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.

VEDEL

CAGIM

MADENT

HIENAL

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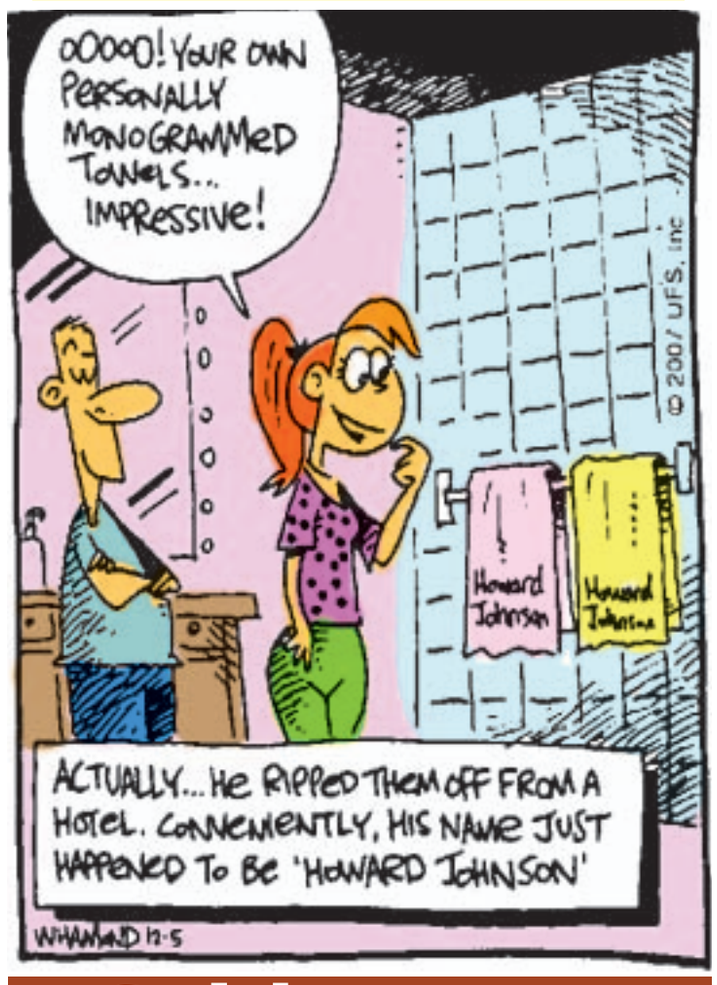
Now arrange the circled letters to form the surprise answer, as suggested by the above cartoon.

Answer here: " " " "

(Answers tomorrow)

Yesterday's Jumbles: BROOK TUNED LADING OSSIFY
Answer: A successful dress designer is good with this — "FIGURES"

REALITY CHECK



Andy Capp

By Reg Henry Scargelli

Wizard of Id

By Parker and Hart

Mother Goose & Grimm

By Mike

Archie

By Henry Scarpelli - Craig Boldman

Ranbir Katrina turns Mumbai into Goa

With many actors and actresses canceling their shoots and appearances after the Mumbai terror attack, Rajkumar Santoshi has turned our very own Aamchi Mumbai into Goa for the shoot of his movie 'Ajab Prem ki Ghazab Kahani' featuring Ranbir Kapoor and Katrina Kaif.

Rajkumar Santoshi showed the never-say-die spirit of Mumbai by resuming shooting of his film in Mumbai instead of Goa.

A source says, "Ranbir Kapoor and Katrina Kaif were shooting a stunt scene near Aksa beach on the Madh-Marve route of Malad, Mumbai on Friday and Saturday inspite of the army operations still on! Rajkumar Santoshi had tried to recreate Goa in Mumbai. And the scene that was being shot had Ranbir and Katrina speeding away on a bike, since they were being chased by a few villains. The film was 'Ajab Prem Ki Gajab Kahani.'

Sounds strange when he can shoot in Goa, why choose Mumbai...definitely it's an Gazab Kahani.

Sudoku No 982

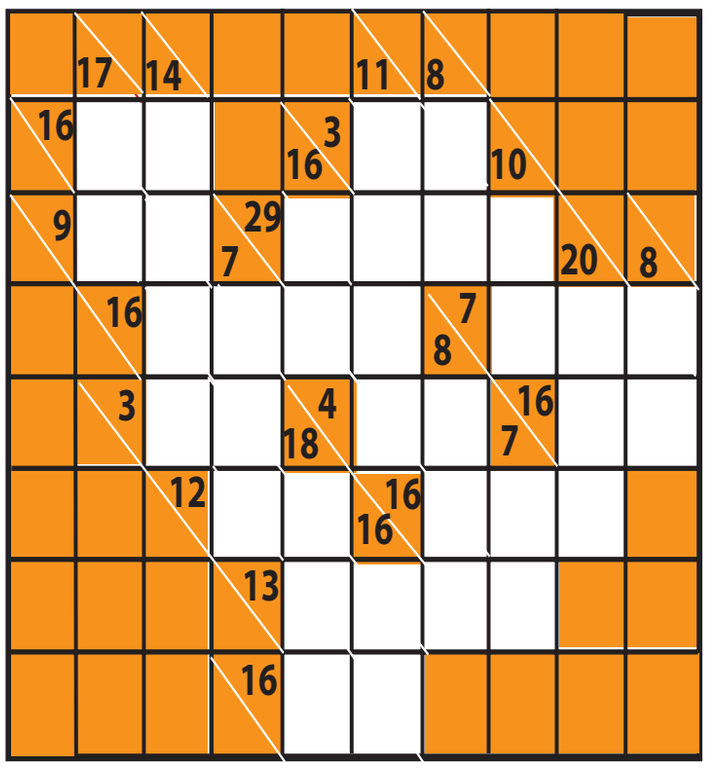
9	4		5			7		
					4		9	
2	5			9		4	1	
	2	5		3			6	4
	1		6					
		9			5		2	3
		4	3			2		
6	8	3				9	5	1
		2			6	3		

Solution to No. 981

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

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.

KAKURO 209



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 208

	16	13		12	15		16	7	15
17	9	8	7 13	9	4	9	2	1	6
18	7	5	2	1	3	19	6	4	9
	13	29 11	4	2	5	13 6	4	2	
9	3	5	1	12	2	9	1	23	7
8	1	7	7	16	1	4	3	6	2
21	9	8	4				9	8	1
	12	9	3				13	9	4

ZODIAC SIGNS

Predictions applicable from
Monday 1st - Saturday 6th

STARSCOPE

AERIES - (Mesha) Lagna lord Mars and Sun posited in 8th with Moon moving from 9th to 11th. Finances keeping moderate. Indicate familial happiness. Some scandal over acquisition of landed property. Receive cooperation from your partner to attend household engagements successfully, not a good phase for your younger siblings. Progress in career and health of your eldest child is at stake. Does not show steady improvement in the investment sector if you are a businessman. Acute bowel ailment likely.

TAURUS - (Vrushaba) Lagna lord Venus posited in 8th with Jupiter and Moon. Confronted with busy schedules in the home front. Not a good phase for your younger siblings' health and career. Family happiness remains at stake due to scandals and controversies with your spouse. Fail to maintain cordial relationship with your stakeholders in business. Very steady in character and mind. Not a good phase in your childrens educational career. Confronted with financial problems. Cerebral pain likely.

GEMINI (Mithuna) Lagna lord Mercury afflicted by malefics in 6th with Moon moving from 7th to 9th. You are unable to maintain cordial relationship with your housemaids labourers and close associates. Your partners professional career enhanced. Able to win the cooperation of your partners in business. But capricious unstable and unsavoury in speech at times. Confronted with issues at your work place. Not a favourable week for your health. Take care of sudden wounds and accidents.

CANCER (Kataka) Lagna lord Moon moves from 6th to 8th. Not a good phase in your love affairs. Confronted with emotional imbalance. Indicate scandals in family life. Your generosity and sympathy for humans will not pay dividends, Mentally irritated to gain undue pride. Fail to establish harmonious relationship with your spouse and cooperators in your business concerns. Faced with speculative investments not creating sufficient financial benefits. Professional status remains stabilised. A cerebral ailment likely.

LEO (Sinha) Your lagna lord Sun posited in 4th with Moon moving from 5th to 7th. Bold, domineering and tolerant when confronted with challenges. Recognised and respected in the professional field on your skill and organising power. Needless wastage of money on speculative investments on property not accruing desired gains. Obstinate at times. Troubled by your marital partner and the enemies around. Good phase in your higher education.

VIRGO (Kanya) Lagna lord Mercury afflicted in 3rd. But arrogant and malicious at times. Take care in use of words. Indicate acquisition of property and high status in society. Very propitious phase to enhance your higher education. Prospective period for professionals in business concerns and academics in higher educational institutes to launch overseas career. At times septic until progress is achieved. Successful career to your son if he is self-employed or living abroad. Marital harmony preserved.

LIBRA - (Tula) Lagna lord Venus in Combination with benefics in 3rd. Good phase for those employed in transport sectors, media, music or drama and the aesthetic field to make a headway in enhancing their career. Good period for your younger siblings engaged in self employment overseas. Indicate developments in your cultivations purchase of property and business and luxuries. You have a strong desire to enhance your family income. Bile ailment likely.

SCORPIO (Vrushchika) Sun Mars and Mercury posited in the ascendant, with Moon moving from 2nd to 4th. You have strength of purpose to enhance your professional career confronted with scandals and quarrels with your higher officers at the work place. Propitious phase for those engaged in the armed forces security or the marine services. Leading a moral life free from vice. Financial reserves and fixed assets gain improvement. Very disciplined in expenditure. Prospects in career if you are a teacher or a lecturer. Good phase for higher education. Bowel ailments likely.

SAGITTARIUS (Danu) Jupiter and Venus powerfully posited in lagna. Indicate physical health access to wealth and happiness. Able to accomplish familial progress, peace and solidarity with the neighbours and those who stand high in society. Able to stabilise your position if you are an entrepreneur. Very wise and prudent in arriving at decisions. Confronted with a secret enemy encounter. Take care to avoid speculation investments.

CAPRICORN (Makara) Moon moves from 12th to 2nd with 1st and 7th inflicted by malefics. Engaged in meritorious activities confronted with professional schedules. Acquisition of income from a last will from litigation or transfer from an elder. Good phase for your elder siblings. Indicate a slight delay in confirming a marital proposal you are able to stabilise your professional status. Phlegm or bowel ailment likely.

AQUARIUS (Kumba) Moon moving from 11th to 1st with Saturn inflicted in 7th. Your partner confronted with additional work and responsibility at the work place. Determined to enhance your conjugal happiness, very dedicated in performing your religious programmes. Engaged in humanitarian work. Very philanthropic in your social welfare activities. Take care of bowel or urine ailments.

PISCES (Meena) Your key planets well posited in 9th and 10th. Good phase to earn wealth additional income and stability in career. Good prospects for youth engaged in overseas travel on self-employment motives. to fulfil their ambitions. The health of your elders may be at stake. Good phase in your children's education. For academics and men of literary career, this is a favourable week to accomplish beneficial results. A phlegm or lung ailment likely.

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