seeing the light at the end of the tunnel.

SCORPIO (October 23 to November 21) A positive message should help lift that energy-draining sense of anxiety, and you should soon be able to deal with even the peskiest matter, whether at work or personal.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to December 21) Try to control that heated Sagittarian temperament while dealing with what you believe to be an unfair matter. A cool approach is the best way to handle things.

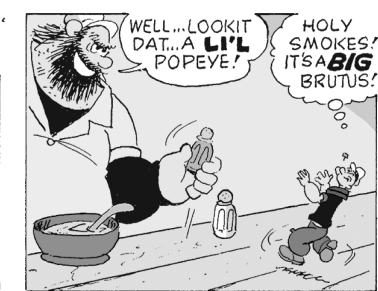
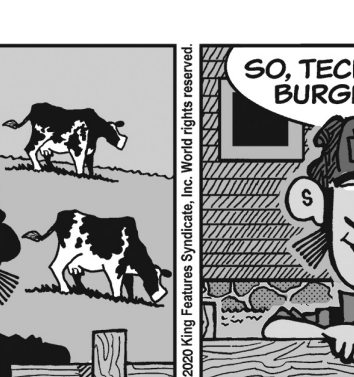
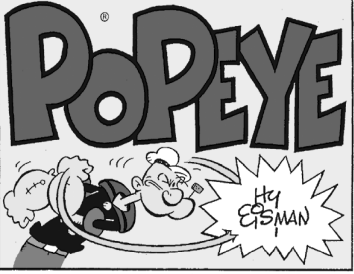
CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 19) Nursing hurt feelings could keep you from learning what went wrong. Ask your partner, a family member or a trusted friend to help you reassess your actions in the matter.

AQUARIUS (January 20 to February 18) Nature is dominant this week. Try to spend time outdoors with someone special. An act of kindness in the past might be recalled by a person you believed was out of your life.

PISCES (February 19 to March 20) An upcoming career decision could be based on how well you might be able to apply your artistic talents. Be sure to use the finest samples of your work to make a strong impression.

BORN THIS WEEK: Doing good things for others comes easily to you. You are considered a good friend, even by those you might hardly know.

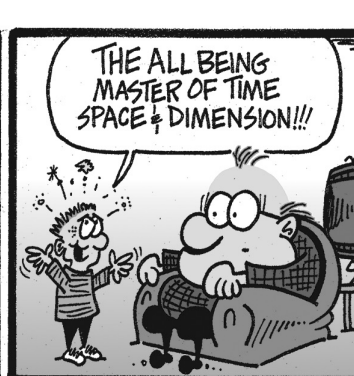
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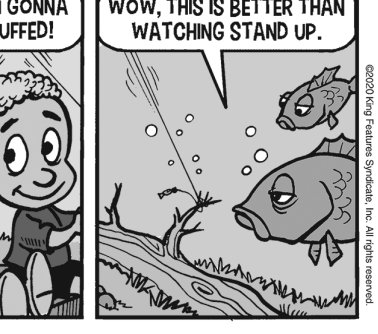
Amber Waves



R.F.D.



by Mike Marland



Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

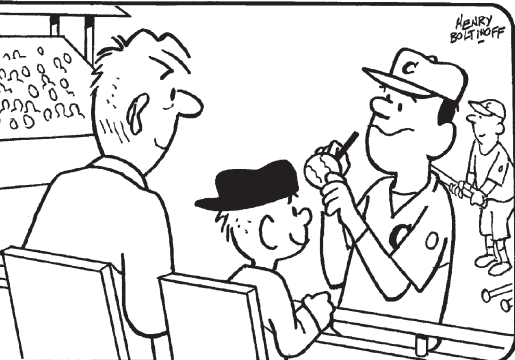
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3			2	5	1		
	1	7					6
		9	4				8

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!

HOCUS-FOCUS

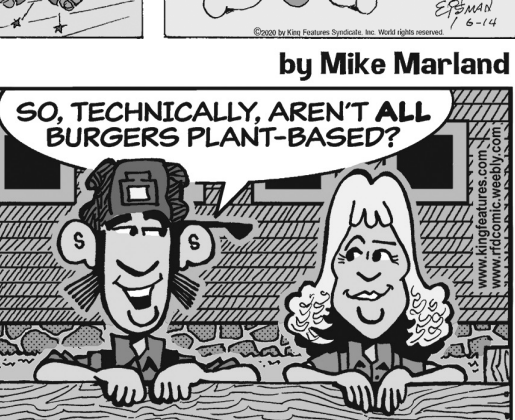
BY HENRY BOLTINOFF



Find at least six differences in details between panels.



Differences: 1. Bat is missing. 2. Railing is different. 3. Player's pants are longer. 4. Crowd is larger. 5. Ball stitching is different. 6. Neckline is changed.



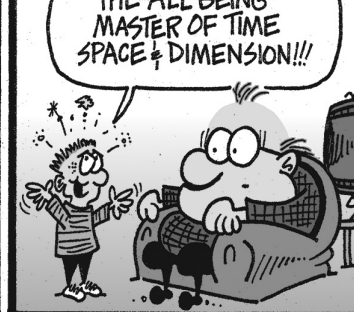
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The Spats



by Jeff Pickering



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