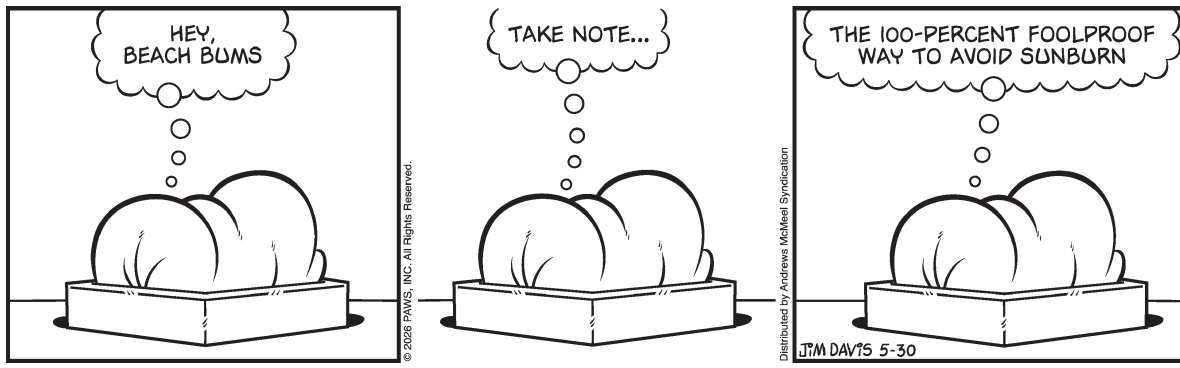


COMICS AND FEATURES

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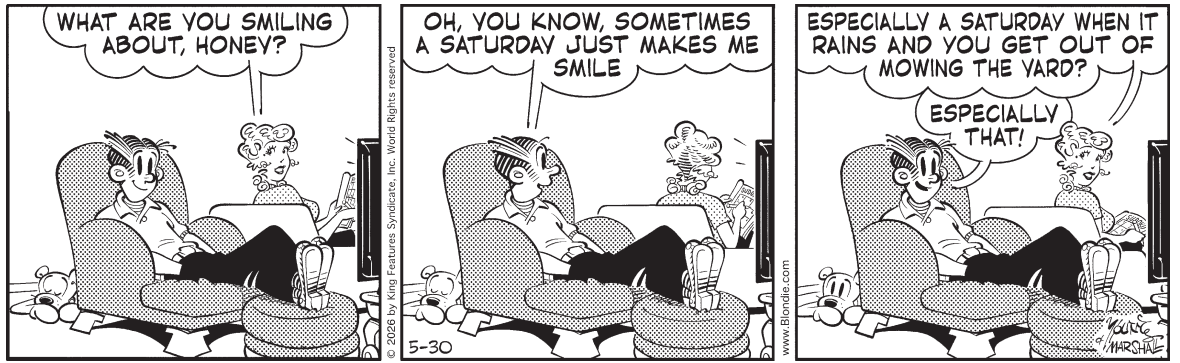
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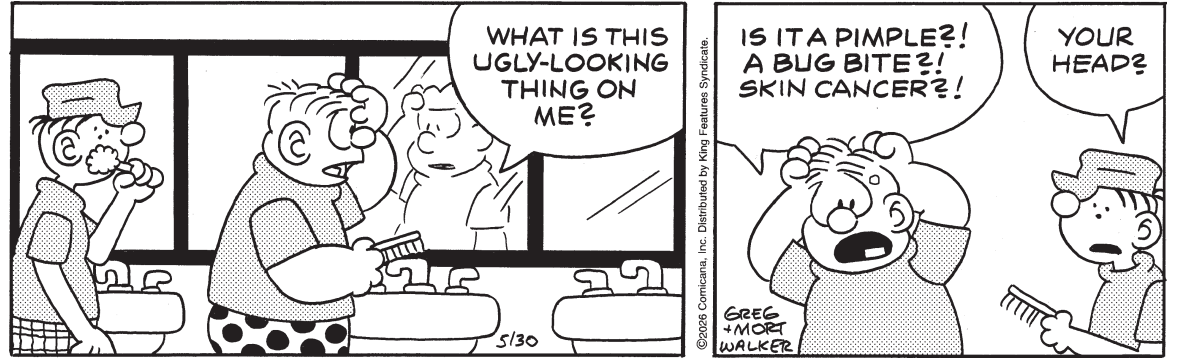
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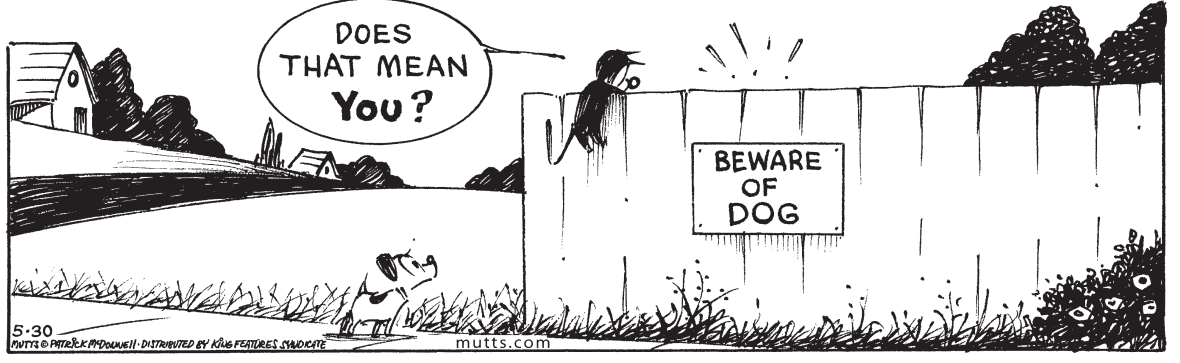
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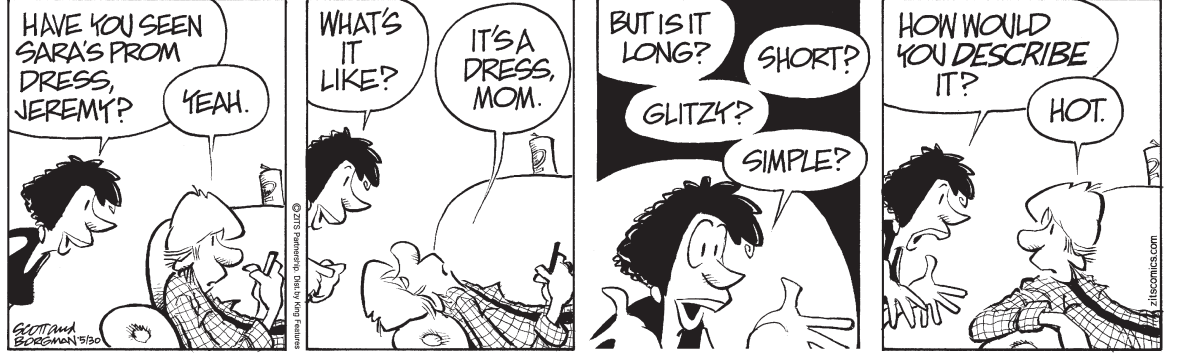
MUTTS



BABY BLUES



ZITS



CROSSWORD

By THOMAS JOSEPH

- ACROSS**
- 1 Earth neighbor
 - 5 Wide tie
 - 10 Inklings
 - 12 Exact copy
 - 13 Tally mark
 - 14 Shaping aids
 - 15 Early hour
 - 16 Poem of praise
 - 18 Rent out
 - 19 Off-color
 - 21 Off-color
 - 22 Hike setting
 - 24 Not live
 - 25 Boarder's spot
 - 29 Desert fruit
 - 30 City map feature
 - 32 Cochlea setting
 - 33 School org.
 - 34 — culpa
 - 35 Trap
 - 37 Belt holders
 - 39 Duo quadrupled
 - 40 Gold unit
 - 41 Canary chow
 - 42 Evaluate
- DOWN**
- 1 Trivial
 - 2 Hand-some
 - 3 Makeup exam
 - 4 Bodily pouch
 - 5 Peak
 - 6 — -mo
 - 7 Shirt part
 - 8 Next up
 - 9 Irritable
 - 11 Give an earful to
 - 17 Least superficial
 - 20 Persian Gulf nation
 - 21 Weather aid
 - 23 Locker room speech
 - 25 Spooky gathering
 - 26 Dojo doings
 - 27 Shark-riding fish
 - 28 Persist with
 - 29 Cuban cash
 - 31 Refinement
 - 33 Some adoptees
 - 36 Spectrum end
 - 38 Crew need

D	I	M	E	S	P	U	M	P	S
I	N	A	W	E	O	H	A	R	E
A	D	D	E	D	R	O	D	I	N
L	I	E	A	N	T	H	E	M	S
E	R	A	N	A	M	A	P	E	
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		E	T	A	N	E	O		
	S	C	E	N	T	E	N	D	S
C	I	O	T	O	M	K	I	T	
H	E	R	M	A	N	O	E	V	E
A	R	D	O	R	L	A	Y	E	R
P	R	O	V	E	A	D	O	R	N
S	A	F	E	S	R	A	F	T	S

Yesterday's answer

- 21 Weather aid
- 23 Locker room speech
- 25 Spooky gathering
- 26 Dojo doings
- 27 Shark-riding fish
- 28 Persist with
- 29 Cuban cash
- 31 Refinement
- 33 Some adoptees
- 36 Spectrum end
- 38 Crew need

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10				11				12
13								14
15				16	17			18
19			20				21	
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25	26						27	28
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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.

5-30 CRYPTOQUOTE

ASGF SR ASBF DT SWF WQFDP

WVTF; ZVK YDEF MV ASWB SM

VTF CDZ DM D MSPF.

— WYDQAFR P. RWYKAL

Yesterday's Cryptoquote: WHAT A LUXURY, TO DO SOMETHING YOU LOVE TO DO.

— AMY TAN

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 Concepts Sudoku increases from Monday to Sunday.

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

Difficulty: ★★★ 5/30

SOLUTION:

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

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