CLASSIC COMICS

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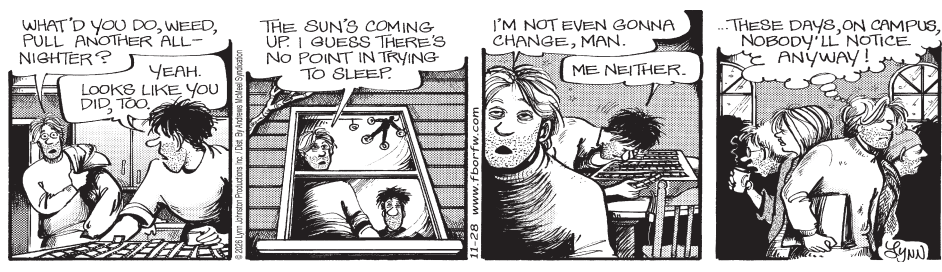
FOR BETTER OR FOR WORSE — Lynn Johnston



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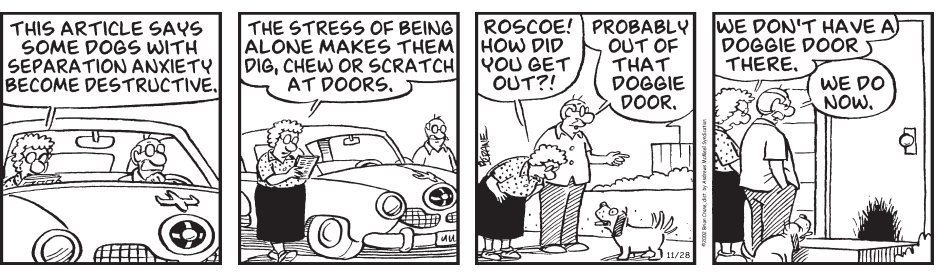

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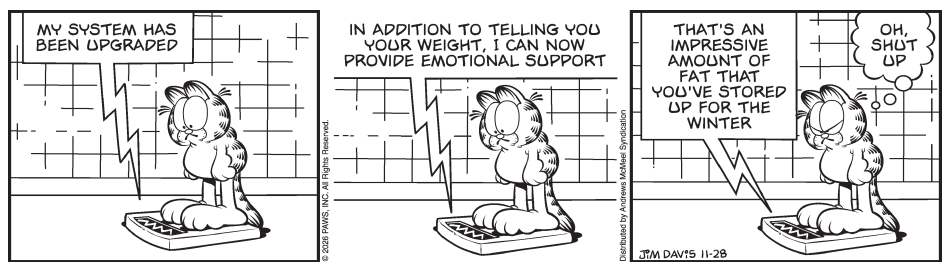

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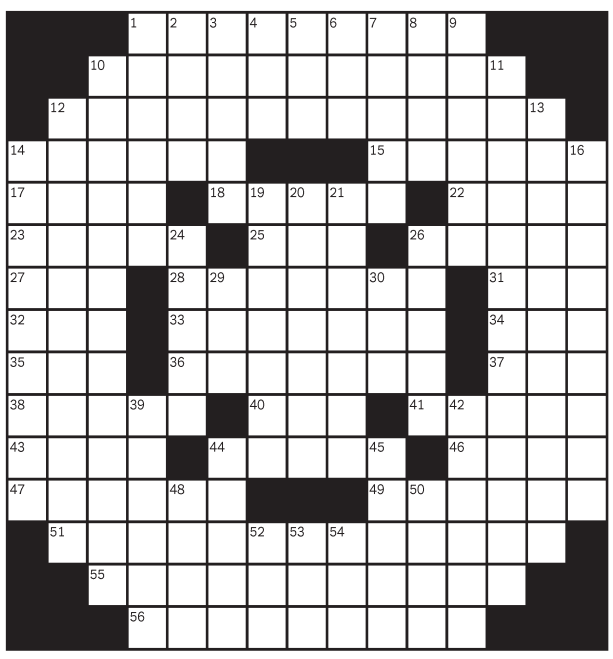
ACROSS

1 Doves
10 The practice of growing plants without soil
12 Dive
14 Noted surname in punk rock
15 Add to a chorus of criticism
17 What might get filled up around dinnertime
18 Speak recklessly, with "off"
22 Tip of Baja?
23 Sourdough starter component
25 Bunk
26 Tree that can clone itself
27 Basic logic gate
28 Tombstone setting
31 Connection letters
32 Display option, in brief
33 Get up and down, maybe, in golf
34 N.F.L. tight end Stowers
35 Attribution word
36 Playful banter
37 Crossword clue type
38 Singer who had us at "Hello"?
40 Familia member
41 Ball game in which you call your shots
43 "Following that ..."
44 International intelligence community?
46 What might get filled up around dinnertime
47 Ovid's "our"
49 Exemption
51 Barrier to entry at a top-secret facility
55 Easily moved, maybe
56 Descriptor of a sleek kitchen material

DOWN

1 Bridge supporters
2 Perfect place to be
3 Butter up?
4 Sting
5 Opposite of 7-Down, humorously
6 Cousin of kabuki
7 Like Inspector Clouseau, despite all of his successes
8 Nickname for the New Zealand dollar
9 Ubiquitous head coverings
10 Mail destinations
11 Like many new parents
12 Require
13 Becomes less interesting over time



PUZZLE BY ROBERT LOGAN

14 Major annoyance
16 Not following a straight path
19 Low rank
20 Enters through the cracks
21 Perfect places to be
24 Likes and dislikes, collectively
26 "So frustrating!"
29 Norma who gave Sally Field her first Oscar
30 Photographer Goldin
39 Drawings of various states?
42 Weighs in
44 ___ ray
45 Witting
48 Falling-out
50 Subjects of Pixar's second movie
52 Meat in a sushi taco
53 Cent : U.S. :: ___ : Japan
54 West Coast univ. holding the record for most chemical elements discovered (16)

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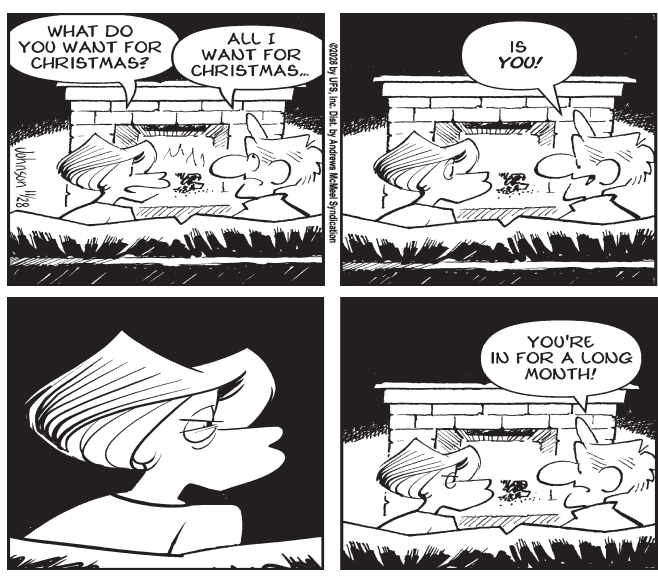
ARLO & JANIS — Jimmy Johnson



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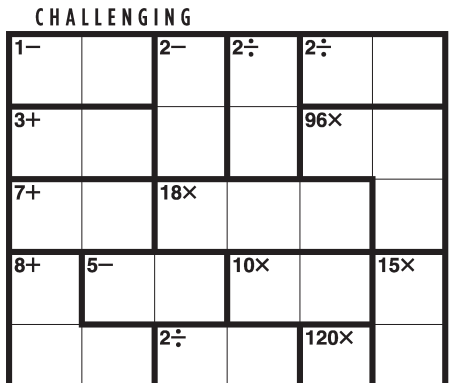

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RULES

1. Each row and each column must contain the numbers 1 through 4 (easy) or 1 through 6 (challenging) without repeating.
2. The numbers within the heavily outlined boxes, called cages, must combine using the given operation (in any order) to produce the target numbers in the top-left corners.
3. Freebies: Fill in single-box cages with the number in the top-left corner.

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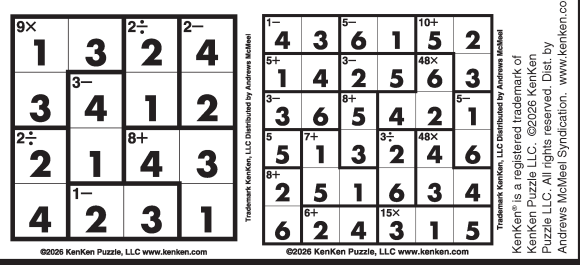

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SYIWP

MIYDSA

EDTBGU

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THAT SCRAMBLED WORD GAME
By David L. Hoyt and Jeff Knurek

Now arrange the circled letters to form the surprise answer, as suggested by the above cartoon.

Answer here: ( ) ( ) ( ) ( ) - ( ) ( ) ( ) ( ) ( ) ( )

(Answers Monday)

Yesterday's Jumbles: GOURD MAIZE SEQUEL ATTACH
Answer: She bought her competitor's restaurant, and to her, the food was an — ACQUIRED TASTE

WONDERWORD®

By DAVID OUELLET

HOW TO PLAY: All the words listed below appear in the puzzle — horizontally, vertically, diagonally and even backward. Find them, circle each letter of the word and strike it off the list. The leftover letters spell the **WONDERWORD.**

TIM CURRY (1946-2026) — Solution: 9 letters

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M S S L O H Y R E T S Y M O E
U L E T A M T Y Ⓒ Ⓛ Ⓤ Ⓔ E S W
S L R L E M K R I C E C I L O
I A N A R R A T O R A W W C L
C H L O I A M P V W Y E O O L
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L E Q H A I R F N T E D M L H
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T P Y R C L P N Y K C O R W E
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Yesterday's Answer: Wish Lists