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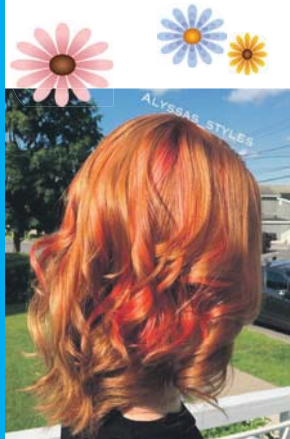
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The insect pest race is on!

Ladies and gentlemen, start your vacuums

by Noah Radliff

My wife and I have noticed an increased concern from our customers over produce and pesticides which is the reason why we have engaged in total transparency for our customers. We make it a point to tell them everything that we do to our produce. We are not certified organic and we are not your standard com-

mercial farm either. We are a hybrid of the two. We keep records of what pest control method is used and over the years have steered away from commercial pesticides. One little trick I tried for a while was going out at night with a flashlight and squishing slow-moving insects, but after 400 feet of squash and new mosquito bites every

night I had enough. The next was an idea I got from my brother while he was vacuuming up wasps from their nest.

A vacuum! I looked it up and it turned out to be a thing farmers do for pest control. For that season I was the odd guy in the garden with a vacuum. It was great and the customers loved it. For me, not using pesticides on

my farmstead means I am not using a blanket all-insect remover. I am trying to give the insect predators (such as the predatory stink bug, praying mantis, ladybug, wheel bug, assassin bug, spiders and tiger beetles) that may already be in the garden a chance to help aid me with pest removal.

There are many different types of vacuums that

you can use. I would suggest using a smaller vacuum, something lighter and a little easier to move. Keep in mind that these are vacuums that need a source of power. You can get a fairly nice priced corded vacuum cleaner that is small and will do the job. After you are done in the garden the vacuum will still be powerful enough to do other

cleaning jobs. There is another vacuum option that runs on the batteries from cordless tools. Almost every single name brand cordless power tool company has one of these vacuum options available.

A corded vacuum cleaner means that you have a lead cord to power it. I use a gas-powered generator. It is

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Herkimer College appoints Campus Safety Officer

HERKIMER – Herkimer College announces the appointment of Thomas Carinci Jr. to the position of Campus Safety Officer.

Carinci was most recently employed by the Village of Frankfort Police Department as a school resource officer. He has also worked as a patrolman for the City of Little Falls Police Department and as an armed security officer for Allied Universal in Syracuse. He is a certified firearms instructor with the National Rifle Association and the United States Concealed Carry Association.

Carinci is currently enrolled in the Pre-Employment Police Basic Training certificate program at Herkimer College.

(L - R) Nick Laino, Senior VP for Administration & Finance; Tim Rogers, director of campus safety; Thomas Carinci; Cathleen McColgin, president; and Marty Lupino, assistant director of campus safety.

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just something that I have on hand at my farmstead. It is heavy, and loud, but it gives me power. Lead cords can be pricey depending upon how long your rows are. My garden rows are 100 feet long each. That is plenty long enough for me when I am using the vacuum cleaner – so factor in row lengths when deciding.

The cordless vacuum cleaner is a great option for longer rows but the battery can only supply power for so long before you need to recharge it. The battery-powered vacuum cleaner in itself is

expensive depending upon which brand you are using. If you want longer run time the upgraded run time batteries or additional batteries can be expensive as well.

Using either vacuum cleaner option to remove insect pests from your garden means you spend less time manually squishing insects with your fingers and you can possibly forgo or stop the use of an organic or commercial pesticide, thus saving money. Keep in mind that the vacuuming method is used for the

larger insects such as squash bugs, tobacco hornworms, Japanese beetles, Colorado potato beetles and spotted or striped cucumber beetles – any of the larger insects that have made your plant their home and are steadfast on not leaving.

You may even catch yourself a vine borer moth. You will not be using this for aphids and more than likely it will not remove insect eggs. If you are not

careful you can accidentally vacuum parts of your plant away. Big leaves, flowers and even whole plants will find their way into the vacuum cleaner and if the infestation is too large then removing only the insects you see might not be enough.

Farmers are an ingenious lot and need to stay open to new ideas that might be odd at first but just might be the missing piece to the puzzle.

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Because ready-to-wear clothing is so readily available, the average

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the only instance in their lives when they require the services of a seamstress or tailor.

Fittings are a part of wedding planning, and here's how brides-to-be can navigate the process of finding and being fitted for a dress.

- Try on sample gowns. The first step is to make your rounds to various gown shops and try on the samples they have available. Most sample sizes will not be the size you wear every day, so expect them to be ill-fitting. Do not be discouraged. Once a gown is chosen, the dress shop will take your measurements and order the gown according to the manufacturer's sizing guide. Again, this can be shocking, since the size will likely be larger than what you wear in street clothes. Some shops will also order a little larger to allow for adequate tailoring.
- Schedule the first fit-

ting. The first fitting should be anywhere from eight to 12 weeks before the wedding date, according to experts at WeddingWire, an online wedding information provider. This is the time it takes to complete most standard alterations. Complex customizations can take even longer. Brides should also budget a minimum of \$500 for alterations, which may or may not be included in the price of the dress.

- Bring shoes and undergarments. Remember to bring along the exact shoes and undergarments you will wear with your gown. A change in shoes or bra/corset can result in the alterations fitting poorly the next time. Bring these items along to all subsequent fittings.

- Speak up. Martha Stewart Weddings suggests speaking up at fittings if anything is uncomfortable or needs tweaking. Seamstresses are masters at their crafts, but only if they understand the desires of the bride.

- Check the details. The second fitting is designed to check that all issues from the first fitting have been addressed, the gown is comfortable and you can move freely. At the last fitting, ask the maid of honor to come along so that she understands how to bustle or help you handle complicated straps or closures.

To Your Good Health

by Keith Roach, M.D.

Workout supplements are sum of their parts

Dear Dr. Roach: My son, in his mid-20s, uses a pre-workout energy supplement to which I am opposed. Can you tell me if this is harmful so that I can show him scientific research and your educated and medically sound response?

The supplement he uses contains alanine 1 g, creatine 1 g, arginine 1 g, tyrosine and velvet bean seed extract. It also contains 150 mg caffeine. — B.G.

Answer: It's not always easy to tell what supplements are safe or effective for the condition they are marketed for, and the information available through a web search often is biased. One place I start to get information is Medline Plus (www.nlm.nih.gov/medlineplus/), which has reliable information about many supplements, but you often have to search individually.

In this case, alanine, arginine and tyrosine all are amino acids. These are the building blocks for proteins, and are safe in reasonable amounts. Creatine is generally safe for adults, and has been shown modestly effective at helping improve strength in young male weightlifters. One gram is a fairly low dose and is generally considered safe. The 150 mg of caffeine is about the same as a cup of strong coffee.

Velvet bean seed extract I had to look up. It has been used both as a food crop and in traditional medicines. It has toxicity at high doses, but at the dose in the supplement, it should be safe.

In summary, I think this supplement is not likely to be harmful if taken in recommended doses, and it might have some small benefit. There is nothing in the supplement that cannot be obtained easily and cheaply from food, apart from the velvet bean, which I think has the least proof of benefit of all the components of

the supplement.

Dear Dr. Roach: I am 49 years old and in good health. I recently was told by my doctor that what was first diagnosed as a swollen lymph is actually a condition called carotidynia. Can you please publish some information about this condition and what I can expect? Sometimes it is worse than at other times, but it never really goes away. I would not consider it painful; it is just uncomfortable, and when severe, it radiates up into my ear and down into my chest. — S.W.

Answer: Carotidynia (literally, "pain in the carotid artery") can come from several distinct causes, some of which are catastrophic, such as a carotid artery dissection, which is a tearing of the lining of the artery. In some cases, carotidynia may be a form of migraine. After surgery or angioplasty to the carotid artery, one also can get pain that comes from the carotid itself.

In the case of no other cause being identified, the condition is sometimes called idiopathic (which simply means "of unknown cause") carotidynia, and some, but not all, experts think this condition comes from a type of inflammation around the artery, which can sometimes be seen on CT or MRI scan.

Idiopathic carotidynia is usually treated with anti-inflammatory medicines — ibuprofen, or prednisone in more severe cases. Most cases respond quickly, in a few days or up to a few weeks. However, I want to emphasize the need to thoroughly search for other concerning causes of neck pain.

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Herkimer College to host annual career fair

HERKIMER – Herkimer College will host its annual Career Fair on Wednesday, March 27 from 1 - 3 p.m. in the Robert McLaughlin College Center.

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Mon. April 22nd – Normal Monday Sale & Monthly Organic Day

Mon. April 29th – Normal Monday Sale & Our Spring Beef Turnout Sale – Call now to advertise your group. We are doing a Monday sale because of our sale schedule. We will start taking animals in on Sat. the 27th anything that needs to be preg. Checked we would like to have here by Sunday 11AM.

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This bad boy may look like a medieval torture device, but I promise you it is not. It's actually a very handy tool for making a very tasty treat.

This large cylinder with all the spikes poking through it was used many years ago to cut cheese curds.

Curds are a dairy product made by coagulating milk. The coagulation can be caused by adding rennet or any edible acidic substance (like lemon juice or vinegar) to milk and then allowing it to change into a semi-solid form. The increased acidity causes the milk proteins (called casein) to tangle into solid masses – the curds.

Milk that has been left to sour (such as raw milk by itself or pasteurized milk with added lactic acid bacteria) will also naturally produce curds, and sour milk cheese such as Harzer is produced this way.

Producing cheese curds is one of the first steps in cheesemaking. After the milk clots it is cut into cubes – something this whatchamacallit would have done quickly and easily with large amounts of dairy product. The result is a mixture of whey

and curd. This mixture is then cooked and pressed to release the whey from the curd, creating the final product of cheese curd.

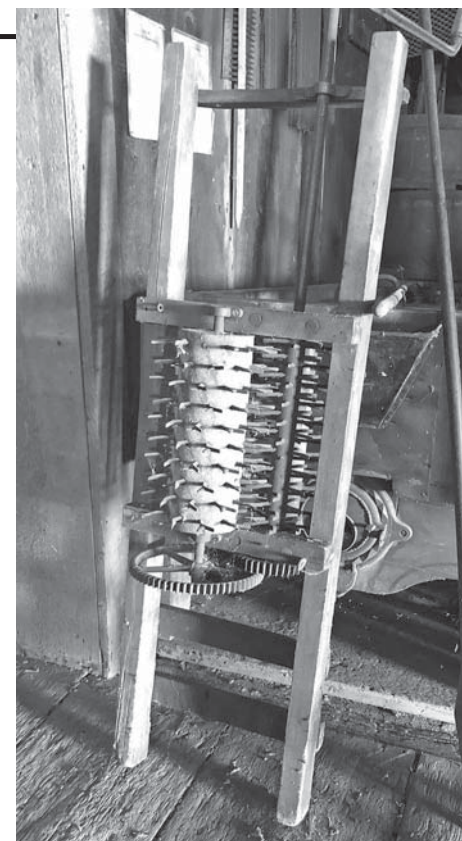
The curds are pressed and drained to varying amounts for different styles of cheese, and different secondary agents (molds for blue cheeses, etc.) are introduced before the desired aging finishes the cheese. The remaining liquid, which contains only whey proteins, is the whey. In cow milk, 90 percent of the proteins are caseins.

Cheese curds tend to be eaten as a snack or used for other things. According to one source, the dairy treat is chiefly found in the region around Quebec, Canada, in poutine (made of French fries topped with cheese curds and gravy) and in the Northeast and Midwest of the United States. Because of the noise the moist cheese makes, curds are sometimes referred to as "squeaky cheese."

Curd products vary by region and include cottage cheese, curd cheese (curdled by bacteria or rennet), farmer cheese, pot cheese, queso blanco and paneer. Whatever they're called, they're usually delicious.

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Time to replace old wiring?

Old homes can be charming and contain architectural elements not often seen in many modern housing developments. But what older homes may have in design appeal, they may lack in updated features.

While cosmetic changes are not necessarily difficult, one area of concern in historic homes — and sometimes even in houses built 40 or 50 years ago — is archaic wiring. Wiring provides power to every room of the home. In today's electronics-driven society, electricity that works is an essential component of daily life.

Over time, wiring can be compromised through simple aging, pest infiltration, weather, or other conditions. Deteriorated wiring can present a shock hazard and also a serious fire hazard, warn the home renovation experts at The Spruce. Furthermore, the home improvement site This Old House advises that the amperage of old wiring may not be able to meet the needs of the devices used in homes — overpowering the circuits. This can cause breaker blowouts and other problems, such as overheated wires that may spark and

cause fires from within the wall.

Wiring often falls into the “out of sight, out of mind” category. Homeowners may make allowances for inadequate electrical systems, such as running extension cords or using multiplug connectors to increase their wiring capacity. However, they may not be diligently keeping on top of upgrades needed to stay safe. Confirming that a home's electrical system is safe is a necessary part of home maintenance.

For those who haven't already done so, schedule an inspection with a li-

censed electrician to go over the home's wiring. He or she can determine if any areas pose a safety risk and/or do not conform to local code requirements and the National Electrical Code. Failure to meet code can lead to difficulty obtaining permits to make other home renovations, or difficulty selling a home later on.

The electrician can also go over improvements that can improve safety and function. Additional outlets, including GFCI outlets in kitchens and bathrooms, may be part of the plan, as well as

rewiring a fuse box or circuit panel to allow for better flow of power around the house. Frayed wiring or underinsulated wiring also may need to be replaced.

Owners of old homes should recognize possible electrical system dangers

that require attention. Plus, considering electrical codes change quite frequently, it is always in a homeowner's best interest to work with a qualified electrician to keep wiring inspected and up to date.



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MVP Health Care lead sponsor of VRS' Senior Health & Wellness Fair

VRS' Senior Health & Wellness Fair: Boardwalk to Better Health

HERKIMER – Valley Residential Services (VRS) will host its annual senior health and wellness fair, Boardwalk To Better Health, on Thursday, April 25 from 10 a.m. - 2 p.m. at Herkimer College's Robert McLaughlin College Center in Herkimer.

"We are thrilled to announce MVP Health Care as the lead sponsor," stated Lisa M. Betrus, president of Valley Health Services and VRS.

MVP is a nationally recognized, regional not-for-profit health plan provider that is committed to having a positive impact on the health and wellness of those they

serve. They care for over 700,000 members across New York State and Vermont. Their contribution to Valley Health Services and VRS is impactful and an excellent opportunity for attendees to learn about the services they provide.

The Boardwalk To Better Health event will have a plethora of resources available for senior citizens who may be contemplating downsizing or who wish to remain independent in their own home, as well as information on estate and gift planning, assisted and enriched housing, safety and security, physical health,

Medicaid or Medicare and many other areas of interest.

This event sponsored by VRS will include an exhibitors' showcase with a broad range of products and/or services important to senior citizens as well as speakers and presentations throughout the day. The event is free and open to the public.

If your business is interested in exhibiting your products or services, contact the office of Community Relations and Fund Development at 315.866.3330 ext. 2329 for more information.

Spay-ghetti dinner set for April 6

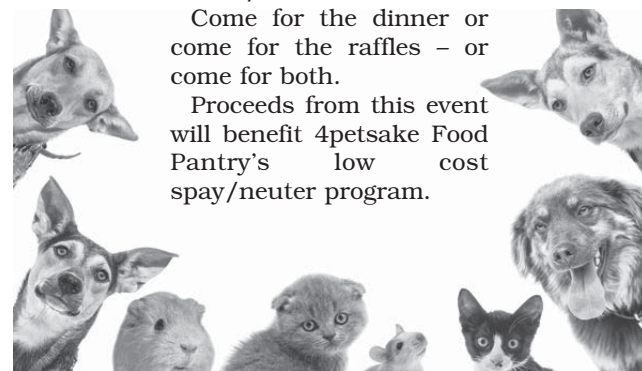
The 4petsake Food Pantry's 5th Annual Spay-Ghetti Dinner & Chinese Auction will be held on Saturday, April 6 from 3 - 6 p.m. at the Mohawk Legion, 43 Main St., Mohawk. Dinner includes spaghetti, meatballs, salad, roll, beverage and dessert. Adults are \$8, children \$6. Children under five are admitted free. Eat in or take out! Bring the kids and your camera to meet the costumed characters and the Easter Bunny.

A huge Chinese auction will also be offered with a variety of items, gift cards and baskets. Take part in

the 50/50 raffle as well.

Come for the dinner or come for the raffles – or come for both.

Proceeds from this event will benefit 4petsake Food Pantry's low cost spay/neuter program.



Calendar of events

NOTE: Calendar items must be submitted by Tuesday prior to the publication date to be included in the Calendar of Events. Entries may be emailed to cfeditor@leepub.com

Mar 22

office at 315.867.2098.

Herkimer BOCES 2019-2020 pre-kindergarten registration date.

8 a.m. to 3 p.m. At the Owen D. Young school. Questions? Contact Herkimer BOCES at 315.867.2098.

Mar 23

Soup and Sandwich Luncheon. 11 a.m. - 1 p.m. At the Morning Star Church, 4224 Acme Rd., Frankfort. Cost is \$5. Eat in or take out.

Register by Mar 23

Easter Egg Hunt registration due March 23. Event will be at 11 a.m. on April 13. Mohawk Homestead, 62 East Main St., Mohawk. Ages: 3 Yrs.- 9 Yrs. Limit 50 Children. RSVP - lisa@mohawkhomestead.com.

Mar 24

Preemie fashion show returns to Twin Ponds. Registration beginning 10:30 a.m., brunch at 11 a.m., and the fashion show kicking off at noon. At Twin Ponds Golf & Country Club, 169 Main St., New York Mills. Prices are \$14 per adult, children ages 4 - 10 are \$8 and kids 3 and under are free. To register your child for the fashion show, to reserve tickets or for questions call Laurie Farrell at 315.720.4078 or email lfarrell@marchofdimes.org.

Mar 27

Herkimer College Annual Career Fair. 1 - 3 p.m. In the Robert McLaughlin College Center. Participants are encouraged to wear business attire and bring resumes. For more information and a list of participating employers, visit www.herkimer.edu/career or contact Herkimer College's Career Services at 315.574.4031.

Herkimer BOCES 2019-2020 pre-kindergarten registration date.

9 a.m. - 2 p.m. At the Herkimer Elementary School. Anyone with questions is asked to contact the Herkimer BOCES prekindergarten

Mar 28

Fall Prevention For Seniors. At 12n located at Little Falls Hospital's, conference room A. Seat are limited, please reserve your space by calling the community relations department at 315.823.5326.

2019 rabies vaccination clinic. 5:30-7 p.m. At East Herkimer Fire Department, 193 Main Rd. East Herkimer. To pre-register for a clinic please call 315.867.1176.

Mar 29

Kateri's Thrift Store. Store hours: Tuesday through Friday from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. At Little Falls Community Center, 45 Furnace Street in Little Falls. Donations of gently used clothing and household items can be dropped off at the store during regular business hours, Tuesday through Friday. If you would like to become a part of the Kateri's Team, please contact Sue at 315.823.1793 or Rae at 315.894.9917.

Macaroni & Cheese Dinner. 5 p.m. until sold out. Herkimer Reformed Church, 102 Church St., Herkimer. \$10 adults, \$5 child, \$25 for a family. Benefits School's Out Child Care Program. Also basket and 50/50 raffles. Call 315.219.2775 for more info.

Mar 30

Pancake Breakfast With The Easter Bunny. 8:30 a.m. - 11 a.m. Emmanuel Episcopal Church, 588 Albany St., Little Falls. Includes: pancakes, eggs, home fried potatoes, bacon sausage, juice, coffee. Adults \$7. Children under 12, \$5. Proceeds benefit Boy Scouts Troop 31.

Applications available

5th Stratford seniors annual craft fair applications available. Vendor applications are available

for the 5th Stratford seniors annual craft fair at Stratford community Hall on July 20, 2019. Booth spaces are \$20 inside \$15 outside. For applications and more information contact Caroline Drake at 315.360.7582 or email caroline-drake1947@gmail.com.

Apr 6

4petsake Food Pantry's 5th Annual Spay-Ghetti Dinner & Chinese Auction. 3 - 6 p.m. At the Mohawk Legion, 43 Main Street, Mohawk. Dinner includes spaghetti, meatballs, salad, roll, beverage and dessert. Adults \$8. Children \$6. Under 5 free. Eat in or take out! Bring the kids and your camera to meet the costumed characters and the Easter Bunny. Chinese Auction. 50/50 Raffle. Proceeds benefit 4petsake Food Pantry's low cost spay/neuter program. Any questions? Contact: Julie Rotondo at 315.801.9149.

Morning Star Church Mystery Dinner Theater: "Murder by the Book". 5 p.m. At the Morning Star United Methodist Church, 36 Second St., Ilion. The advance sale Roast Pork Dinner and Show tickets at \$20 are available by calling Barb Horwald 315.894.4520 or the church office 315.894.4093 Monday through Wednesday 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Herkimer College Spring Open House. 10 a.m. to 12 p.m. Herkimer College, 100 Reservoir Rd, Herkimer. Registration is available online at www.herkimer.edu/open-house. Walk-ins are also welcome. For more information, contact the Admissions Office at 315.574.4028 or email admissions@herkimer.edu.

Apr 7

VRS Open Houses. Apr 7 19. 1 p.m. - 3 p.m. Valley Residential Services is welcoming new residents to the enriched housing facility located at 323 Pine Grove Road, Herkimer. For more information or to RSVP to any of the Open House dates, please contact Christine Shephardson, Director of Community Life, at 315.219.5700 extension 3239.

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Fall prevention for seniors

Little Falls Hospital Lunch & Learn Series

LITTLE FALLS – Herkimer County Office of the Aging and Little Falls Hospital Rehabilitation Department are hosting an upcoming falls prevention seminar on March 28 at noon located at Little Falls Hospital's Conference Room A.

Falls are a leading cause of injury for people aged 65 and older, but falls are not an inevitable part of aging and there

are proven ways to prevent them. At the falls prevention seminar, you will learn four major ways to reduce falling, how some medications increase the risk of falls and evidence-based programs to prevent falls: Matter of Balance and the art of Tai Chi.

Seats are limited, so reserve your space by calling the community relations department at 315.823.5326.

by JoAnn Derson

• “I use those individually packaged (usually 30 or 50 per box) eyeglass lens wipes to clean my glasses, and before they dry out, I use them to wipe down the touchpad on my microwave and stove. I use them to wipe down my phone screen too.” – J.F. in Washington

• Still getting your groceries in plastic bags? Make sure you are recycling them. To make it easy, simply gather all your bags when you put away your purchases and put them in your trunk. The next time you shop, drop them off in

Now Here's A Tip

the appropriate container at the store. Never put plastic bags in your curbside recycling bin.

• When replacing the box of baking soda from your fridge, dump the old one into your kitchen drain and follow with a couple cups of white vinegar. After a few minutes, flush the drain with hot water to leave it clean and smelling fresh.

• Is your silverware collection hanging around tarnishing? Here's a great tip from a friend up north: “Ketchup will polish silver.” – C.I. in Minnesota

• “If you accidentally spill water on a book, separate the pages with pieces of wax paper. Then close the book. As it dries, the wax paper wicks moisture and prevents wrinkles. Also, wax paper is microwave safe and allows moisture to escape, so food doesn't get soggy.” – A.W. in Idaho

• Help prevent your socks from getting fuzzballs in the dryer by turning them inside out before washing, according to M. from Saskatchewan, Canada.

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Strange But True

by **Samantha Weaver**

• It was 20th century American author and futurist Robert Anton Wilson who made the following sage observation: "Only the madman is absolutely sure."

• Lightning isn't solely a phenomenon of Earth: Astronomers have noted lightning bolts on Jupiter, Saturn, Uranus and Venus.

• Historians say that

Russia's Peter the Great was nearly seven feet tall.

• Athletes playing baseball on steroids have been in the news in recent years, but drugs are nothing new in America's national sport. During the late 1960s and '70s, Dock Ellis was a valued pitcher who played for several teams, including the Pittsburgh Pirates. On June 12, 1970, Ellis took LSD, thinking it was

an off day for his team. By the time he realized that the Pirates were scheduled to play the San Diego Padres that evening, it was too late. The drug proved to have no ill effect on Ellis; in fact, he pitched a no-hitter. When he recounted the event to a reporter 12 years later, he said he remembered only bits and pieces of the game, though he felt euphoric.

Many years later, after being treated for addiction, Ellis became a coordinator for an anti-drug program in California.

• A woman in Tennessee was once arrested for biking while intoxicated – and she was on a stationary bike at the gym at the time.

• A newspaper reporter once asked Gen. Charles de Gaulle, leader of the Free French Forces dur-

ing World War II and later president of the French Fifth Republic, if he was happy. De Gaulle replied, "What do you take me for, an idiot?"

Thought for the Day: "Before you become a

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31st Annual Poland Science Fair

by Daniel Baldwin

The Poland Central School District hosted its 31st annual Science Fair at the Trzepacz Gym on March 7. Students from the 7th to 12th grade had to come up with a question that they come across in everyday life, and use the scientific method to try and find their answer. In other words, they would have to ask the question, predict the answer to that question (a hypothesis), perform the experiment, come up with a conclusion, and see if the experiment results align with their hypothesis.

All the students at this school had to do this scientific practice, as it counted towards their final grade, but only a few students were selected to perform and display their experiment at the fair.

"Every single one of our science students in grades 7 through 12 have

to create a project," Jessica Meyers, the school's field biology teacher and science fair coordinator, said. "Then the (school's) science department judges determine who is eligible for the fair. There are 82 projects here today, but there were some that just didn't make it into the fair."

Twenty-four students had the chance to claim first prize in their grade and category, according to Meyers. They even received a little prize money.

"The students are organized by junior and senior levels," Meyers said. "Juniors are grade seven through nine and our seniors are grades 10 through 12, and then they are put into categories of natural science, physical science, and then math and technology. From those categories you have a 1st through 4th place winner in each category, so that ends up being 24 winners,

and then a lot of our students go on to the Utica College Regional Science Fair as well."

In order to win, the students had to rely heavily on the scientific method, be creative, and excel their presentation.

"They (judges) look at the scientific method," earth science teacher Kevin Ford said, "how well did they stick to the method, neatness, creativity, presentation, and all of that together gives us a winner."

According to Ford, a majority of the students did put their creative minds into these projects.



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31ST from 12 ————— “Every year is different,” Ford said. “The students create projects that are

new and unique. They always take a different take on it.”



Sam Walther was one of the 82 students who were selected to present their experiments at this year's fair.

Poland sophomore Kayden Lamphere wanted to find the amount of physical iron that is in each brand of cereal.

“I used a blender to mush up the cereal,” Lamphere said. “I put the magnets into the mixture, and then I magnetize all the iron to it. I wanted to do the project because one of my friends is anemic, so he needs to know the amount of iron in cereals is exactly what they say it is. The process was fairly easy. It's just

the experiment took a little bit of time.”

Freshman Trista Houghtaling collected different types of insulation and tried to find out which one absorbed heat the most.

“It helps in people's everyday lives,” Houghtaling said. “It can help to prevent fires in your home, and save you money. There are a lot of steps, but it was kind of fun. You put the insulation in a flame retardant container, and then you

get to test it and see which one is the best.”

Eighth grader Sam Walther wanted to find the best way to preserve apples and prevent them from rotting.

“My project is about preserving apples,” Walther said, “and seeing which method preserves apples better. Kids don't want a rotten apple in their lunch. I have certain methods to preserve apples, and I tested it and

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Sophomore Kayden Lamphere found the actual amount of physical iron that is in each brand of cereal.

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see which ones did better. You need very acidic things to preserve an apple because when the oxygen hits it, it immediately starts to brown."

As for the history behind this fair, Ed Rosenburgh was the one who brought this science contest to the Poland School District in 1988, according to the Poland chemistry and physics teacher Barry Smith.

"Ed Rosenburgh came up from Kennedy L. Middle School in Utica," Smith said. "He had done a science fair

there for a few years, and when he came here, he started one up. He made it fit the model of our school, and the community and school have supported it ever since."

Ford said the rules format of this science fair has always stayed the same, but what the students present and conduct, in their projects, is always different.

"I've been a science teacher here for 13 years," Ford said, "and you always think you've seen everything. But even after 13 years, you're still getting new projects. So while the format of the fair is the same, what is presented is always different."



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Finding time for hobbies can be difficult. Commitments to work and family take up the bulk of many people's free time, making it hard to squeeze in a fa-

vorite hobby. But hobbies can benefit people in some interesting ways. Understanding those hidden benefits may compel some people to make

more time for their favorite downtime activities.

• Hobbies can improve your efficiency. Penciling more activities into your day planner may not

seem like something that will help you create more time for hobbies, but it just might. For example, if you know you have a softball game or choir practice at night, then you might waste less time surfing the internet or talking around the water cooler during the workday. In a 2017 study conducted for the staffing firm OfficeTeam, researchers found that the average office employee spends about five hours per week on his or her mobile phone doing things that have nothing



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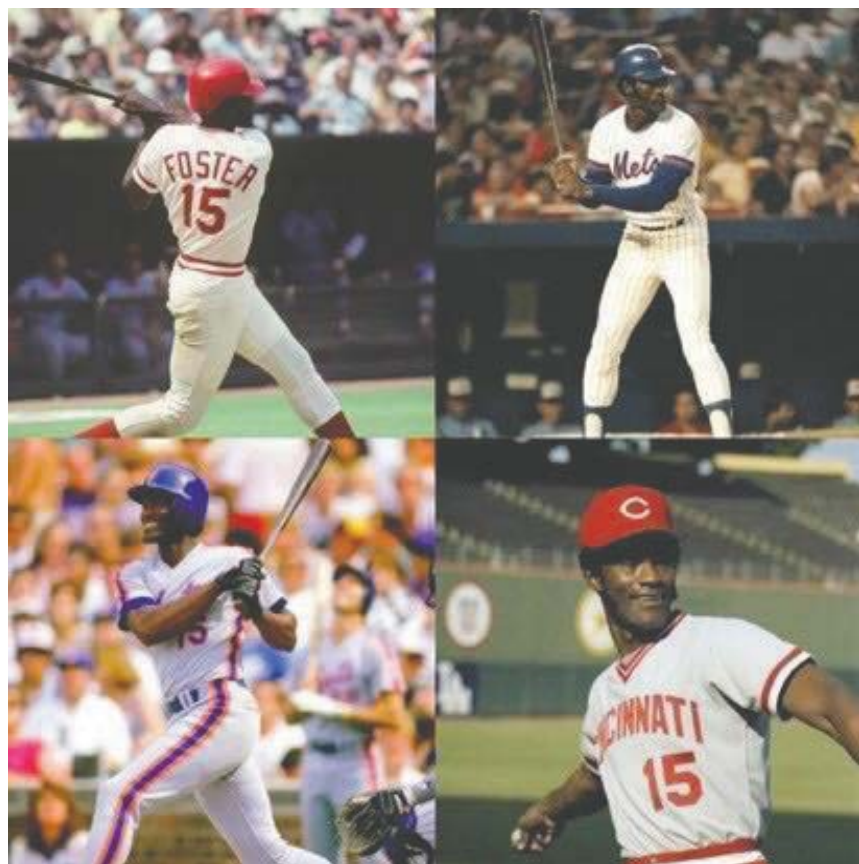
working, opening up more time for hobbies before or after work.

• Hobbies can foster social connections. In his 2000 book, "Bowling Alone," political scientist Robert Putnam described a reduction in in-person socializing that once enriched Americans' social lives. By making more time for hobbies, particularly those that promote interaction with other adults, men and women can foster social connections that otherwise might never blossom.

• Hobbies can provide health benefits. The American Institute of Stress notes that some hobbies can help people reduce their stress. The AIS notes that some 56 million women in the United States now knit or crochet. That marks a 51 percent increase over the last decade. That revival is attributed to the stress-reducing properties of knitting and crocheting. Men and women coping with stress need not learn how to wield a sewing needle to alleviate their stress. Activities that promote slowing down and induce a relaxation response similar to knitting and crocheting can be equally beneficial.

• Hobbies can increase quality time with your children. Parents with hobbies can double dip, using the time they would ordinarily spend with their children to teach them some of their favorite hobbies. Take kids along when you go fishing or teach them how to plant flowers and tend to a garden. This is a great way to increase quality time with your children while also affording you a chance to continue engaging in your favorite hobbies.

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Former National League MVP and "Big Red Machine" slugger George Foster is set to speak at the Mohawk Valley Baseball Hall of Fame Dinner on April 12, 2019 at the Travelodge in Little Falls.

Foster, a 2003 Inductee of the Cincinnati Red Hall of Fame, spent 18 years in Major League Baseball eventually becoming one of the most feared sluggers in the game. He was a key cog in the Reds' 1975 and 1976 World Championships and in 1977 was named the top player in all of the National League when he batted .320 with a league-leading 52 home runs, 149 runs batted in and 124 runs scored.

"We are ecstatic to welcome another World Champion to our esteemed lineup of special guests," said DiamondDawgs' Owner and President of the Mohawk Valley Baseball Hall of Fame, Travis Heiser. "The fact that George also has a connection to the New York Mets is like icing on the cake for our fans who have a longtime connection to the Mets."

Foster led the National League in home runs in 1977 & 1978 and RBIs in 1976, 1977 & 1978. He won aa Silver Slugger Award in 1981 and was named to 5 All-Star teams.

Drafted by the San Francisco Giants in 1968, Foster made his debut in 1969. When the 20-year old reached

the majors, he played alongside Willie Mays, Bobby Bonds and Ken Henderson. In 1971, the Giants traded Foster to the Cincinnati Reds.

After 11 years with the Reds, Foster was traded to the New York Mets, where he played from 1982 to 1986. Foster finished his 18 year career in 1986 with the Chicago White Sox.

"George brings a voluminous amount of history to the dinner this year," added Heiser. "We once again have a monumental figure in the history of our game to come and help us welcome the newest members of our Hall of Fame and to kick off our 2019 season!"

In 18 years, Foster had played in 1,977 games, had a lifetime average of .274, belted 348 home runs and drove in 1,239 runs.

The inductees into the 2019 Mohawk Valley Baseball Hall of Fame include Bud Fowler, Jim LaFountain and Joe Milazzo. into.

The event's doors will open on April 12, at 5:30 P.M. for cocktails, autographs and silent auction with dinner and program following.

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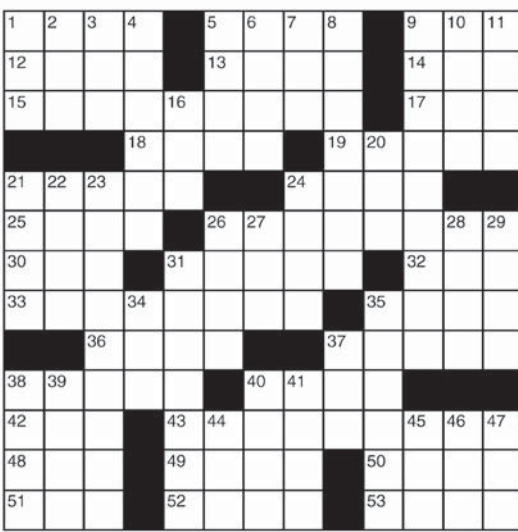
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12 Verve
13 Horseback game
14 Tokyo's old name
15 Chamber of the heart
17 Born
18 Good-looking guy
19 Bandleader
21 Lucky roll of the dice
24 Arrived
25 Thing
26 Pots and pans and such



- 49 Cupid's alias
50 Family
51 — and don'ts
52 Transmitted
53 TV award
7 Every last bit
8 Cornmeal creation
9 With a — (forcefully)
10 Concept
11 Bard
16 Scoot
20 Coal diggers' org.
21 Bro and sis
22 Needle case
23 Feuds
24 Hit on the head
26 Burn some-what
27 Lubricant
28 Bellow
29 Blunders
31 Dozens
34 First lady
35 Lead astray
37 Namely (Abbr.)
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47 Whatever number

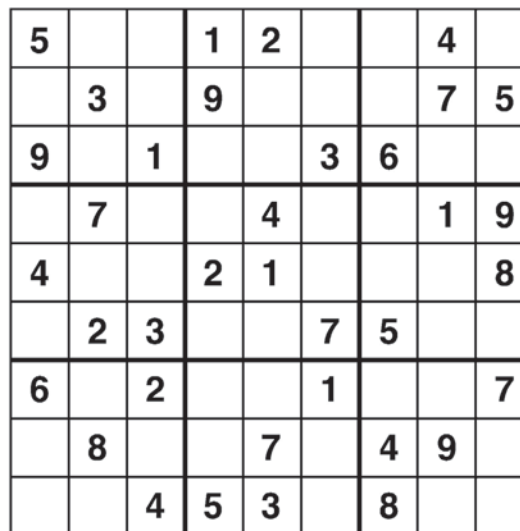
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2 Brewery product
3 One of the Brady Bunch
4 Country song?
5 Rotate
6 Pawn

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Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle



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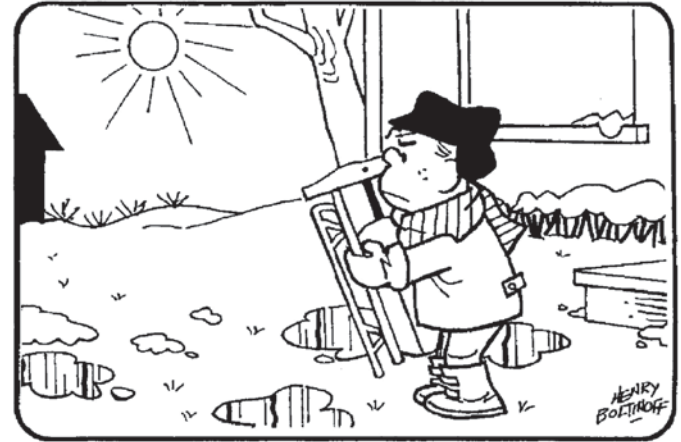
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BY HENRY BOLTINOFF



Find at least six differences in details between panels.



Differences: 1. Scarf is different. 2. Boots are higher. 3. Small shed is wider. 4. Puddle near sled is missing. 5. Snow is gone from window ledge. 6. Bush on left has been moved.

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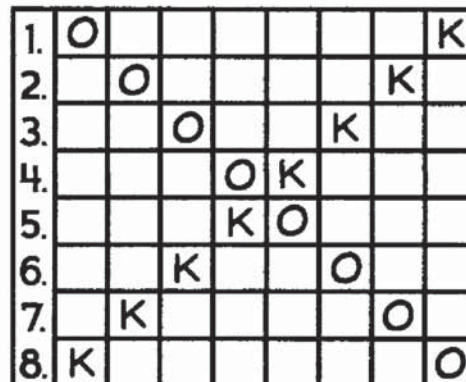
1. How many peas in a pint?
2. Why is a battleship like a star?
3. What well-known animal drives a car?
4. Why is a crash of thunder like a jeweler?
5. Why is a hat on the head like a bucket full of water?



Answers: 1. One P. 2. Both contain T, A, R, S. 3. The road hog. 4. Because both make the ear ring. 5. Because they are both filled to the brim.

Junior Whirl

by Charles Barry Townsend



FIND THE BIG WORDS!

It's not OK to be KO'd by this puzzle! Using the definitions and the anagrams below, find the eight, eight-letter words that fit into the framework pictured on the left. For each definition, the letters in the two anagram words must be unscrambled and used to form the word asked for.

DEFINITIONS:

1. A sudden eruption.
2. Type of shared meal.
3. Incited to anger.
4. More frightening.
5. An easy win.
6. Type of tests.
7. Supporting framework.
8. North American Indian tribe

ANAGRAM:

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puts + lock
pork + dove
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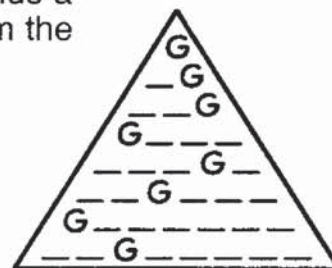


DON'T SCRUB OUT ON THIS ONE! In this back-to-school wardrobe problem, you must replace the letters on the board with the digits 0 through 9 so that you have a correct addition problem. The same letters get the same digits.

One Answer: W=4, A=2, S=9, H=1, N=3, D=7, E=5, R=8, (4291 + 237 = 4528.)

THE "G" PYRAMID! As you move down the word pyramid shown, each word contains the same letters as the word above it, plus a new letter. We give you all the G's. Here are some hints from the top down:

1. Slang for \$1,000 (given).
2. Inspector general.
3. To fit with sails.
4. A facial expression.
5. What a king does.
6. To get back again.
7. A family member.
8. Provoking, displeasing.



Answers: The words are g, Ig, ng, grin, reign, regain, granie, angering.

Answers: 1. Outbreak. 2. Potlucks. 3. Provoked. 4. Spookier. 5. Walkover. 6. Inkblots. 7. Skeleton. 8. Kickapoo.



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Savannah Sommer job shadows at VHS

*CVA student participates
in job shadow with VHS Diet Techs*

HERKIMER – Valley Health Services welcomed Central Valley Academy (CVA) student Savannah Sommer for a job shadow program on Thursday, Feb. 7 with Diet Technicians Carolyn Kline and Erin Marchefka.

Sommer is a junior at CVA in Ilion, where she is beginning to contemplate her academic plans after high school. She is pursuing University of Albany with a major in Pre-Health and hoping to play on the university's basketball team. Sommer is a varsity basketball player at CVA.

Sommer says her ultimate professional career goal is to work in the area of nutrition and sports – possibly serving as a nutritionist for a sports team. She states, "I have always taken care of myself with respect to fitness and nutrition, and enjoy doing research on trends in the field of nutrition." Working with the geriatric population is another area of interest. Sommer indicates that her father works for St. Luke's Nursing Home in New Hartford.

Kline and Marchefka provided a full day of

professional on-the-job shadow experience for Sommer. Her day started out in Care Conference, which is a quarterly meeting to discuss residents and their health progress. Care Conference involves professionals throughout VHS serving in the areas of nursing, dietary quality assurance, rehabilitative therapies and activities department. From there, Kline and Marchefka provided a tour of the VHS facilities and a discussion of the various roles of the professionals on site as well as giving Sommer the opportunity to meet and interact with some of the residents.

Sommer resides in Mohawk with her parents John and Tracy Sommer and her sister Kaylee.

VHS welcomed Central Valley Academy student Savannah Sommer (left) for a job shadow program with Diet Technician Carolyn Kline.

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Kovels: Antiques and Collecting

by Terry and Kim Kovel
Irish Leprechaun
Nodder

Bobble heads are popular today as sports collectibles. Most baseball teams offer souvenir bobble-head dolls at some of the games during the season, but today's dolls are made of slick plastic and usually are wearing fabric uniforms. Early toy bobble heads were made of painted papier-mache. The head bobs up and down because it is attached to a long-weighted neck that's suspended in the neck's hole. It is balanced on a narrow metal rod that swings back and forth,

making the head move. The idea came from 18th-century porcelain figurines that had moving heads and hands. The major German porcelain factories made complicated nodders. One was a group of four women drinking tea while their heads and hands moved. Another was a 20th-century figure of a woman seated in front of a typewriter. Her hands moved up and down as she typed. This bobble-head figure in a lime-green suit and hat is a 5-inch-tall, smiling Irish Leprechaun nodder. It was made in

Germany of a composition material; his glass eye is winking. He's a charming fellow, but St. Patrick's Day collectibles are not as popular as those for Halloween or Christmas, and there were fewer bids. The buyer paid only \$59. Q: Is it true that furniture from the U.S. House of Representatives is sometimes sold at auction? Who owns the chair used by each elected official? A: For many years, there were few rules about the furniture that belonged to the government in the Congressional buildings, the White House or other Federal buildings. It is said that President Lincoln's wife sold some of the furnishings because she needed money to live on, as there was no pension for the wife of a president. Now there are pages of instructions about buying and selling official furnishings. Most pieces have to be paid for by the elected official according to a written schedule.

We have seen several Victorian chairs from the House of Representatives sold. They were made in 1857 by a famous New York firm, Bembe & Kimbel. They featured three stars carved on the chair crest, and carved oak branches representing longevity and laurel for victory on the arms and legs. In 2008, a chair sold for about \$19,000. Recent prices Wooden pie crimper, pastry wheel, shaped turned handle with ball finial, "France" etched on handle, 1960s, \$15. Wendy doll, Madame Alexander, St. Patty's Day parade, red curly hair, freckles, green iridescent dress, top hat, pot of gold, box, 8 inches, \$70. Murano vase, orange creamsicle swirl, free-form with in-folding rim, orange, white and clear, Italy, c. 1960, 9 x 9 inches, \$145. Mountaineering pack, back board, hardwood, rope, webbing and adjustable straps, climbing tools, 1940s, 27 x 15 inches, \$265. Tip: Fray Check, a product found in sewing supply shops, is useful for repairing tears in cardboard signs. For more collecting news, tips and resources, visit www.Kovels.com (c) 2019 King Features Synd., Inc.



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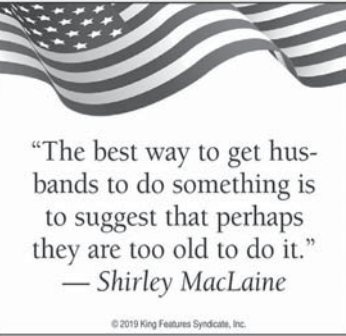
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2 tablespoons fat-free Italian dressing

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