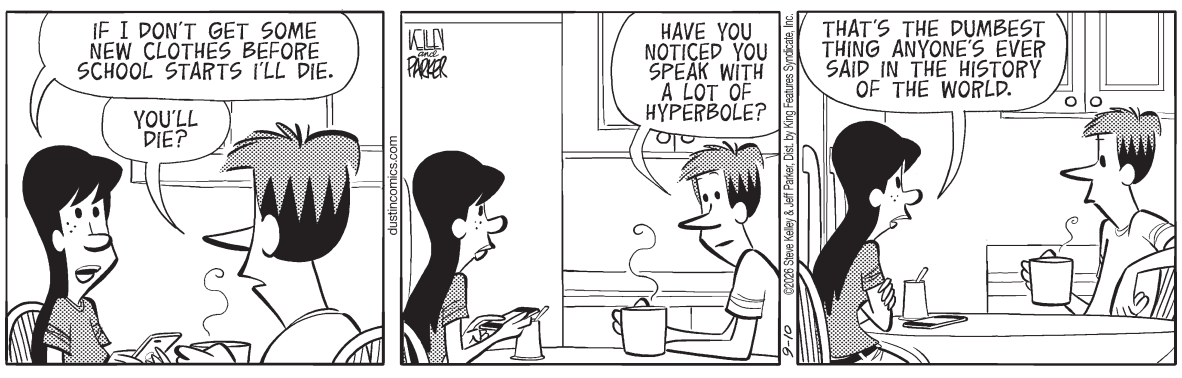
COMICS AND FEATURES

GARFIELD

DUSTIN



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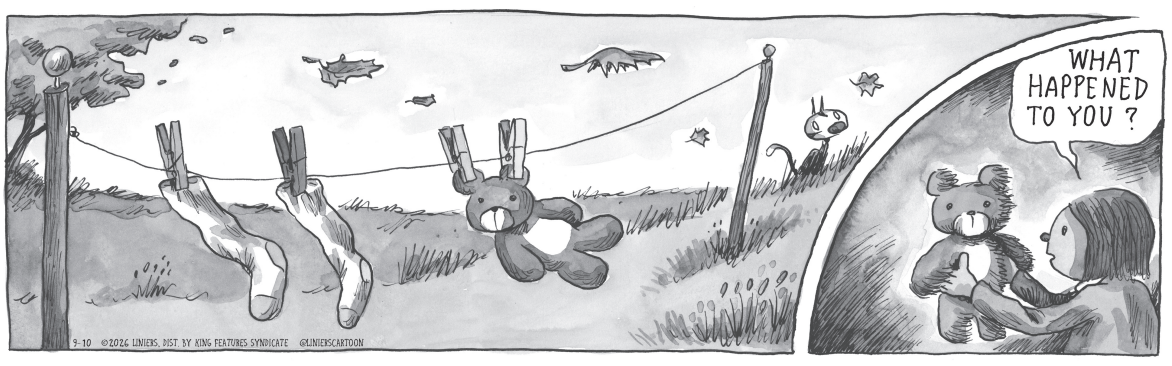

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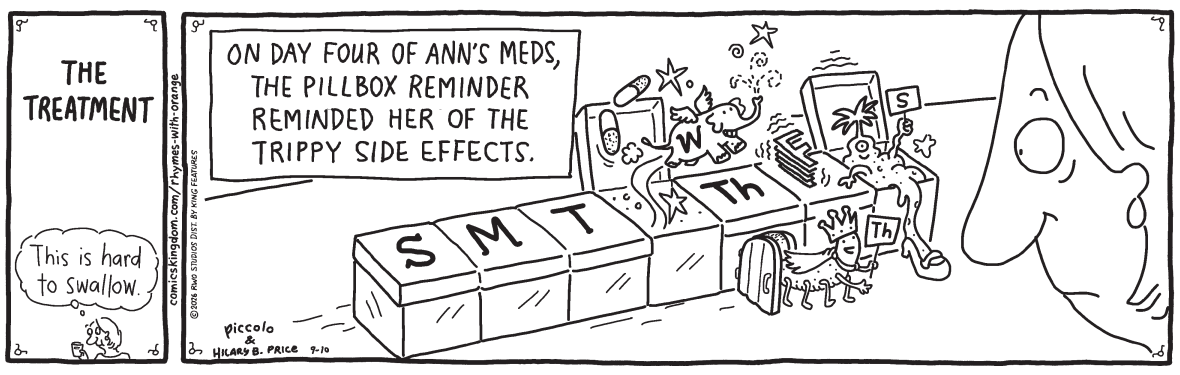

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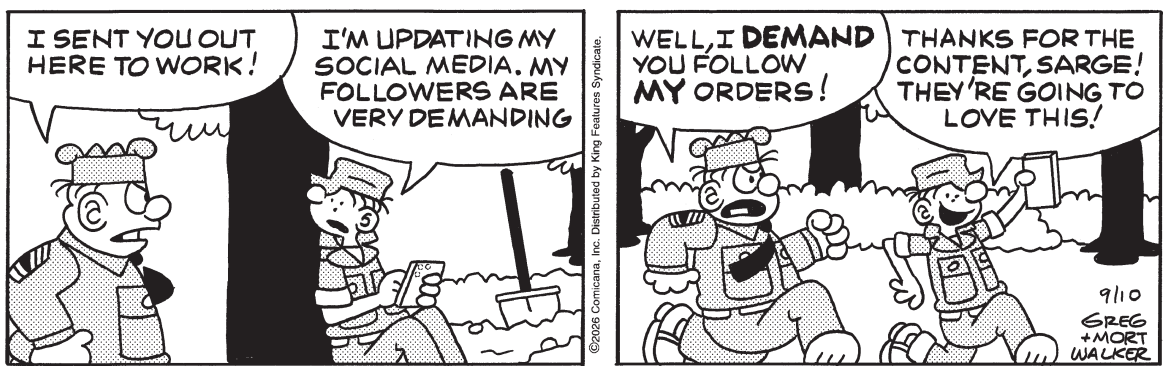

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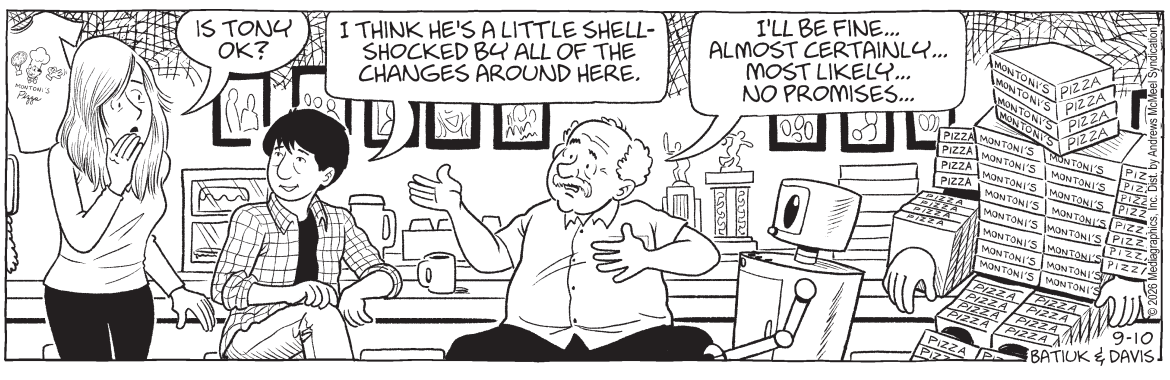

MUTTS

BABY BLUES

ZITS

CROSSWORD

By THOMAS JOSEPH

ACROSS

1 Long swim trunks
5 Musical mixture
11 Bunches
12 Dahl of films
13 Calendar reading
14 Use for support
15 Awfulness
17 Old auto
18 Finish, as a skirt
22 Western resort lake
24 Sports site
25 Start of a count
26 Pewter component
27 Professor at Hogwarts
30 Sings like Ella
32 Dressed in
33 Building wing
34 Syrians' neighbors
38 Chase
41 Carnival attraction
42 On the beach
43 Clickable picture
44 Day-dreamed
45 Play group

DOWN

1 Green stone
2 Country star Jackson
3 "Ace of Spades" band
4 Platter player
5 Niger neighbor
6 Singer Franklin
7 "Eyes of the Insane" band
8 Brood watcher
9 One, for Juan
10 Signing need
16 "The Simpsons" bartender
19 "Enter Sandman" band
20 Foot or fathom
21 Scathing reviews
22 Reggae's Peter
23 Visitor to Siam
28 "Every Rose Has Its Thorn" band
29 Guarantee
30 Sailing site
31 Man of the cloth
35 Clarinet part
36 Altar vows
37 Dispatched
38 Grier of "Jackie Brown"
39 GI-entertaining grp.
40 Pi follower

W	E	P	T	■	R	A	T	O	U	T
A	C	R	E	■	I	G	U	A	N	A
T	H	I	N	■	T	E	R	R	O	R
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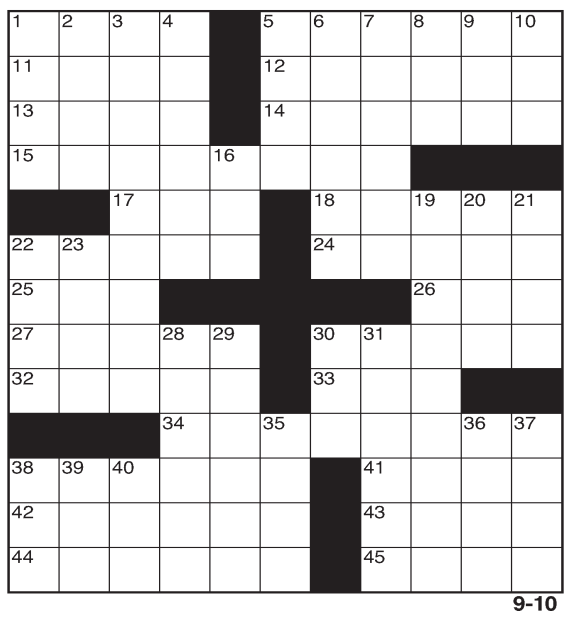
Yesterday's answer



9-10

A X Y D L B A A X R
is L O N G F E L L O W

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.

9-10 CRYPTOQUOTE

T E N G I ' Q L O U S L A G S G G B N G I Q R L S E T X A Y L H T Q Q G Q L C L Q N J O N K T A Y A Y L J L D T R T G X R A Y O A N G I H O B L , A Y O A ' R K Y L Q L W G K L Q R A O Q A R . — R L S L X O M G H L V

Yesterday's Cryptoquote: YOUTH IS NOT A VANISHED THING, BUT SOMETHING THAT DWELLS FOREVER IN THE HEART. — LUCY MAUD MONTGOMERY

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.

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

Difficulty: ★★★ 9/10

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SOLUTION:

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