JUMBLE

THAT SCRAMBLED WORD GAME
by Mike Argirion and Jeff Knurek

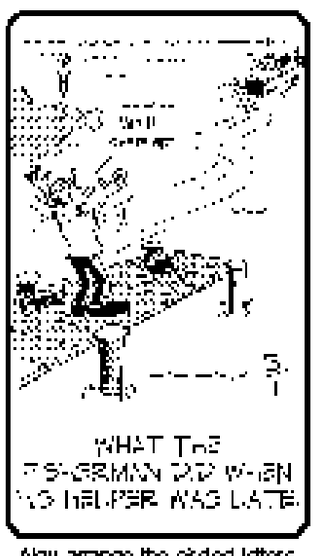
Unscramble these four Jumbles, one letter to each square, to form four ordinary words.

YUSHK

LOBOD

TEPICK

BIUMED



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

Answer: " " " "

(Answers tomorrow)

Yesterday's Jumbles: WEARY AUDIO SULTRY CATTLE
Answer: When the bride and groom cut the cake, it was "TIER FULL"

Sudoku No 1099

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

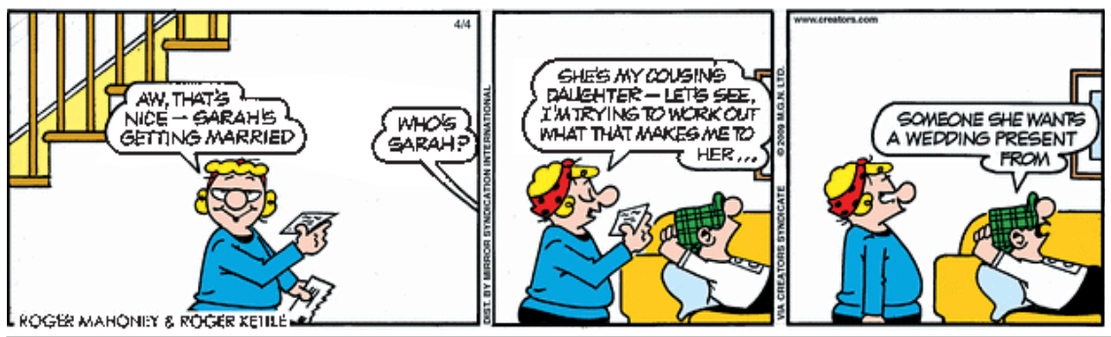
Solution to No.1098

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.

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

Andy Capp

By Reg Henry Scargelli

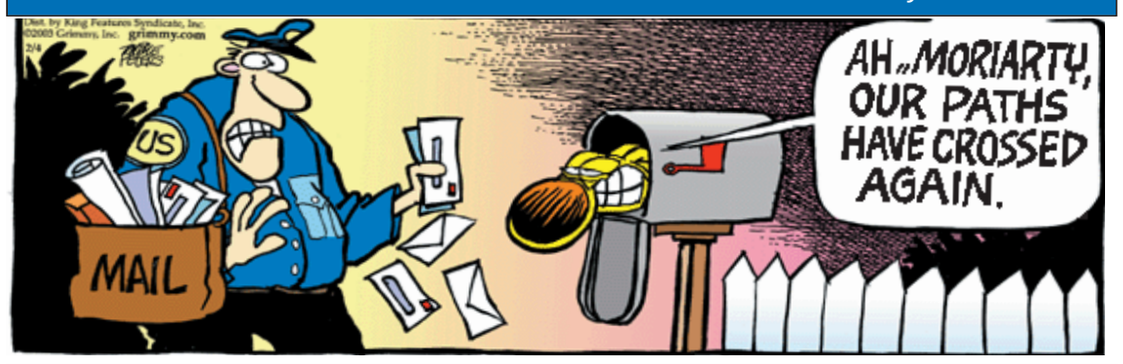


Wizard of Id

By Parker and Hart

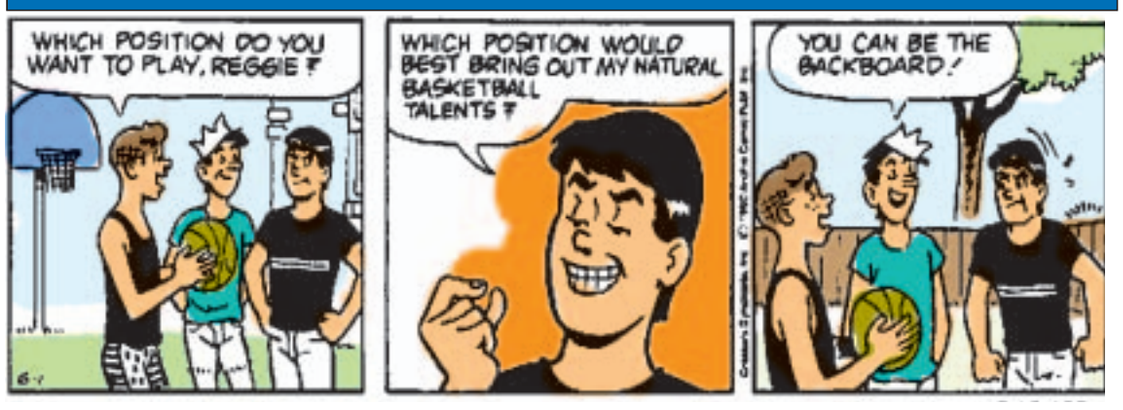
Mother Goose & Grimm

By Mike



Archie

By Henry Scarpelli - Craig Boldman



Sarah & Matthew Join a Roster of Celebs Using Surrogates

Sarah & Matthew

By Elaine Aradillas

Expanding their brood, Sarah Jessica Parker and Matthew Broderick announced this week they are welcoming twin girls via a surrogate.

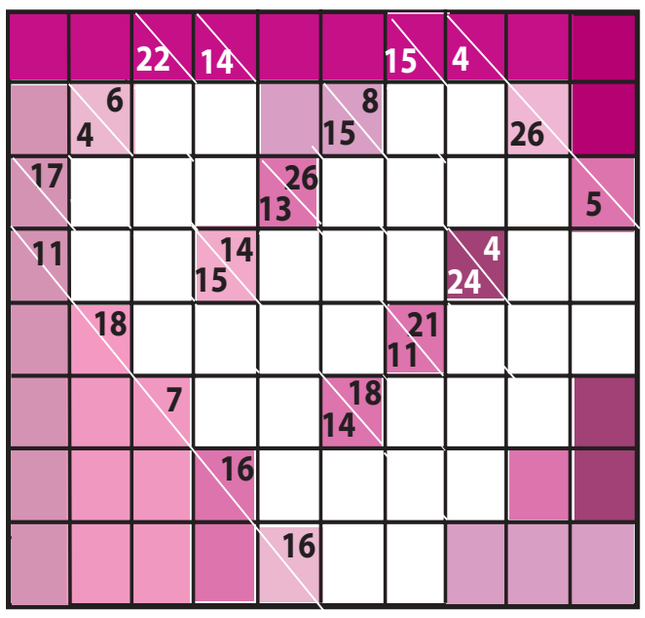
By not revealing any details about why they chose a surrogate, Parker, 44, and Broderick, 47, have left many of their well-wishing fans with questions.

For example, what is a surrogate? They are women, often with children of their own, who offer to carry the babies of couples who experience infertility. The most common variety, known as a gestational carrier, carries an embryo provided by the couple, and has no genetic relationship to the child in question (the womb-for-rent scenario). Other surrogates use sperm provided by the couple, but their own eggs.

In both cases, a legal contract usually stipulates the rights of each party, and fees typically range from $25,000 to $60,000. While the procedure remains relatively rare in the general population, it appears to be surprisingly common in Hollywood. Among the celebrity couples who have used a surrogate:

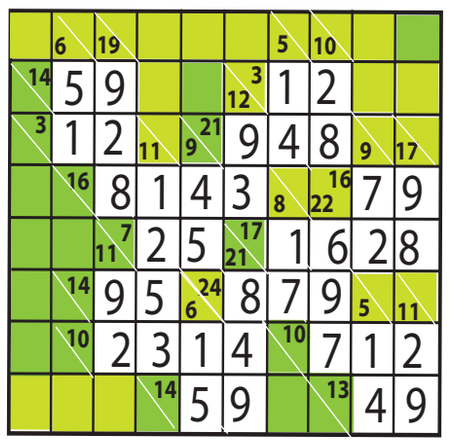
• Dennis Quaid, 55, and wife Kimberly, 37, became proud parents of twins Thomas and Zoe, who were born in November 2007. The twins were born via a gestational carrier – a woman who carries another couple's baby conceived by the parents' own egg and sperm. When their son and daughter were born, the Quaids said in a statement, "God has definitely blessed us."

KAKURO 335



Solution Kakuro 334

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.



ZODIAC SIGNS

Predictions applicable from
Monday 4th - Saturday 9th

STARSCOPE

ARIES (Mesha) - Lagna lord Mars posited in 12th with Moon moving from 5th to 7th and Sun exalted in lagna. Finances keeping very favourable. Good phase in children's career. Very energetic handling of property and business dealings. Indicate mental and bodily vigour. Good speech. Family income improves. Honoured and respected by your spouse who shows great devotion to religion. Bowel ailment likely.

TAURUS (Vrushaba) - Lagna lord Venus gets exalted in 11th with Moon moving from 4th to 7th. Indicate knowledgeability and patience an all circumstances. Receive cooperation of elder siblings and immediate neighbours. Family income gets enhanced through investments, on property and cultivations. Good phase to improve your education if you are an academic. Receive cooperation from your spouse. Confronted with a scandal regarding sale of ancestral property. Sudden long trip arranged. Lung or phlegm ailment likely.

GEMINI (Mithuna) - Lagna lord Mercury placed in 12th with Moon moving from 3rd to 5th. Financially favourable. Quickness of perception in artistic dealings. Very favourable period in your employment. Possibly an overseas travel to you or your spouse, on self employment or for training. Your children prosper in their career. A grave accident may occur to one of your siblings. Extravagance due to generosity, ENT ailment likely.

CANCER (Kataka) - Lagna and 7th afflicted by malefics with lagna lord Moon moving from 2nd to 4th. Very irritable at times. Confronted with family scandals. Busy attending tight schedules in business or profession. Gain mental solace in attending all sorts of social activity which keep your constantly moving away from home. Your attainments in employment get felicitated. Moving with social elates. Receive fame and prestige from the royalty if you are a politician. Unexpected drain of assets due to speculative investments. ENT ailment likely.

LEO (Sinha) - Saturn and Moon posited inflicted in lagna with its lord elevated in 9th. Indicate high scale organising power and fulfilment of ambitions inspite of mental frustrations and challenges to undergo. Bold and domineering in taking decisions regarding the career of children and your employment. Receive financial cooperation from your spouse. Enjoy family harmony. Engaged in meritorious activity. Mentally frustrated at times.

VIRGO (Kanya) - Moon moving from 12th to 2nd with lagna lord mercury placed in 9th. A sudden change in employment for better. Earnings get enhanced. Financial stability indicated. Unmoved by challenges and hindrances. Slow insight into subtle and delicate problems. Good time period to achieve best if you are a statesman of high repute. Tactfulness and general charm of manner indicated. Love of words honesty and prudence depicted in your social and religious activities. Good time frame to launch on investments. Avoid extravagances.

LIBRA (Tula) - Lagna lord Venus exalted in 6th with Moon moving from 11th to 1st. Financially stable. Receive assistance and cooperation from your spouse who shows courage and conviction in handling business and household affairs. Enjoy influx of income from diverse sources. Strong desire for harmonious living with your business counterparts as well as social colleagues. Children get enhancement in education and career. Indicate ailments to your elders

SCORPIO (Vrushika) - Lagna lord Mars combined with elevated Venus in 5th with Moon moving from 9th to 12th. Short trips arranged to attend on work schedules to keep you busy. Involved in a love affair or romanticism. Indicate involvement in aesthetics or artistic dealings. Landed property conveyances and supply of household equipments get enhanced. Purchase of a house or repair or renovation of your residence indicated. A long drawn scandal at the work place.

SAGITTARIUS (Danu) - Lagna lord Jupiter transits in 3rd with Moon moving from 9th to 11th. A week of exceptional financial influx and stability. Indicate sportsmanship and vigour of personality in managerial activity, if you are a executive in a firm. Good phase to invest on property. Renovation or refurbishment to your residence or mansion. Youngest siblings gain higher education or new employment. Ailment in intestines likely.

CAPRICORN (Makara) - Moon moves from 8th to 10th with Saturn in 8th. Bank assets improve. Marital confirmation to a younger sibling indicated. Income from employment enhanced. Stand high among the social elites. Sudden source of income earned from Bank or landed property. Some controversies or disputes at the home front. Confronted with open enemy activity. Not a propitious phase to invest on speculative deals. Take care of your health.

AQUARIUS (Kumba) - Jupiter transits in lagna expected by Saturn in 7th. Finances keeping high and stable. Receive cooperation from your children. Engaged successfully in philanthropic programmes. Family income gets enhanced. Bank assets improved. This is a favourable period for entrepreneurs to make headway in business programmes. Prospective period if engaged in share market. Stand high with the elites. Airy ailment likely.

PISCES (Meena) - Mars and exalted Venus in lagna with Jupiter posited in 12th. Change of profession or long trip to attend a course in overseas employment may become a reality. Family income and status gets well recognised. Become highly sympathetic towards the needy. Marital confirmation to a younger sibling. Good phase for those involved in international media work with foreign involvements. Piles or bowel ailment likely.

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