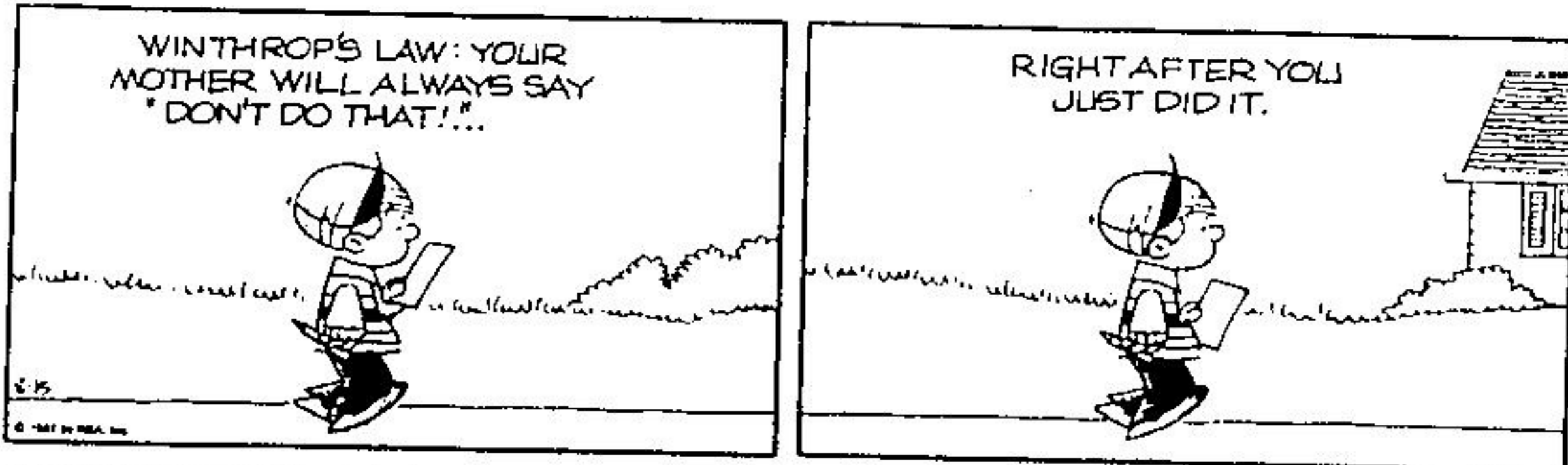
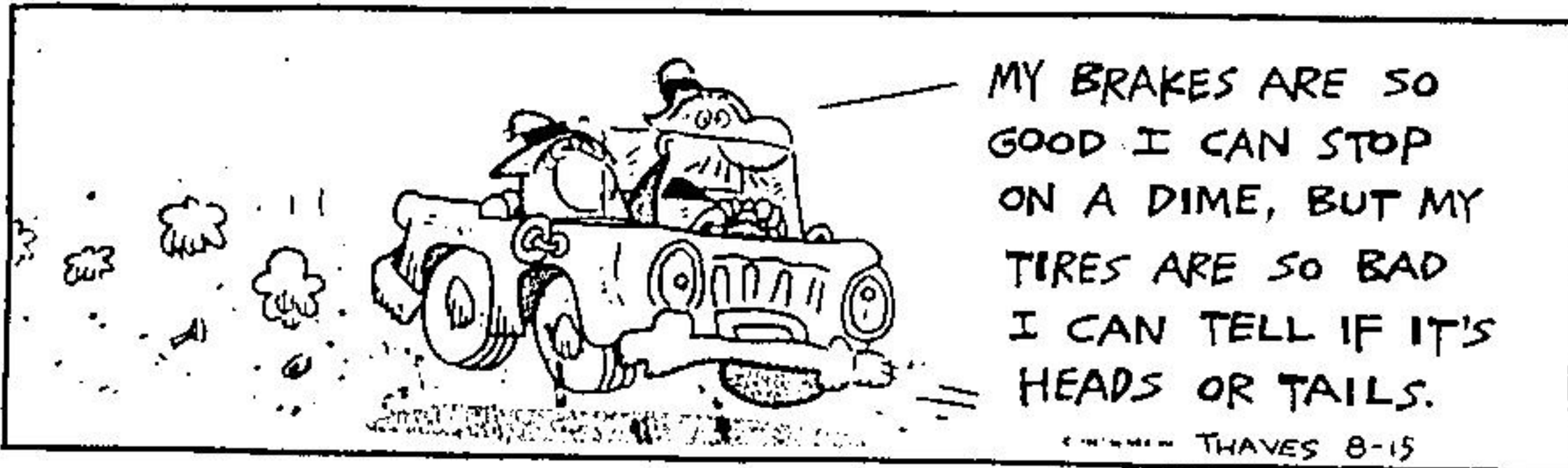


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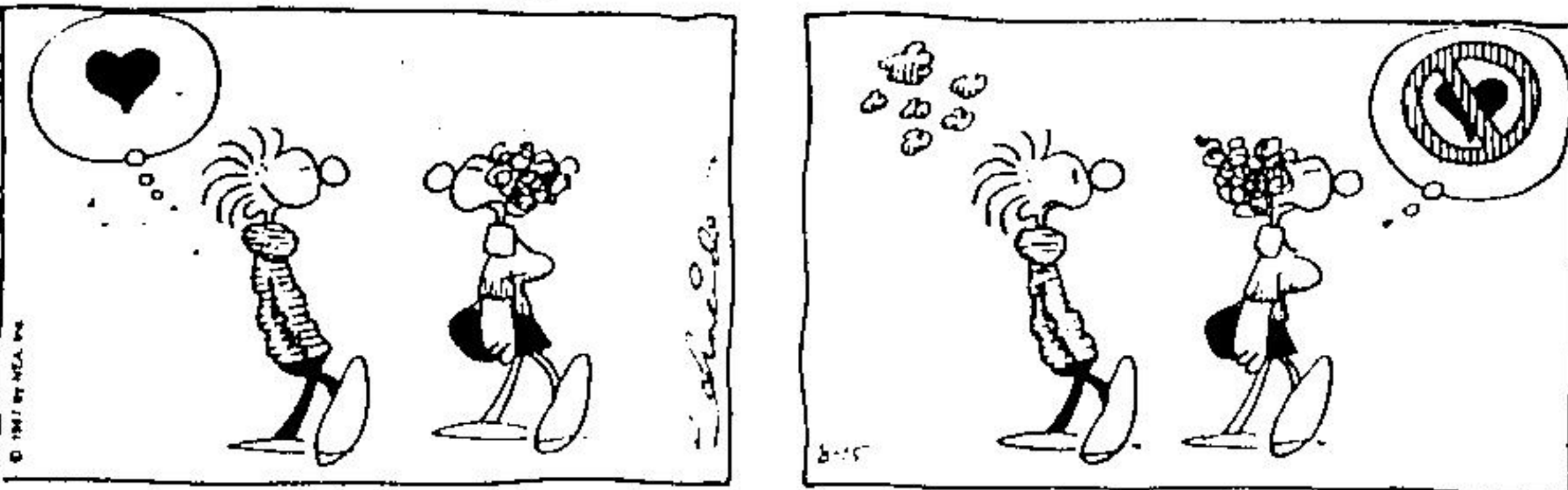
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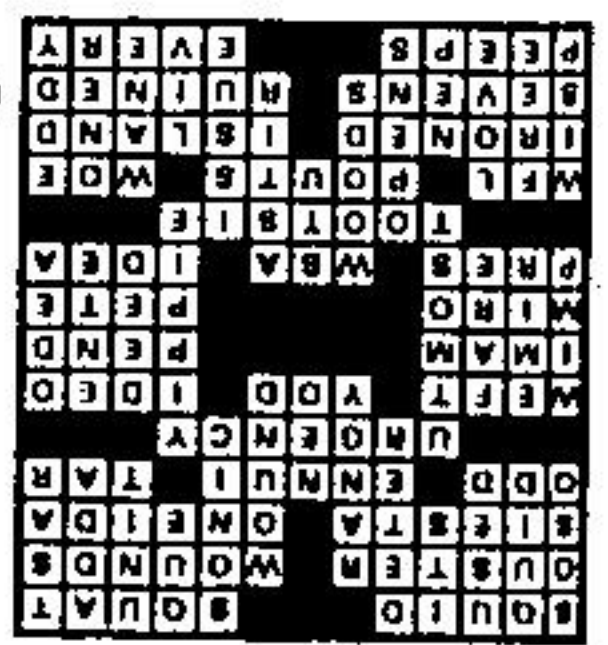
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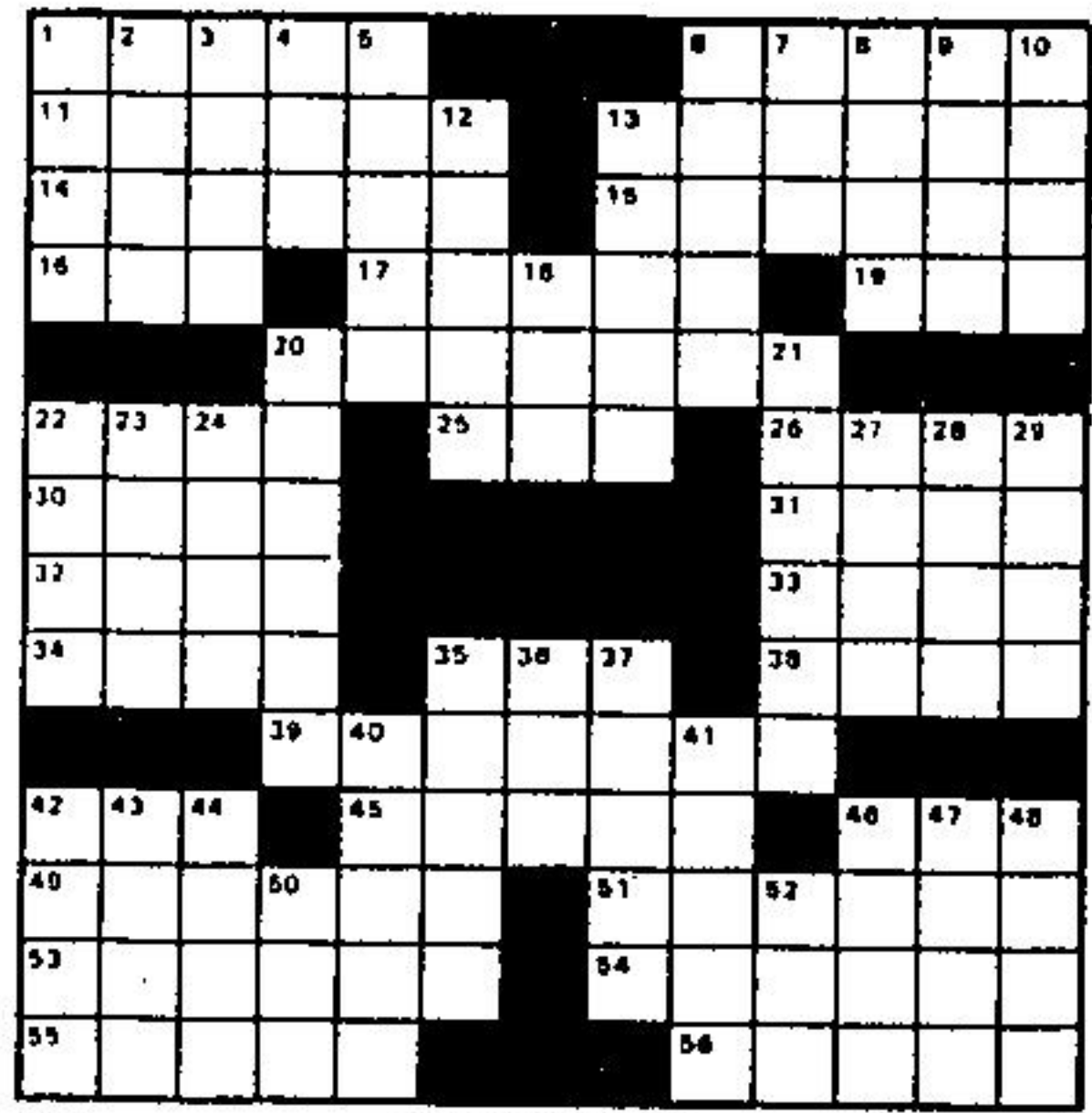
ACROSS

- 1 Octopuslike creature
- 8 Thick and short
- 11 Eviction
- 13 Injury
- 14 Noonday rest
- 15 New York Indian
- 16 Strange
- 17 Feeling of weariness
- 19 Paving liquid
- 20 Need for action
- 22 Warp and —
- 25 Hebrew letter
- 28 Idea (comb. form)
- 30 Moslem priest
- 31 Hang
- 32 Contemporary painter
- 33 Folksinger Seeger
- 34 Club leader (abbr.)
- 35 Basketball league (abbr.)
- 38 Inspiration
- 39 Dustin Hoffman movie
- 42 Defunct football league (abbr.)
- 45 Sulks
- 46 Heavy affliction
- 49 Pressed
- 51 Water surrounded land
- 53 Lucky numbers
- 54 Destroyed
- 55 Glances
- 56 Each

DOWN



- 1 Indifferent (comp. wd.)
- 2 Tobacco chew
- 3 Secondhand
- 4 That thing's hinder
- 5 Concerning sound
- 7 Cart. prov.
- 8 Single part
- 9 Sand lizard
- 10 Ivan the Terrible
- 12 Long-armed
- 13 Turned
- 18 New (pret.)
- 20 Greatest
- 21 Sixties radical (sl.)
- 22 Unimpressive person
- 23 Arab chieftain
- 24 Passenger
- 27 Exploit
- 28 Grafted, in heraldry
- 29 Concert halls
- 35 Forests
- 38 Energy unit (abbr.)
- 37 On the move
- 40 Unseals
- 41 Point at stake
- 42 Fragment
- 43 Release
- 44 Afore
- 46 Decrease
- 47 Unusual person (sl.)
- 48 Little whirlpool
- 50 Fiber cluster
- 52 Actress
- Ullmann



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ASTRO-GRAPH



Your Birthday

Friday, Aug. 14, 1987

New opportunities will be offered to you in the year ahead. Take advantage of those that are advanced by people whose ideals parallel your own. Shun materialistic schemers.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Your mettle will be tested today if you hope to achieve worthwhile objectives. Good things can happen, but you'll have to truly earn everything you get. Major changes are ahead for Leos in the coming year. Send for your Astro-Graph predictions today. Mail \$1 to Astro-Graph, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 91428, Cleveland, OH 44101-3428. Be sure to state your zodiac sign.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Opportunity is all around you today, yet your attitude may be unduly pessimistic. Brighten up. If you expect good things to happen, they will.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Proceed cautiously in important financial affairs today. What looks good to you now may prove to be costly in the long run.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) Be wary today of the grandiose schemes of an associate who, up until now, has had a rather unimpressive track record. This could be another loser.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) If you attend to important assignments early in the day, the results will be pleasing. However, should you let things drag on until later, the outcome could be disheartening.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Limit your involvements today. If you overtax yourself, you might deplete your mental and material reserves and gain nothing.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) Be careful today; the urgings of your ego may get you into a situation where you might make promises you can't keep.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) For the sake of your own peace of mind today, it's best to avoid a companion who is always insistent upon having his or her way.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Don't let money burn a hole through your purse today. If you have a little accumulation, save it for a rainy day instead of wasting it on a drizzle.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) It could prove unwise today to abdicate your authority and let someone else make an important decision for you. Think for yourself.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Let your charitable instincts direct your behavior today. Strive to be helpful, even toward those who have been unappreciative of your gestures in the past.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Friends with whom you'll associate today might be a trifle more temperamental than usual. Do what you can to lift up their spirits instead of sinking to their level.

CELEBRITY CIPHER

Celebrity Cipher cryptograms are created from quotations by famous people, past and present! Each letter in the cipher stands for another. Today's clue: *M equals R.*

G PVC ... VDAJVGQIXL PGIV
 IYX EVE IYVI GU TQJ KQQWXL
 KGWX TQJM HVCCHQMI
 HGDIJMX, TQJ OXXLXL V
 IMGH... — UMOVDC WOGEYI.

looked like your passport picture, you needed a trip. — Frances Knight.

SOLUTION: I was acquainted with the guy that if you