

COMICS AND FEATURES

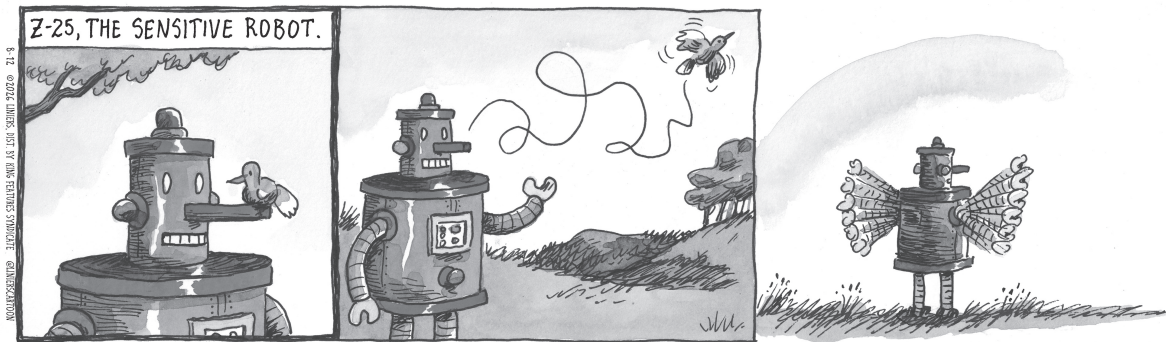
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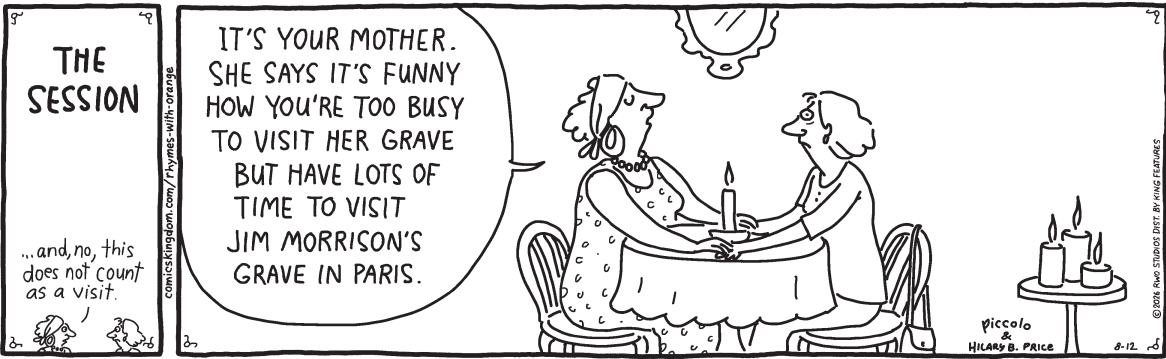
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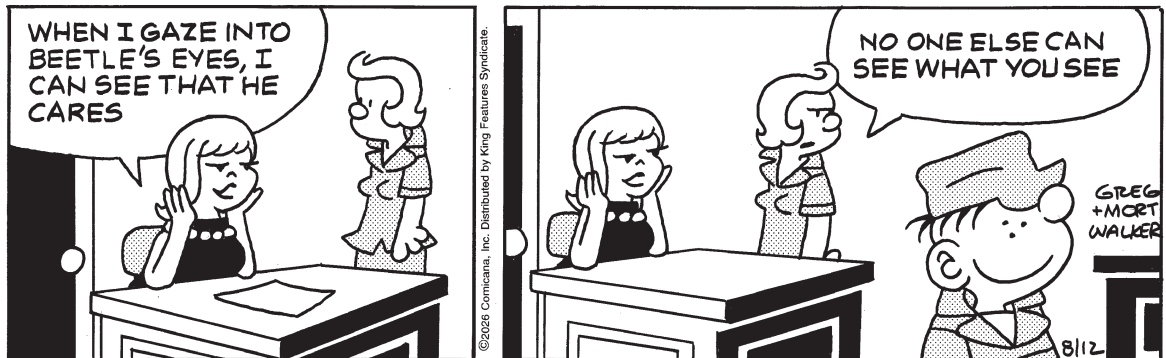
RHYMES WITH ORANGE



BLONDIE



BEETLE BAILEY



CRANKSHAFT



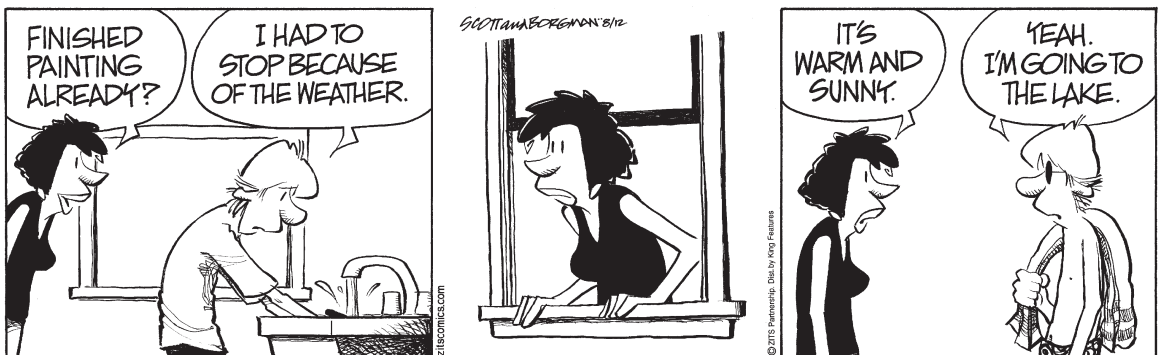
MUTTS



BABY BLUES



ZITS



CROSSWORD

By THOMAS JOSEPH

- ACROSS
- 1 Tag info
 - 5 Make a retraction
 - 11 Musical work
 - 12 Lined up
 - 13 Mardi Gras wear
 - 14 Hitchcock film
 - 15 Mont Blanc, for one
 - 16 Olympian leader
 - 17 Silly
 - 19 Eggy drink
 - 22 News summary
 - 24 Rude push
 - 26 Bickering
 - 27 News article
 - 28 Got up
 - 30 Some golf clubs
 - 31 Groan inducer
 - 32 Title holder
 - 34 Enjoy the tub
 - 35 Marital promise
 - 38 Hitchcock film
 - 41 Diner order
 - 42 Win back
 - 43 Fourth-down play
 - 44 Orbital point
 - 45 Inquires

- DOWN
- 1 Deep sleep
 - 2 Milky gem
 - 3 Hitchcock film
 - 4 Reproachful sound
 - 5 Turn red, maybe
 - 6 Follows
 - 7 Coral isles
 - 8 Compass trace
 - 9 Japanese drama
 - 10 First prime number
 - 16 Micro-wave, in slang
 - 18 Brussels-based org.

B	R	O	S		S	T	R	O	P
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Yesterday's answer

- 19 Hitchcock film
- 20 Kitchen sight
- 21 Setting items
- 22 Rough voice
- 23 Words from Caesar
- 25 Take on
- 29 Lulu
- 30 Tattoos, slangily
- 33 "The Duke"
- 34 Small setback
- 36 Easy two-pointer
- 37 Chooses
- 38 Monk's title
- 39 Gym unit
- 40 Sense of self
- 41 Hotel feature

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
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AXYDLBAAXR
is LONGFELLOW

One letter stands for another. In this sample, A is used for the three L's, X for the two O's, etc. Single letters, apostrophes, the length and formation of the words are all hints. Each day the code letters are different.

8-12 CRYPTOQUOTE

WFC XSQCXESCK ZHCQ WFC

TCURZN SJ YBEKCK GZTC

UJR MZ. — LUTCK QBKKCEE

EZNCEE
Yesterday's Cryptoquote: WHEN YOU'RE FOCUSED ON YOUR ENEMY, THEN YOU ARE IGNORING YOUR ALLIES. — STACEY ABRAMS

SUDOKU

Sudoku is a number-placing puzzle based on a 9x9 grid with several given numbers. The object is to place the numbers 1 to 9 in the empty squares so that each row, each column and each 3x3 box contains the same number only once. The difficulty level of the Conceptis Sudoku increases from Monday to Sunday.

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

Difficulty: ★★★

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SOLUTION:

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