JUMBLE

THAT SCRAMBLED WORD GAME
by Mike Argirion and Jeff Knurek

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

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SIFIN

FITANN

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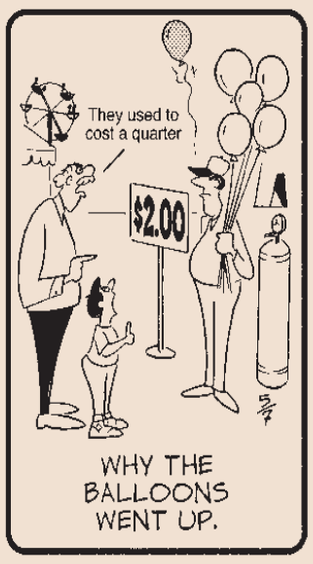


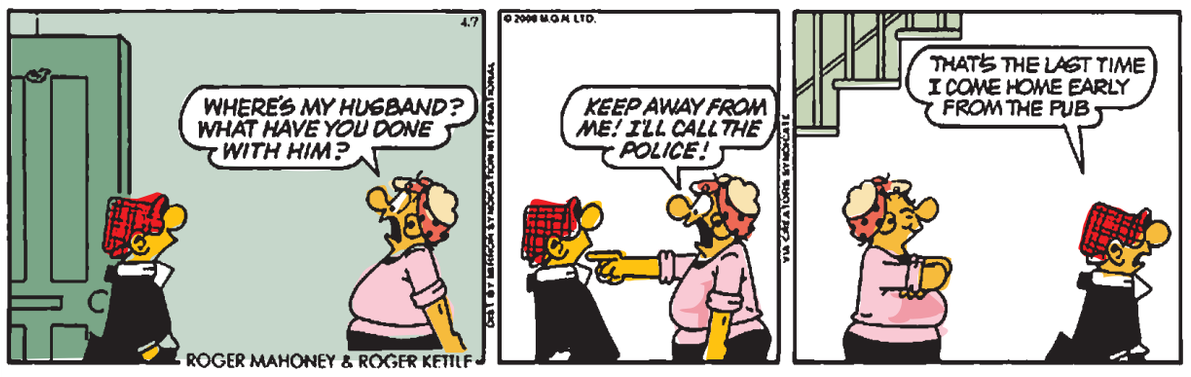
WHY THE BALLOONS WENT UP.

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

Answer: " " (Answers tomorrow)

Yesterday's Jumbles: MEALY RABBI DOUBLE CIPHER
Answer: What the warden did when the crooked barber escaped — "COMBED" THE AREA

Andy Capp — By Reg Henry Scargelli oldman



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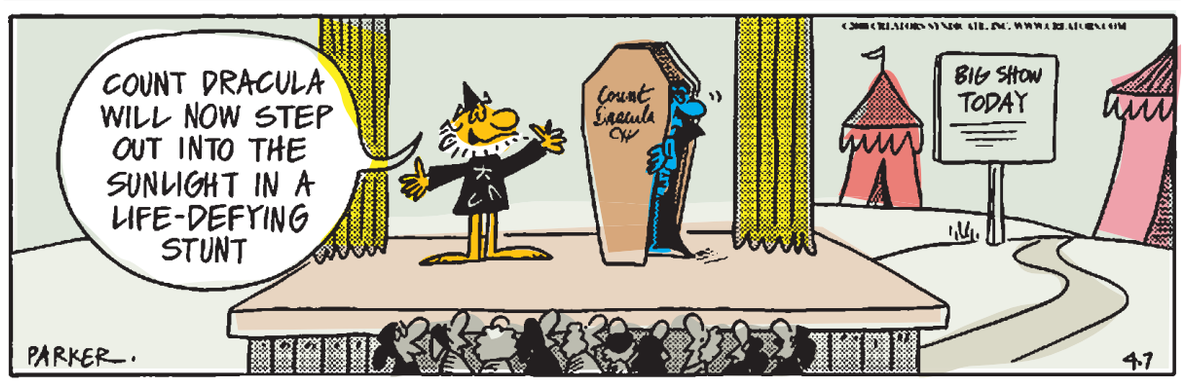
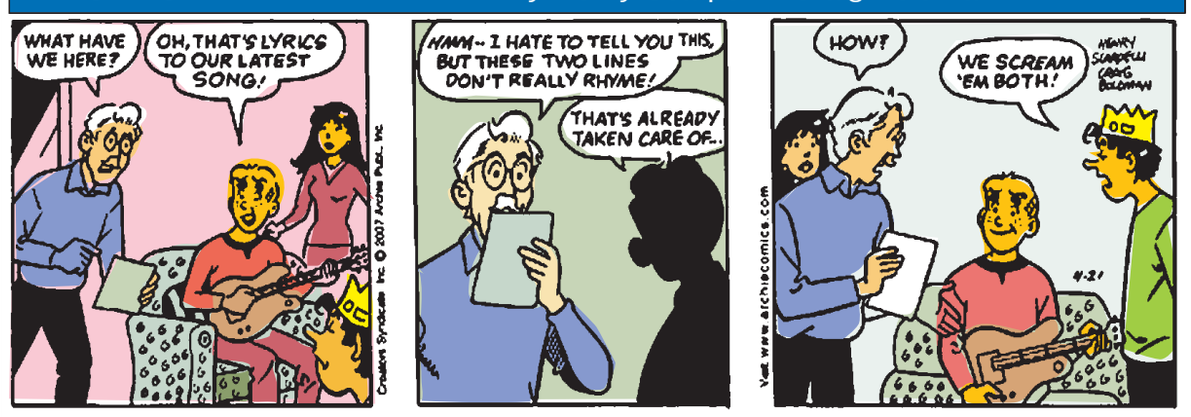


Mother Goose & Grimm — By Mike

Archie — By Henry Scarpelli - Craig Boldman



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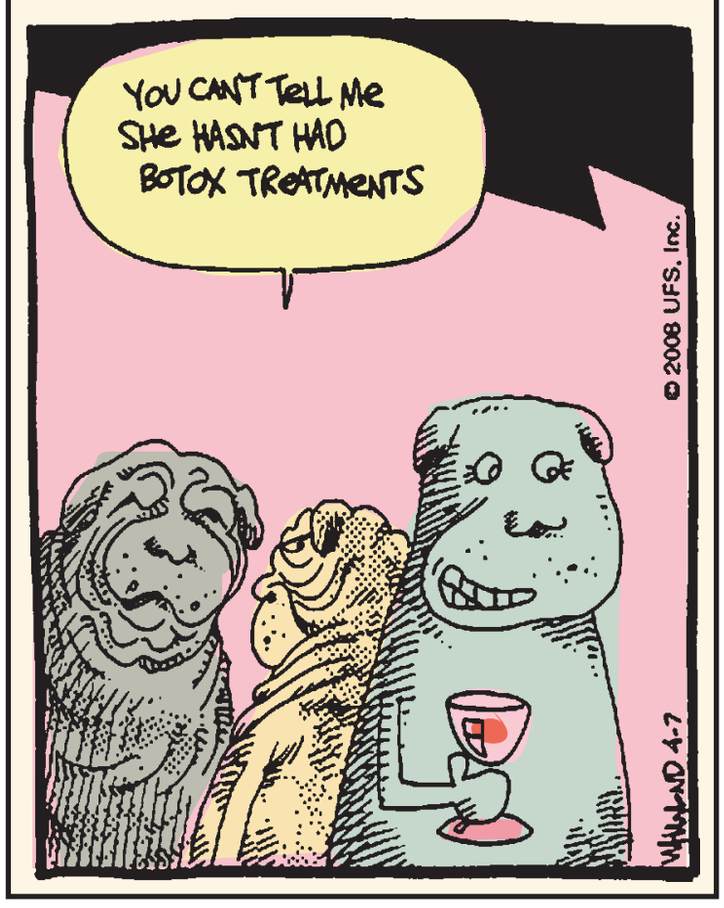


Friends React to Mariah & Nick's Marriage

Mariah Carey and Nick Cannon's recent wedding not only surprised fans, but their friends and close associates, too.

"I'm shell shocked," a source in Carey's camp tells PEOPLE. "As far as I know, they are happy together."

Music mogul Russell Simmons said he didn't know about the nuptials ahead of time, but sees why the pairing works. "Whatever makes them happy," he said Friday. "They have a lot in common and should have a lot of fun together."

Even Cannon's family was surprised by the move. "It's crazy right! We're definitely happy. Well wishes!" Cannon's brother, Gabriel, tells PEOPLE. "I'm trying to be like him and I love him very much."

Another insider says the newlyweds didn't know each other before Carey's video shoot for her song "Bye, Bye" in the Caribbean on March 26. "Nick was cast as the romantic lead and was flown to Antigua where they met so basically their [romance] started during the shoot," the insider says,

Nick Cannon

Mariah Carey

adding, "She's very into religion and Nick is very into religion. That's something they bonded on."

Whatever their connection, Jacob Arabo, who created the diamond sparkler that the actor gave the singer as an engagement ring, tells PEOPLE that his friend is in love with Carey.

Still, others seem more dubious of the whirlwind romance.

"This is what Nick does; Nick is such a sucker for love," said a source close to Cannon. "He falls in love so quick."

Adds another Cannon insider: "We all thought it was a joke, but he's been impulsive before. He's a mini mogul but still young and maybe this was a crush that went too far.

"Well see. He takes awhile to come down from the cloud."

Sudoku No 805

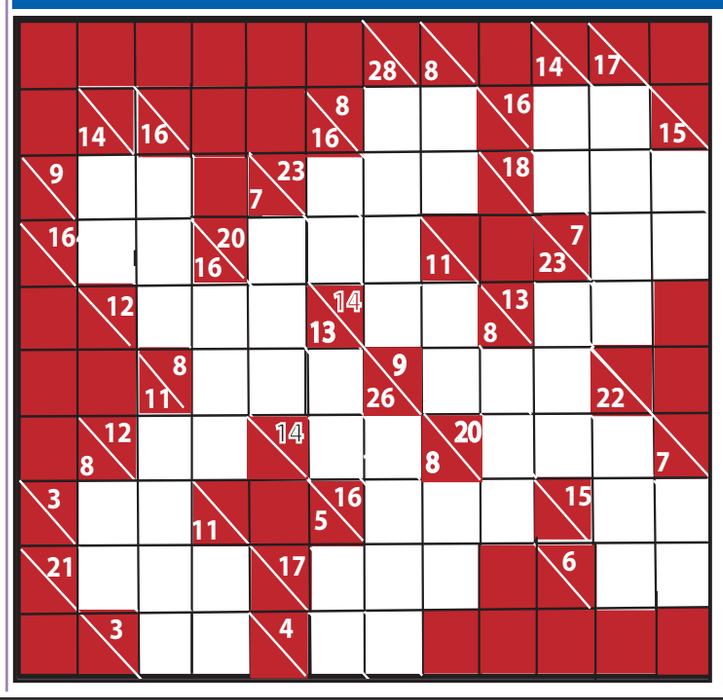
5					4	3	8	
			8					5
4			5				1	2
8	4				3			7
2					8			
	3	9	4					1
3	2	8						
	6						4	
						9	5	3

No knowledge of arithmetic is required to enjoy this. All you need is a logical mind, a pencil and an eraser. Try it. Suffer its torture. Discover its ecstasy. It's a mind game you will solve with reasoning and logic. The rules are very simple. Fill in the grid with numbers so that every row, every column and every small 3x3 box contains the numbers 1 to 9. Each number has its allotted place if you look hard enough. No number should be repeated in any row, column or 3x3 box. Here's an easy one to try - See tomorrow's Island for solution.

Solution to No. 804

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

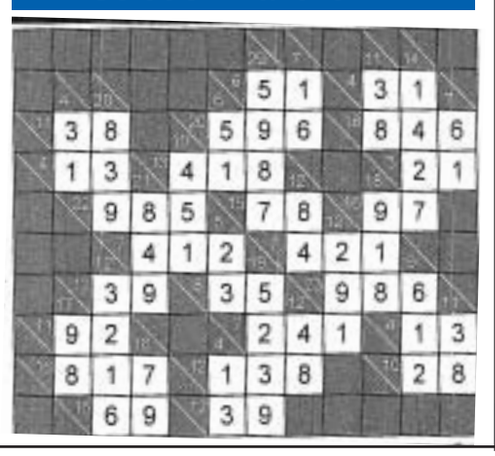
KAKURO 28



How to play

Fill in the blank squares, using 1 to 9, without repeating any number in any line. The lines must be filled in with numbers that add up to the total in the shaded box at the top or beginning of each line. A number in the bottom half of the shaded box is the downward total; in the top half, it's the horizontal total.

Solution Kakuro 27



ZODIAC SIGNS

Predictions applicable from Monday 5th - Saturday 10th

STARSCOPE

ARIES (Mesha) - Ascendant lord debilitated in 4th with moon moving in 1st, 2nd and 3rd. Mentally dejected due to disputes. But indicate energetic handling of affairs with authority. You may put heart and soul in trying to achieve success in property transactions. Compelled to spend on siblings and your mother. Mentally worried about a physical ailment of your eldest child. A Sudden change in your workplace likely.

TAURUS (Vrushaba) - Moon moves in 12th, 1st and 2nd with lagna lord Venus in 12th. Week starts with a Sudden short trip assisted by your siblings. Forced to spend a considerable sum on your philanthropic and public welfare activities. Attain honour and approbation from your superiors. Exemplify religious inclination with spending money on merits and well being of your siblings and close associates.

GEMINI (Mithuna) - A week with financial losses incurred on family investments your may invest money on successful termination of your educational career if you are employed in a higher educational institution. Indicate a scandal or some misunderstanding with your mother over ancestral property. Receive cooperation from your spouse to enhance family wealth and happiness. Your son may organise a trip abroad.

CANCER (Kataka) - Lagna lord moon moves in 10th, 11th and 12th with Mars debilitated in lagna. Fresh opportunities to move into new areas in your professional career. Indicate improved performances in domestic as well as social sectors reaping appropriate regards. Stand high among social elites. May enter into a strong controversy with a shareholder or member in joint business Professional prosperity marred by open enemy encounters. Take care of your health.

LEO (Sinha) - Your ascendant lord sun is exalted in 9th. Feel self reliant in your business as well as professional work. Indicate a Sudden overseas travel or sojourn in a foreign country. Much respected by high personages. Gain political success if you are a state minister or a higher executive. Sudden loss in income from property due to a speculative investment.

VIRGO (Kanya) - Lagna lord Mercury posited in 8th combined with exalted sun. You may spend or invest money to gain vanity or prestige. Not a prospective week for your elder brother if he is ailing. Your younger brother's financial position may degenerate. You are keen to invest on revamping your house with the cooperation of the spouse. Highly interested in enhancing your higher education if you are a student. Successful week for academics.

LIBRA (Tula) - Week begins with lagna lord Venus, conjoining moon in 7th. Your father's social position improves considerably. Elder brother's income from property and investments gain rapidly. Indicate a strong desire for harmonious relationship with your family members. Your spouse may achieve excellence in arts and poetry. Good phase for your siblings.

SCORPIO (Vrushchika) - Moon moves in 6th, 7th and 8th. Unhappy due to a dispute with your elders. Confronted with a strong controversy with your younger brother. May organise a sudden trip abroad if you are a higher officer in the armed forces. Gain Cooperation from your eldest son to improve your finances in the family. Good phase in earning or enhancing your status if you are a policeman or a crime detective.

SAGITTARIUS (Danu) - A week of phenomenal success in business as well as in profession. Wealth happiness and royal respect gained. Good phase for those employed in a managerial capacity in a firm or bank. Shows son's success in every undertaking he handles. The health of your father may deteriorate Suddenly. Indicate scandal with a younger brother concerning ownership of ancestral property avoid rash or vindictive approach in speech.

CAPRICORN (Makara) - Lagna lord posited in 8th with moon moving in 4th, 5th and 6th. Mentally dejected at times on the attitude of your elders and your partner. Greatly concerned in improving your earnings through real state or joint business. Gain cooperation from your mother. Show generosity towards your associates. Confronted with open enemy encounters at times.

AQUARIUS (Kumbha) - Feel mentally incompatible with your partner or stake holders in business. Do not enjoy a considerable progress from your investments on property. Indicate high sense of spirituality and humanitarianism in your activities in religious or public welfare activities. An ailment in calves or ankles may be a worry. Take care of abdominal ailments. Receive cooperation from a powerful sibling to enhance your status and recognition.

PISCES (Meena) - Moon moves in 2nd, 3rd and 4th with Jupiter posited powerfully in 10th. Finances remain very favourable with prospects for enhancing your professional career. Impressive progress shown for self employed career women. Steady improvement in business related fields. Your are able to win over your enemy encounters or come out victorious in a prolonged litigation. A bowel ailment likely.

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