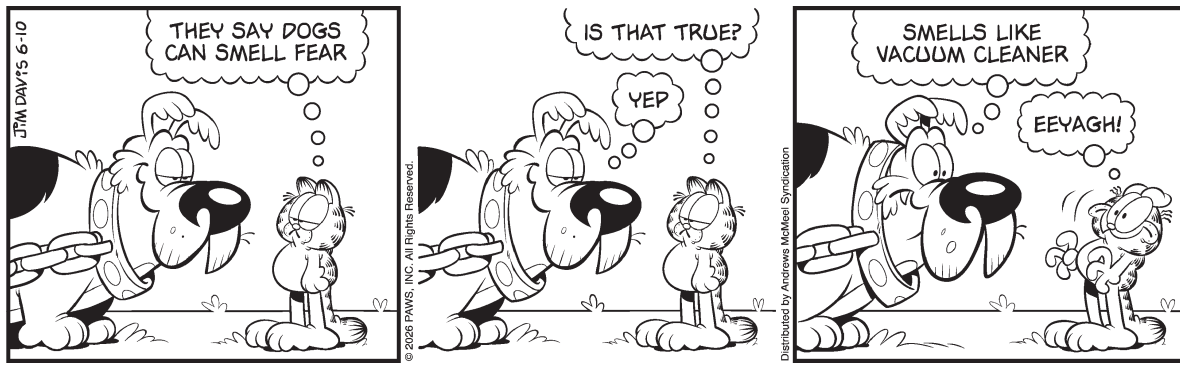
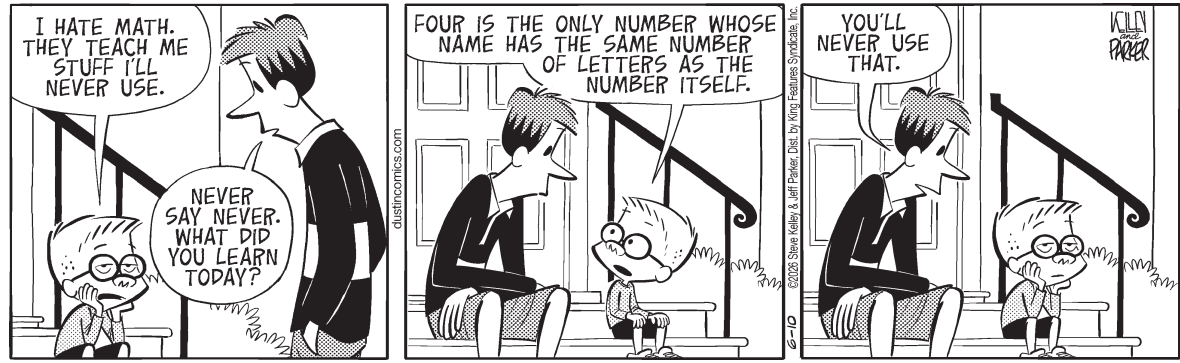


COMICS AND FEATURES

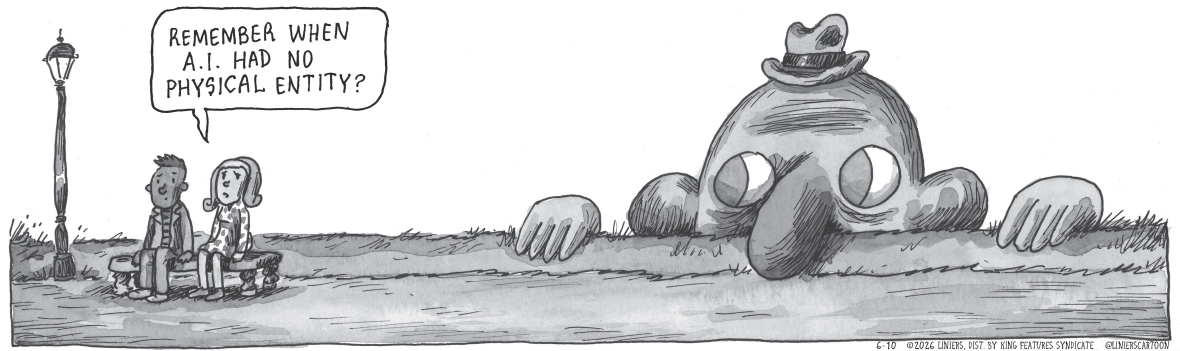
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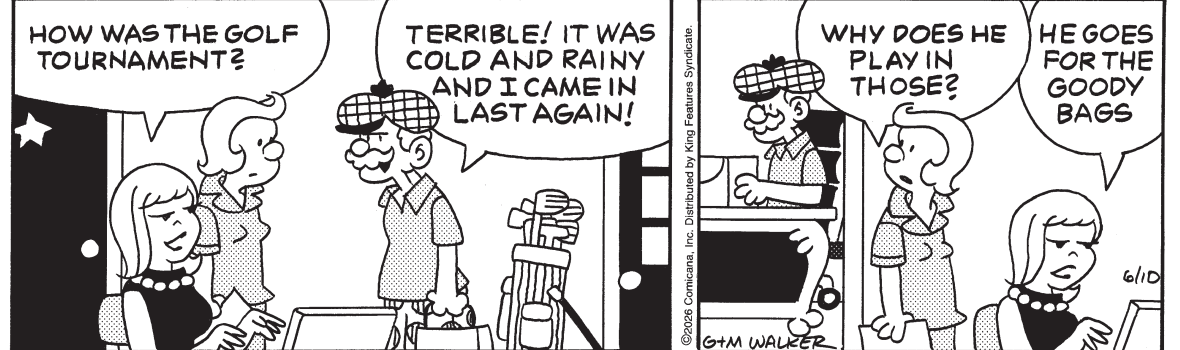
RHYMES WITH ORANGE



BLONDIE



BEETLE BAILEY



CRANKSHAFT



MUTTS



BABY BLUES



ZITS



CROSSWORD

By THOMAS JOSEPH

- ACROSS**
- 1 Man, in Marseille
 - 6 Clumsy ones
 - 10 Bird-related
 - 11 Have a spat
 - 12 Kicks back
 - 13 Tenant's form
 - 14 Newspaper section
 - 15 Reddish gemstone
 - 16 Wily
 - 17 Pouchlike part
 - 18 Snaky shape
 - 19 Blue gemstone
 - 22 Himalayan beast
 - 23 "Wonderful Life"
 - 26 Violet gemstone
 - 29 Memorable time
 - 32 Spring month
 - 33 Regret
 - 34 Red gemstone
 - 36 Helsinki native
 - 37 Strictness
 - 38 Arbitrary stranger, in slang
- DOWN**
- 39 Atlanta university
 - 40 Lawn tool
 - 41 Comedy's Fey
 - 42 Jury makeup
 - 1 Pester
 - 2 Veneer
 - 3 Hit the wrong keys
 - 4 Dojo flooring
 - 5 USN rank
 - 6 Refinery rocks
 - 7 Visibly shocked
 - 8 Joins together
 - 9 Clairvoyants
 - 11 Eagerness
 - 15 — alai
 - 17 Like opals
 - 20 School org.
 - 21 Cardinal number ending
 - 24 Needle
 - 25 Split
 - 27 Chow down
 - 28 Some singers
 - 29 Snowy bird
 - 30 "The Evil Dead" director
 - 31 Inert gas
 - 35 Nick Charles's wife
 - 36 Grow paler
 - 38 Gym unit

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

Yesterday's answer

1	2	3	4	5		6	7	8	9
10						11			
12						13			
14					15				
16				17			18		
19		20				21			
22						23		24	25
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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.

CRYPTOQUOTE

P C V M ' R U K M R K M

Z M J E J M R H Z N K M C W K H J N P H J ;

P Y F J H J F K M K C E J M R Z F V Z W

VMJ. — PWKDJN KNNJMCJ

Yesterday's Cryptoquote: I JUST MAKE IT MY BUSINESS TO GET ALONG WITH PEOPLE SO I CAN HAVE FUN. IT'S THAT SIMPLE. — BETTY WHITE

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.

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

Difficulty: ★★★

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SOLUTION:

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