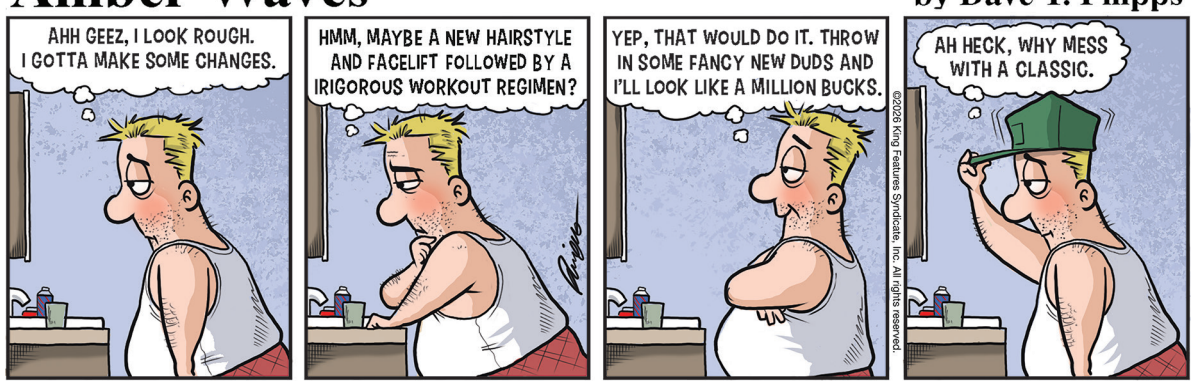
Amber Waves

by Dave T. Phipps



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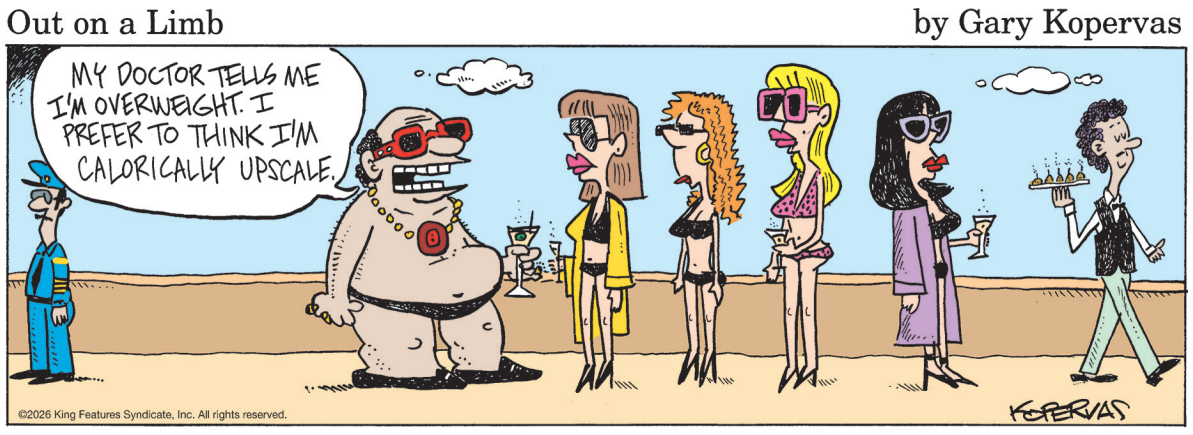

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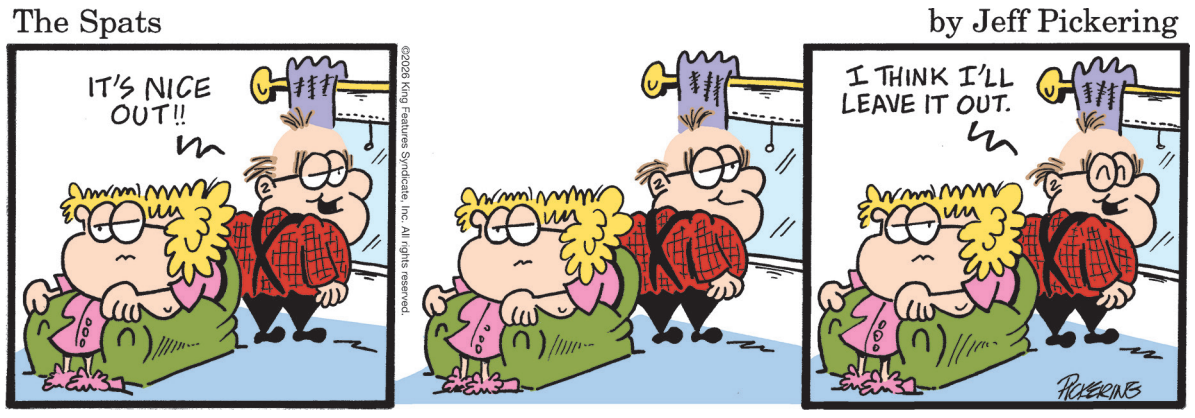

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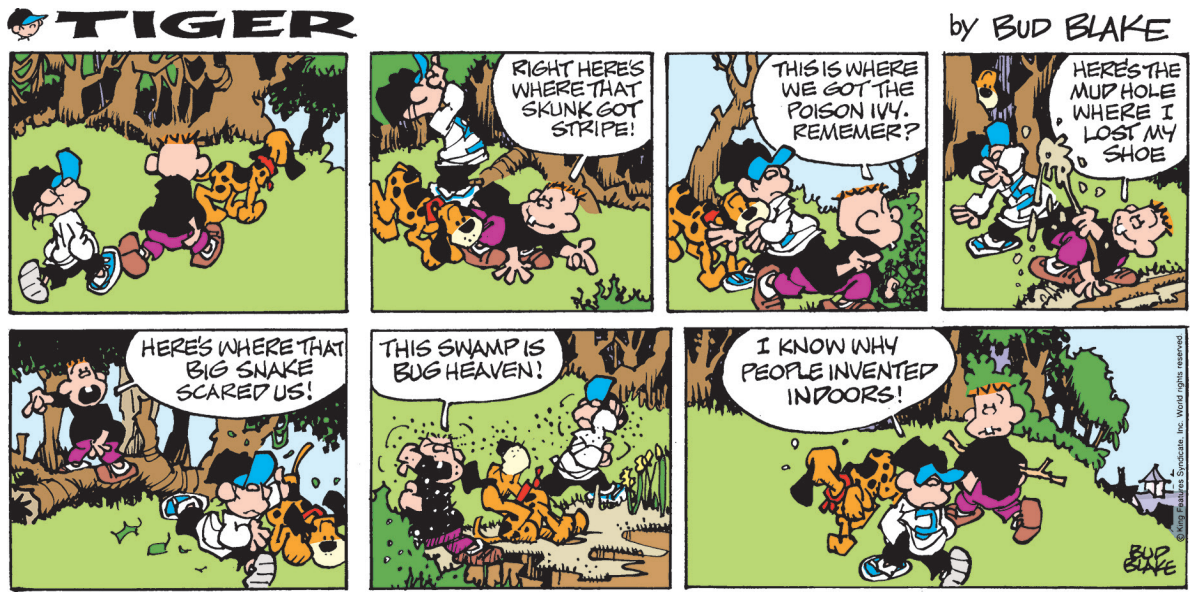

OLIVE & POPEYE

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HOCUS-FOCUS

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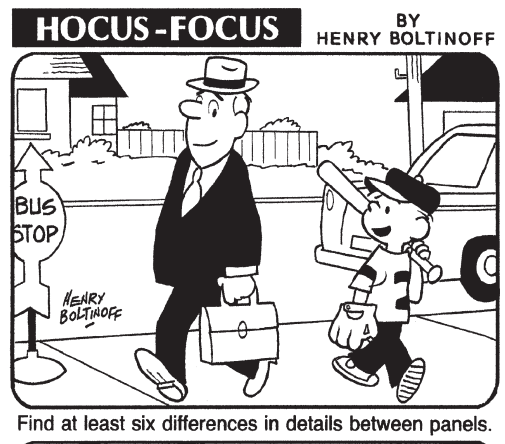
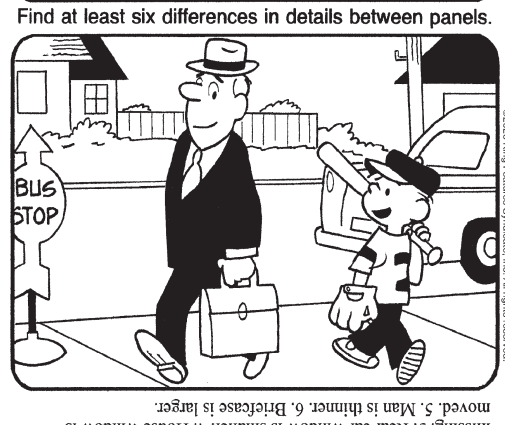


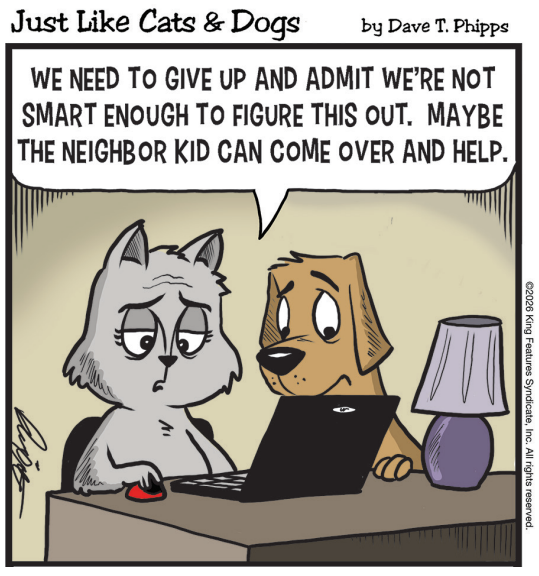
Find at least six differences in details between panels.



Differences: 1. Line in sidewalk is moved. 2. Windowsill is missing. 3. Rear car window is smaller. 4. House window is moved. 5. Man is thinner. 6. Briefcase is larger.

Just Like Cats & Dogs

by Dave T. Phipps



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: **G** equals **R**

VL NZPGP QPGP S OVBRY GPEVHVBRY HGBRO LBRXCPC AD BXP BL NZP APSNEPY, QBREC NZPD AP EPXXBXVNPY?

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SCRAMBLERS

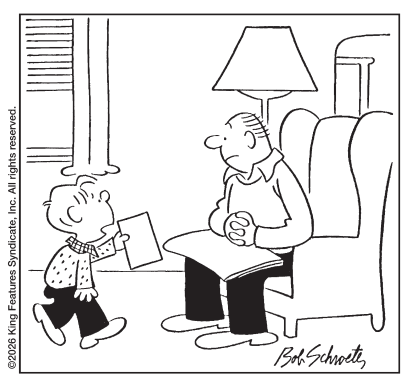
Unscramble the letters within each rectangle to form four ordinary words. Then rearrange the boxed letters to form the mystery word, which will complete the gag!

Avoid **EGHED** ____ ____ ____ ____ ____

Quench **EATS** ____ ____ ____ ____

Lovely **SCINCE** ____ ____ ____ ____ ____

Follow **ALIRT** ____ ____ ____ ____ ____

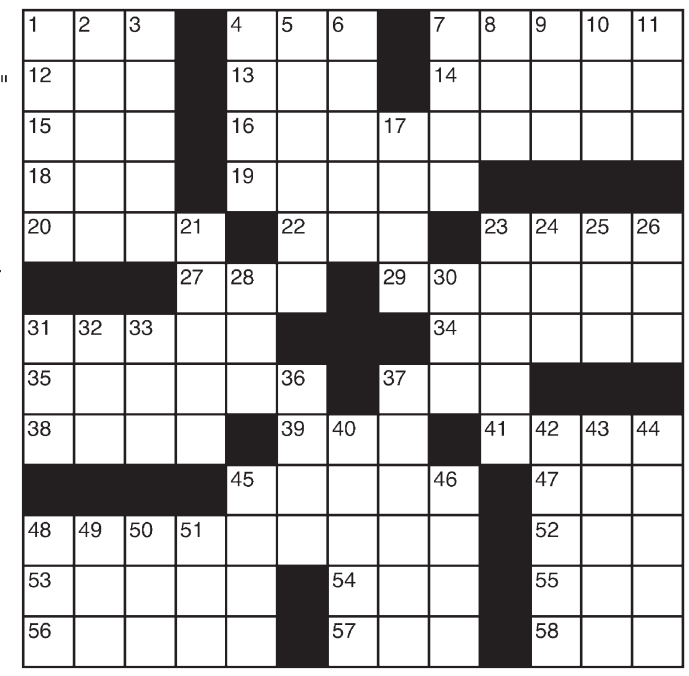


"Bad news, Dad — my grades are pretty awful, but at least that shows that I'm not _____."

TODAY'S WORD

_____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____

King Crossword



ACROSS

1 URL ending
4 "Now I get it!"
7 Shimmering fabrics
12 Texter's "I think"
13 Young bloke
14 Mover's rental
15 H.S. proficiency test
16 Held in trust
18 Census stat
19 Wonderland visitor
20 Hindu deity
22 Moray, for one
23 Ski lift type
27 TV screen choice
29 Beekeeper's place
31 Blood line?
34 Sweetie
35 Monastery
37 Play part
38 Romanov ruler
39 College URL ender
41 Appear
45 Chopin piece
47 Roman 56
48 Branch of government
52 Puzzle
53 "— Called Wanda"
54 Actress Ruby
55 Before
56 Give up amateur status
57 Pink Floyd's Barrett
58 Rds.

DOWN

1 Humidor item
2 Alpha's opposite
3 Cable company device
4 — Romeo
5 Saluted
6 "Paper Moon" tyke
7 "Time" co-founder
8 Sushi fish
9 Goat's plaint
10 Where Lux. is
11 Devious
17 Bruins' sch.
21 Wedding setting
23 Leans
24 Sheepish "Hello!"
25 Branch
26 Bagel variety
28 One for the road?
30 Cpl.'s subordinate
31 Sternward
32 Hosp. areas
33 Estuary
36 Bigfoot's kin
37 Hollywood's Hepburn
40 Couples
42 Santa's crew
43 Tennis great Chris
44 Blends
45 Repeat
46 Sized up
48 Binge
49 "Avatar" craft
50 Chips go-with
51 Leb. neighbor

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Weekly SUDOKU

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

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!

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Trivia test

by Fifi Rodriguez

1. GEOGRAPHY: How many countries border Argentina?
2. GAMES: What is a perfect score in a bowling game?
3. TELEVISION: In the animated series "Family Guy," what kind of creature is often fighting with Peter?
4. COMICS: What is the name of Batman's butler?
5. FOOD & DRINK: What ingredient gives the Greek liquor ouzo its distinctive taste?
6. LITERATURE: What are the names of Nancy Drew's best friends in the detective novel series?
7. MOVIES: What brand-name underwear does Marty McFly have in the movie "Back to the Future"?
8. SCIENCE: What is the Prime Meridian?
9. U.S. STATES: Which state is home to the Carlsbad Caverns National Park?
10. ASTRONOMY: What is the largest moon of Saturn?

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FiveSpot™

Decisions, decisions

C	O	U	L	D	Is able
					Relating to a certain noble
					Added something unexpected
					Figure skate component
					Move slowly
					Wishy-washy commitment

Solve each row by replacing one letter from the answer above or below and scrambling to make a new word. When complete, the top and bottom words will have no letters in common.

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Answers

Trivia Answers
1. Five: Chile, Bolivia, Paraguay, Uruguay and Brazil
2. 300.
3. Ernie, the giant chicken.
4. Alfred Pennyworth.
5. Anise.
6. Bess and George.
7. Calvin Klein.
8. An imaginary line at 0-degree longitude.
9. New Mexico.
10. Titan.

— King Crossword — Answers

Solution time: 26 mins.

C	O	M		A	H	A		L	A	M	E	S
I	M	O		L	A	D		U	H	A	U	L
G	E	D		F	I	D	U	C	I	A	R	Y
A	G	E		A	L	I	C	E				
R	A	M	A		E	E	L		T	B	A	R
				L	C	D		A	P	I	A	R	Y
A	O	R	T	A				F	L	A	M	E
F	R	I	A	R	Y		A	C	T			
T	S	A	R		E	D	U		S	E	E	M
					E	T	U	D	E		L	V	I
J	U	D	I	C	I	A	R	Y		V	E	X
A	F	I	S	H		D	E	E		E	R	E
G	O	P	R	O		S	Y	D		S	T	S

Weekly SUDOKU Answer

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

FiveSpot™ Solution

C	O	U	L	D
D	U	C	A	L
L	A	C	E	D
B	L	A	D	E
A	M	B	L	E
M	A	Y	B	E

CryptoQuip answer

If there were a pious religious group founded by one of the Beatles, would they be Lennonites?

SCRAMBLERS Answer

1. Hedge; 2. Sate
3. Scenic; 4. Trail

Today's Word

CHEATING