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suggested by the above cartoon

ENACT ORBIT MADCAP LUXURY With each glass of wine they filled, money

NON SEQUITUR by Wiley



BLONDIE by Dean Young and John Marshall





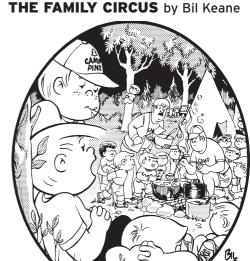


SO IT WAS

CONVERSATION.

"If I want to send a megsage in a bottle, how many stamps do I need to put on it $2^{\prime\prime}$

DENNIS THE MENACE by Hank Ketcham



"I shoulda brought my mom's microwave oven — it's faster!"

HI & LOIS by Chance Browne





RETURN

HAGAR THE HORRIBLE by Chris Browne





House calls; colon cancer screening test

Q: My 85-year-old aunt cannot get to her doctor's appointments unless we drive around 50 miles to take her, and that isn't always possible. I wish doctors made house calls these days! Is there any way to arrange that? — Emma S., Dayton, Ohio

one letter to each square to form four ordinary words

GAMIE

RAHHS

REPPOR

CRANEP

House-call programs are springing up all over the country, and they're saving Medicare and insurance companies a lot of money! For example, there's the Medicare and Medicaid program called Independence at Home. It started in 2014 and will be re-evaluated by Congress in 2017

Dr. Mike's Cleveland Clinic runs one of those innovative enormous. programs (there are 16 more), called Medical Care at Home. The Visiting Physician's continue to be funded and tering several of these pro- federal agencies (write your grams, and at last count, they operate in 15 states. You can get in touch with them by get in touch with them by aunt's area.



calling 877-HOUSECALL or going to www.visitingphysi cians.com. Besides bringing medical care to people who have a difficult time getting to the doctor's office or hospital, they're saving Medicare

around \$25 million a year. The advantages for elderly and house-bound patients are

sake, that these programs cancer, and they recommend

The Daily Crossword Edited by Wayne Robert Williams

and I'm dreading getting a colonoscopy and the prep. Do I really have to go through all that? – John W., Lexington, Kentucky

Prepping really is the toughest part, but once it's done correctly, colon cancer screening is incredibly effective.

In fact, colon cancer is highly preventable if the screen IDs intestinal polyps, which can take five to 10 years to become malignant, and your doctor removes them.

A brand-new United States Preventive Services Task Force report states that "substantially screening Let's hope, for everyone's reduces deaths" from colon screening start at 50 and conwhich may be why colon can-

Q: I just turned 50, cer is the second leading cause of cancer death in the U.S.

> colonoscopy, flexible sigmoidoscopy, computerized tomography (CT) colonography, prise that Bobby Fischer was the guaiac-based fecal occult likely relieved and even proud blood test, the fecal immuno- when he earned \$30,000 during chemical test, or FIT, and the the entire year before he became multi-targeted stool DNA test World Champion. that detects biomarkers asso-

and limitations.' dard — a colonoscopy. (If you money. pick another test, do it regularly; that's essential.)

Association also is adminis- supported by local, state and tinue as needed up to age 75. diet: Eat plenty of high-fiber Unfortunately, they found that foods, 100 percent whole thought he deserved — but not from your plate.

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by Shelby Lyman

Chess

Magnus Carlsen earned over 6 \$2 million last year. It was a fabu- 5 In the report, the task force lous amount, by all measures, also reviewed evidence on compared to the \$100 a world- 4 the effectiveness and risks of various screens, including lected for winning a very competitive weekend tournament in 2 New York in the '60s.

In that light, it is not a sur-

With his limited physical ciated with both precancer needs and the blessings of a ous lesions and cancer. They rent-controlled Brooklyn apartreported that the tests "have varying levels of evidence upporting their effectiveness" aggrieved by the flagrant earnsupporting their effectiveness, ings gap between other top as well as different strengths sportsmen and himself.

Notably, Bobby frequent-We say, go for the gold stan-ly talked about his desire for

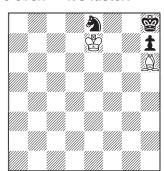
In part, though, it was a sham. His lifestyle was naturally one And adopt a gut-healthy of simplicity and frugality. He earn the money

chance to cash in on the value of the Fischer brand, he demurred, Scrabble Solution choosing instead to live in poverty and seclusion.

The gap that Fischer decried still exists in part.

This is a small matter for Carlsen — with his more than ample earning power — who like Fischer, incidentally, is absorbed with chess for its own sake.

But the ceiling is still too low for many other players — a



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notch or two below the top who after their prime years are dependent on teaching, personal appearances or writing books and articles for survival.

Below is a win by Sergei Zhigalko against Boruchovsky from the European Individual Tournament in Gjakova, Kosovo. Zhigalko Boruchovsky

1. e4	c6
2. d4	d5
3. e5	c5
4. dxc5	e6
5. Qg4	h5
6. Qf4	Ne7
7. Bd3	Nd7
8. Be3	Qa5ch
9. Nc3	Nxc5
10. Bxc5	Qxc5
11. Nf3	g6
12. Qf6	Rg8
13. Ng5	Rg7
14. O-O-O	Qb6
15. Bb5ch	Nc6
16. Rxd5	Bd7
17. Rd3	a6
18. R(h)d1	Black resign

SOLUTION TO **BEGINNER'S CORNER:** 1. Kf8! Nf6 2. Bg7 mate! (a study by Georgiev).

ACROSS 1 Baby's word

- Bridge seats 10 First victim
- Composer
- Khachaturian Fleece source
- 16 Unit of loudness
- 17 Prefix for gravure
- 18 Actress Bernhardt 19 Fiji's capital
- Microsoft man 20 22 Fundraisers
- Volcanic mountain 24
- on Ross Island
- 26 Burial garment 27 Familiarize
- 29 Solemn pledge 30 Grp. of gridders
- 33 One of the Ripkens
- 34 Leaky PA reactor 35 French pal 36 Full theater sign
- 37 Tolkien forest creature
- Give permission to 38 Notes of scales 39
- Gradually slower, in 40 mus.
- 41 Star Wars letters WWII zone 42
- 34th president "Little" Stowe girl 43
- 45 Tokyo banjos
- 48 Italian boats
- 50 Go by again
- Problem-solving rule ..thus __ the Lord" "Performance" director Nicolas
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 - 60 Neverland

Yesterday's Puzzle Solved														(
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ENCORE

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- 58 Greek letters
 - 62 63 pirate

DOWN

- Mrs. Homer Simpson
- 3 Dull, picture border
- 4 One-celled organism 5 Switchback
- curve 6 Hunter of Moby Dick
- ice among the crevasses of a glacier Stove-top
- whistlers Curvature

- 61 Sand rise Jovian satellite Canasta display Mach toppers 65 Pancake topping

66 Goes out with

- Clamorous
- 7 Pinnacles of
- measurement

- 10 Northeast Indian state
- Wide divided 11 thoroughfare 12 Added some poison
- If nothing else 13 Heir
- Musical half-steps 23 Brings into disrepute 25 When all is said and 28 done
- 30 Concerning 31 Featherbrained Right-angled
- triangle ratio Beatty/Hoffman movie flop of 1987
- Involuntary movements Venetian honchos Mann of music Upright stone

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Outbuildings Japanese ship name 59 Dig a trench

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ECKABBLE GRAMS SOLUTION								

BEETLE BAILEY by Mort Walker
I WANT A I WANT IT CHUNKY, PEANUT BUTTER WITH GRAPE JELLY, AND JELLY TRIMMED CRUST, CUT
AND JELLY TRIMMED CRUST, CUT SANDWICH SINTO QUARTERS, WHOLE GRAIN
GREGH HOINT WALKER
(A) (A)





Conceptis Sudoku

7	3						9	1
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Difficulty Level ★★★★

Sudoku is a number-placing puzzle based on a 9x9 grid with several given numbers. The object is to place the numbers 1 to 9 in the empty squares so that each row, each column and each 3x3 box contains the same number only once. The difficulty level of the Conceptis Sudoku increases from Monday to Sunday.

Yesterday's Puzzle Solved

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