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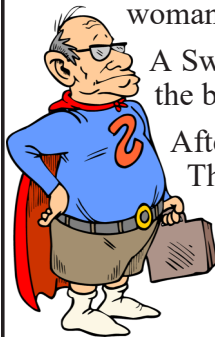
He replied, "Give your dog the other shoe."



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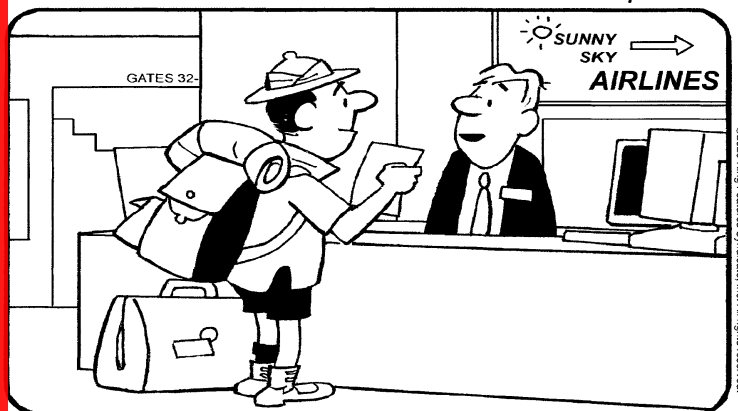


HOCUS - FOCUS

BY HENRY BOLTINOFF



Find at least six differences in details between panels.



Differences: 1. Shorts are shorter. 2. Suitcase is moved. 3. Thumb is moved. 4. Hat is smaller. 5. Flap on backpack is smaller. 6. Sock is missing.

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4. U.S. CITIES: Which major U.S. city sits on top of a working salt mine that has been operating since 1910?
5. LITERATURE: What is the name of the country where "The Hunger Games" takes place?
6. MATH: How many sides does a trapezoid have?
7. ASTRONOMY: How long does it take for light from the Sun to reach Earth?
8. ANIMAL KINGDOM: How many legs does a lobster have?
9. TELEVISION: Which TV drama always begins with a meeting and the warning, "Let's be careful out there"?
10. LANGUAGE: How many letters are in the English alphabet?

- Answers
1. A horse.
 2. Richard Dreyfuss.
 3. Moscow, Russia.
 4. Detroit, Michigan.
 5. Panem.
 6. Four.
 7. 8 minutes, 20 seconds.
 8. 10.
 9. "Hill Street Blues."
 10. 26.

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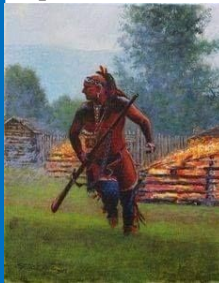


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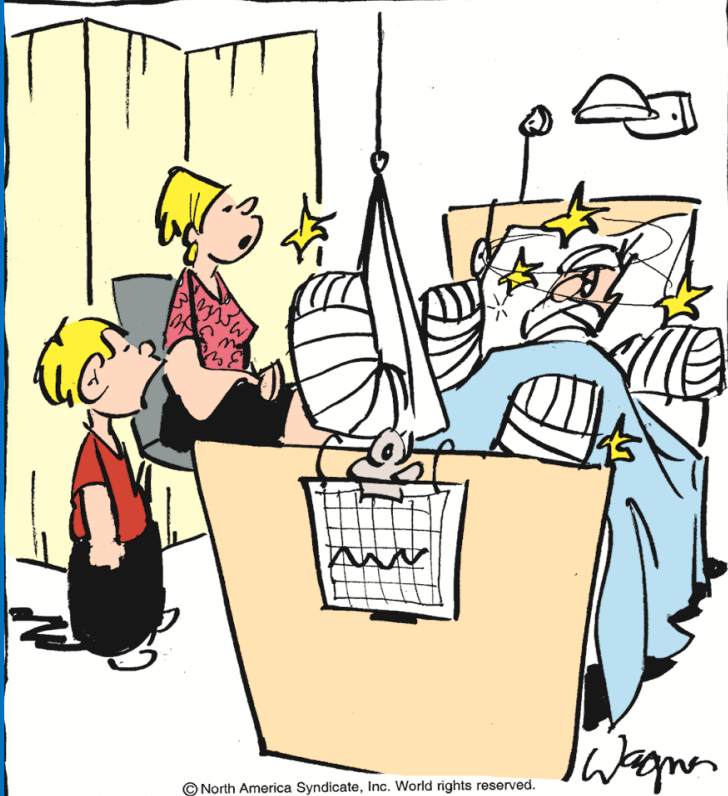
* On Oct. 6, 1927, "The Jazz Singer," a part-talkie film featuring six songs by Al Jolson, debuted in theaters, marking the end of cinema's silent film era even though it only contained about two actual minutes of synchronized dialogue.

* On Oct. 7, 1944, several hundred prisoners in the Nazi death camps of Auschwitz-Birkenau revolted and destroyed most of the gas chambers and crematoria in which they were forced to work. A small number of Nazi officers were killed in the struggle, but after a brief escape, the perpetrators were captured and executed.



* On Oct. 8, 1871, the Peshtigo Fire, today considered the most devastating fire in American history, started in Wisconsin, killing about 1,200 people and consuming 2 billion trees. Despite its massive scale, however, the smaller Great Chicago Fire, which began later that night, dominated newspaper headlines over the next days.

GRIN and BEAR IT ^{Wagner}



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"None of the other dads had the nerve to try that. Pop!"

SHOUTS OF JOY AND VICTORY RESOUND IN THE TENTS OF THE RIGHTEOUS – PSALM 118

* On Oct. 9, 1635, Roger Williams was banished from the Massachusetts Bay Colony by the General Court of Massachusetts for protesting the right of civil authorities to punish religious dissension and to confiscate Native American land. He went on to found present-day Providence, Rhode Island, with assistance from the Narragansett tribe.

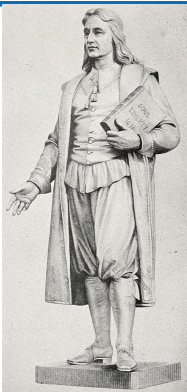
* On Oct. 10, 1973, less than a year before Richard M. Nixon's resignation as President of the United States, his vice president, Spiro Agnew, resigned in disgrace, pleading no contest to a charge of federal income tax evasion in exchange for dropped charges of political corruption. He was fined \$10,000, sentenced to three years' probation, and disbarred by the Maryland Court of Appeals.

* On Oct. 11, 1962, Pope John XXIII convened an ecumenical council of the Roman Catholic Church for the first time in 92 years, in the hope of bringing a spiritual rebirth to Catholicism as well as fostering greater unity among other branches of Christianity.



➤ On Oct. 12, 1945, Private First Class Desmond T. Doss of Lynchburg, Virginia, became America's first conscientious objector to receive the Medal of Honor for outstanding bravery as a combat medic.

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- Alphabet quartet
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- "I love," to Ovid
- Chaste
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- "Got it"
- Plum relatives
- Raw bar mollusk
- Numbered rds.
- "Eureka!"
- River blockers
- Rich soil
- Prattle
- Debtor's note
- Elegance
- Swiss canton
- Golfer Ernie
- Plucked instrument
- Slightly
- Brewed drink
- Bygone jets
- Jerry of the Grateful Dead
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- Sweet sandwich
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Noah: "Raindrops Keep Falling on My Head"

Adam and Eve: "Strangers in Paradise"

Lazarus: "The Second Time Around"

Esther: "I Feel Pretty"

Job: "I've Got a Right to Sing the Blues"

Moses: "The Wanderer"

Jezebel: "The Lady is a Tramp"

Samson: "Hair"

Daniel: "The Lion Sleeps Tonight"

Joshua: "Good Vibrations"

Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego: "Great Balls of Fire!"

The Three Kings: "When You Wish Upon a Star"

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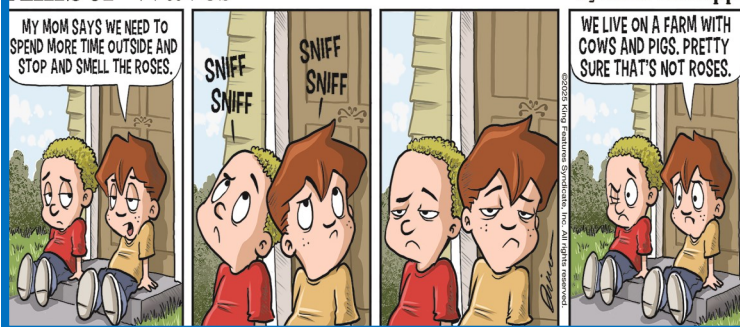
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This is a simple substitution cipher in which each letter used stands for another. If you think that X equals O, it will equal O throughout the puzzle. Solution is accomplished by trial and error.

Clue: T equals L

QAWPNRA IH TZQA-PYYPWDAJ

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Q: I am looking for a buyer for a leather jacket. It is handmade and signed with an old Bic pen "Hapiglop Woodstock." **A:** Hapiglop was a leather shop in Woodstock, New York, in the 1960s and '70s. We have found out very little about them, but they apparently made and sold clothing like leather jackets and fringed suede vests that were popular with the hippie counterculture. Their clothing tags had "Hapiglop" written in a style that looked like handwriting. Any clothing in wearable condition can be sold, and vintage clothing is extremely popular right now. Leather often gets better with age; many buyers prefer the worn-in feel and distressed look of vintage leather jackets to new ones. Contact vintage clothing stores in your area to see if they are interested in the jacket. Another possibility is selling online on a website like eBay or Etsy, or one of the popular clothing resale sites like Thredup, Poshmark or TheRealReal.

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This vintage tin is a reminder that pumpkin spice was a well-loved flavor long before coffee shops started adding it to their drinks every fall
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BIBLIE TRIVIA

by Wilson Casey

1. Is the book of Galatians (KJV) in the Old or New Testament or neither?
2. From Judges 7, who had the vision of a barley cake tumbling into an army camp overturning a tent? Shepherd, Soldier, Peasant, Steward
3. Which book could be summarized, "Pay attention, God has a master plan in the works we need to be a part of"? Isaiah, Jeremiah, Lamentations, Ezekiel
4. After an angel delivered them from a Jerusalem prison, where did the apostles go? Temple, Fields, Mountaintop, River
5. Who had his servants set barley crops on fire because he refused to meet with Absalom? Job, Joab, Jethro, Jehoshabeath
6. From Acts 12, where did Peter encounter an angel? Tent door, Prison, City gate, By a stream

ANSWERS:

- 1) New
- 2) Soldier
- 3) Isaiah
- 4) Temple
- 5) Joab
- 6) Prison

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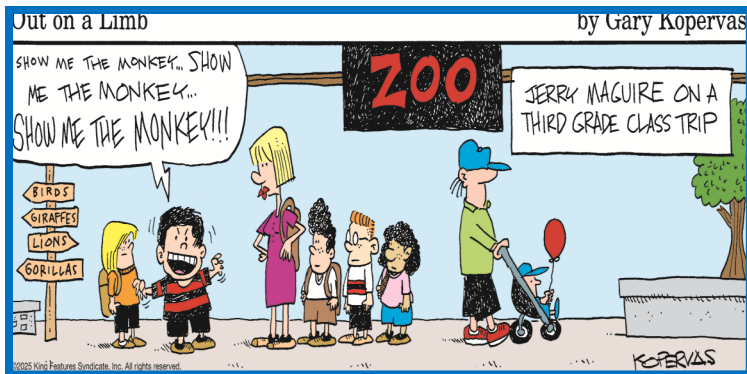


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Mon. 09/08 Post & Aux Meetings 7pm.
Wed. 09/10 Suicide Awareness Table 11am-2pm.
Thurs. 09/11 Patriots Day Flag @ Noon
Sun. 09/14 VFW Aux Birthday, Cake @ Bingo
Thurs. 09/18 USAF 78th B-Day, Cake @ Dinner
Fri. 09/19 POW/MIA Luncheon 11am
Wed. 09/24 Aux Green Chili Enchilada Dinner 5pm
Sun. 09/28 Gold Star Family Brunch 11am
Mon. 09/29 VFW 126th Birthday - Cake 09/30 5-7pm

Sun. Members Hold'Um 12pm / Aux Bingo 4pm.
Mexican Mondays 11:am - 1:30pm
(Tues) - Post Bingo 2pm / (Fri) - Post or Aux Bingo 2pm
(Tues) - (Friday) Lunch Specials 11-1:30pm
(Tues) Dinner Special / Hamburgers/Pork Fritters 5-7pm
(Tues) Karaoke w/Todd 5pm
(Thurs) Karaoke w/Todd 5pm / Wings & Things 5-7pm
Fri. - Cod Dinner / Shrimp Basket 5-7:00pm Band @ 5-8pm
Sat. - Ribeye Steak / Shrimp / Burgers / Chicken Tenders 5-7pm
Sat. - Queen of Hearts 5-7:30pm / Sat. Entertainment 5-8pm

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The benefits tools portion of the app can help you review your claim and appeal status, submit more evidence for your claims and check your disability rating.

The payments tool will let you see the payments the VA has sent you and update your direct deposit information.

If you have VA-related travel (mileage only) claims, you can now do that right on the phone. Coming soon: lab and test results viewable right on your phone.

But the tools aren't the only things you'll find on the app. Being able to show your status as a veteran can come in handy if you're in a store that gives a discount to veterans -- you'll have the proof right there on your phone. You can locate the VA facilities near you and quickly access the VA's crisis line. You'll have secure sign-in with fingerprint or face recognition for access.

For more info about the app, see mobile.va.gov/app/va-health-and-benefits. You'll find the download links for both iOS and Android. On that page you'll also find a few short videos done by veterans who talk about their experiences with the app. If you want more information about the app, put "VA benefits app" in a search engine.

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