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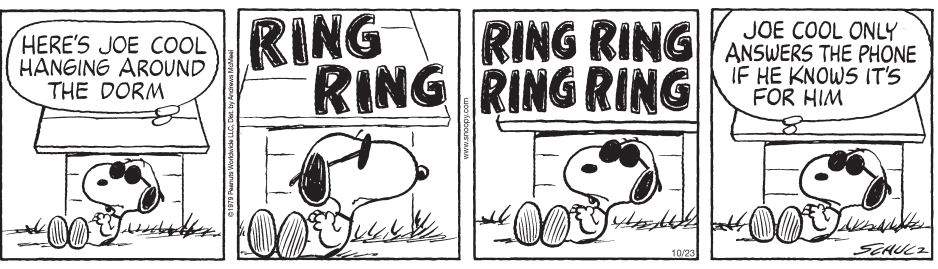

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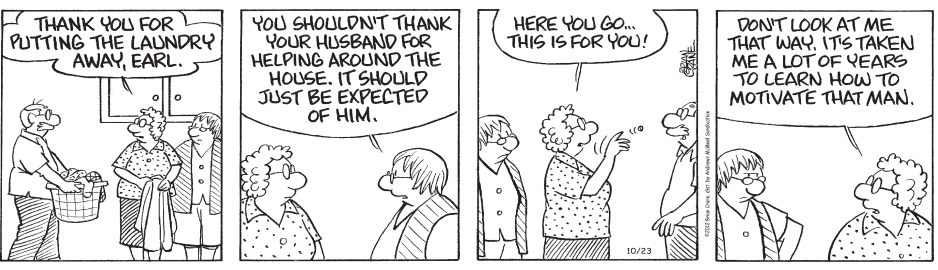

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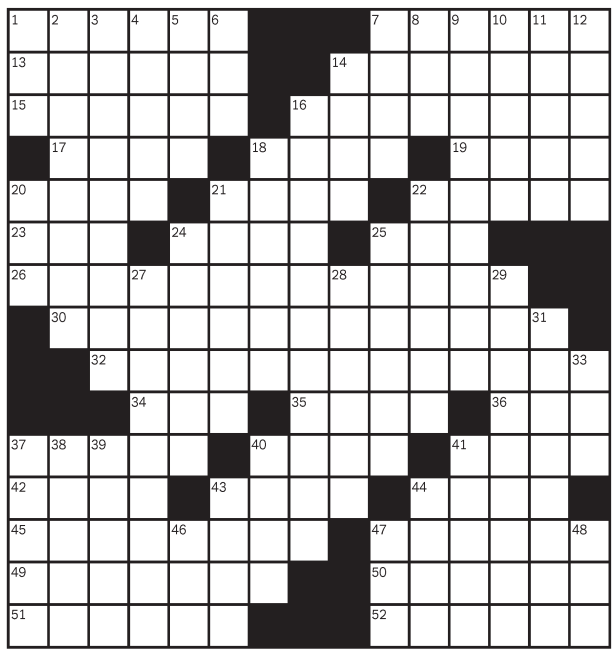

PUZZLE BY RYAN MATHIASON

ACROSS

1 Server's warning at a restaurant
7 Moved along (to)
13 Modern tech aid whose design was inspired by a Go board
14 Figuratively speaking
15 Begin to boil
16 Insects named for when they emerge
17 Breaks off
18 Water containers
19 Dinosaur in Pixar's "The Good Dinosaur"
20 Four-time N.B.A. All-Star Young
21 Line at an Apple Store
22 Permanent, perhaps
23 Contents of some pockets
24 Yell sharply
25 Org. whose events are typically held at clubs
26 Country club?
30 Defensive effort in the red zone
32 Not everyone agrees on this
34 Ball girl
35 "Big Brother" host Julie
36 Org. concerned with traffic
37 Ones catching rays, perhaps?
40 Two in a row?
41 Places to buy buckets, familiarly
42 Common plant for a "plant mom"
43 Long-bodied fish
44 Cookie contents
45 Not together, in a way
47 "Is that a challenge?!"
49 Some features of backyard landscaping
50 "I'll be right with you"
51 Gave the once-over
52 "Don't believe me? Just watch!"

DOWN

1 Brightness measures, in brief
2 Element of a dating profile?
3 Potential outcomes
4 Mass
5 ___ of Solomon, literary collection written in the first or second century
6 Sci-fi writer Chiang
7 "&" follower, in some business names
8 When much rainy weather occurs in Côte d'Ivoire
9 Flip
10 Seize
11 High-ranking scout
12 Company whose products suck
14 Additional schoolwork?
16 Simple cocktail named for two brands
18 "Phooey!"
20 Torque symbol, in physics
21 Bit of nonsense writing that typically gets a laugh
22 Delighted cry upon receiving an acceptance
24 Ball girls
25 Leap day baby, e.g.
27 Clicked with a partner?
28 Snicker
29 Simple check for freshness
31 Act like yourself, perhaps?
33 Nasty ___ (noted rap moniker)
37 Not in the minority?
38 It often has four legs
39 Fidget spinners or Angry Birds, once
40 Give ___ (cause consternation in)
41 Character played by Rashida Jones on "The Office"
43 Set piece
44 Longtime U.F.C. C.E.O. ___ White
46 Aladdin's sidekick
47 Many a nonfiction Oscar nominee, informally
48 Lead-in to "lab" in the name of an S&P 500 company

ANSWER TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE

M	A	C	S	■	M	A	S	K	■	A	B	C	S
A	L	O	E	■	E	P	E	E	■	R	E	A	P
K	I	L	T	■	S	P	A	Y	■	T	A	R	O
E	V	O	■	A	S	S	T	■	L	I	N	D	T
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B	O	A	T	■	■	A	B	R	A	■	M	O	O
I	N	F	I	N	I	T	E	S	C	R	O	L	L
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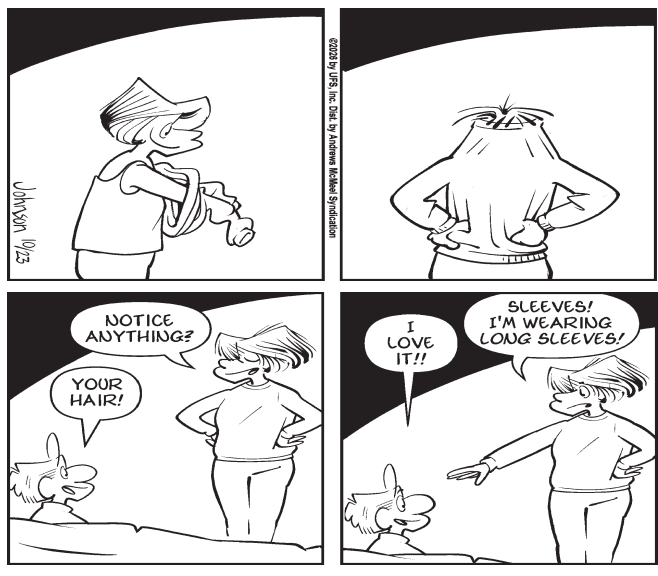

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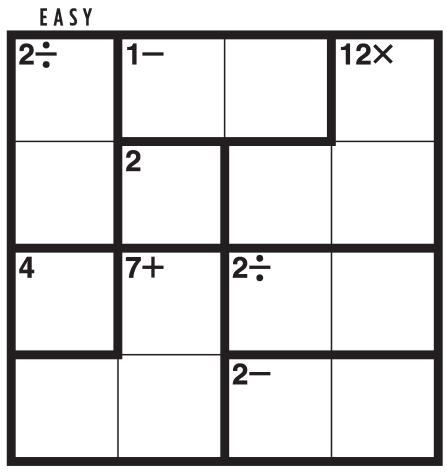

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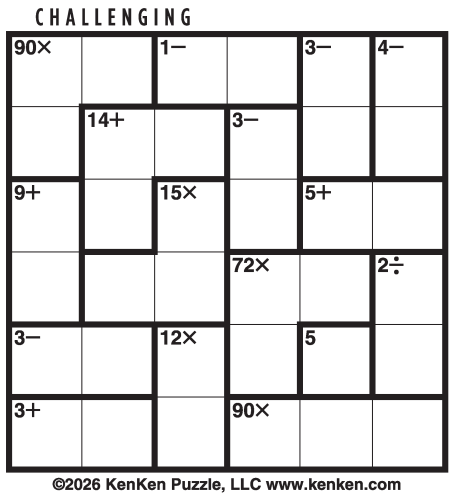

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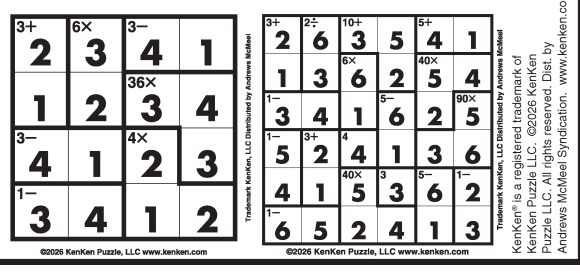
RULES

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.

PREVIOUS ANSWERS



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JUMBLE

Unscramble these Jumbles, one letter to each square, to form four ordinary words.

NHWSO

TYRPC

ETCPAC

ISRCSI

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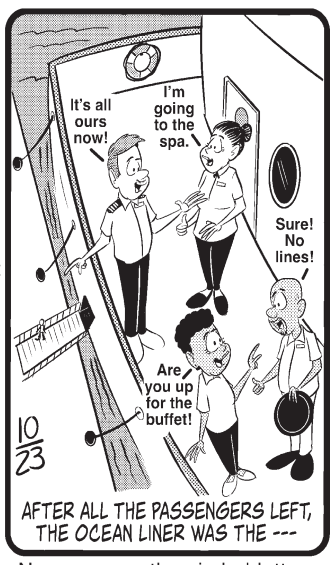

Now arrange the circled letters to form the surprise answer, as suggested by the above cartoon.

Ans. here: " ( ) " ( )

(Answers tomorrow)

Yesterday's Jumbles: CROWN PURGE FICKLE PASTOR
Answer: To learn as much as possible about the Andes, students need to study a — RANGE OF TOPICS

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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.**

HAYDEN PANETTIERE (1989-2026) — Solution: 11 letters

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

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Yesterday's Answer: Organized