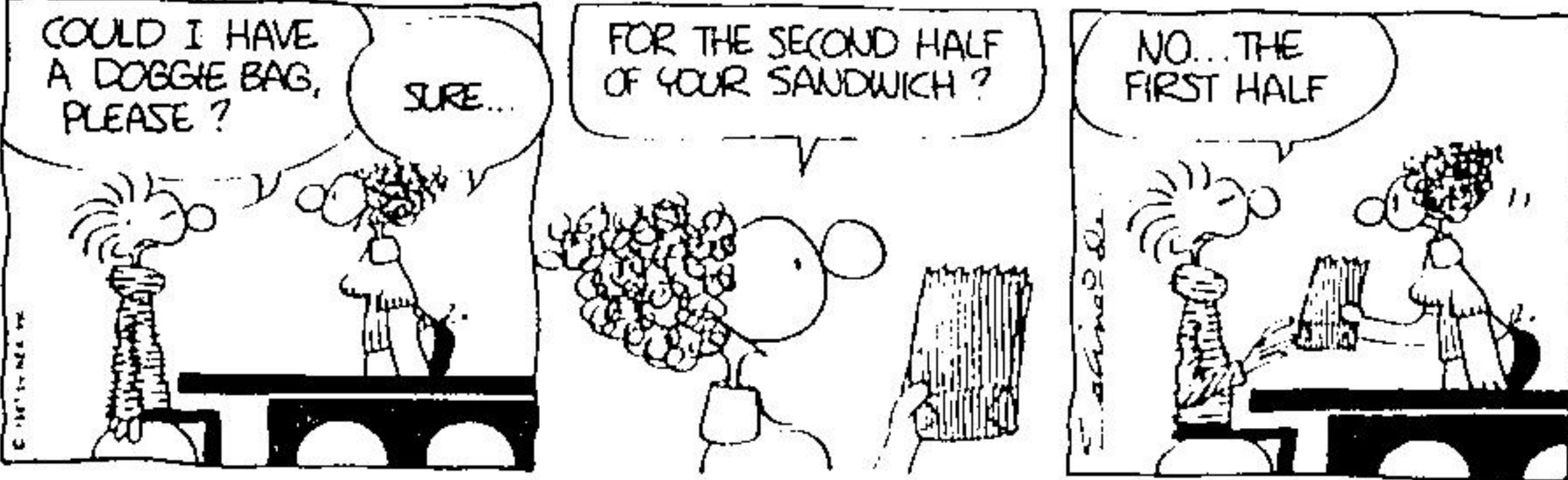
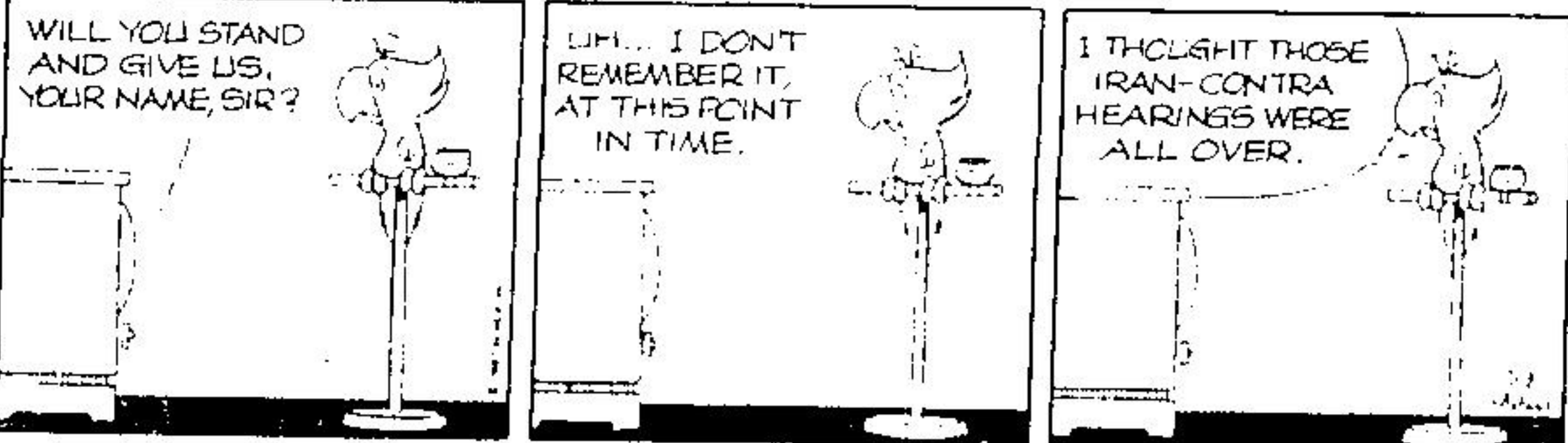


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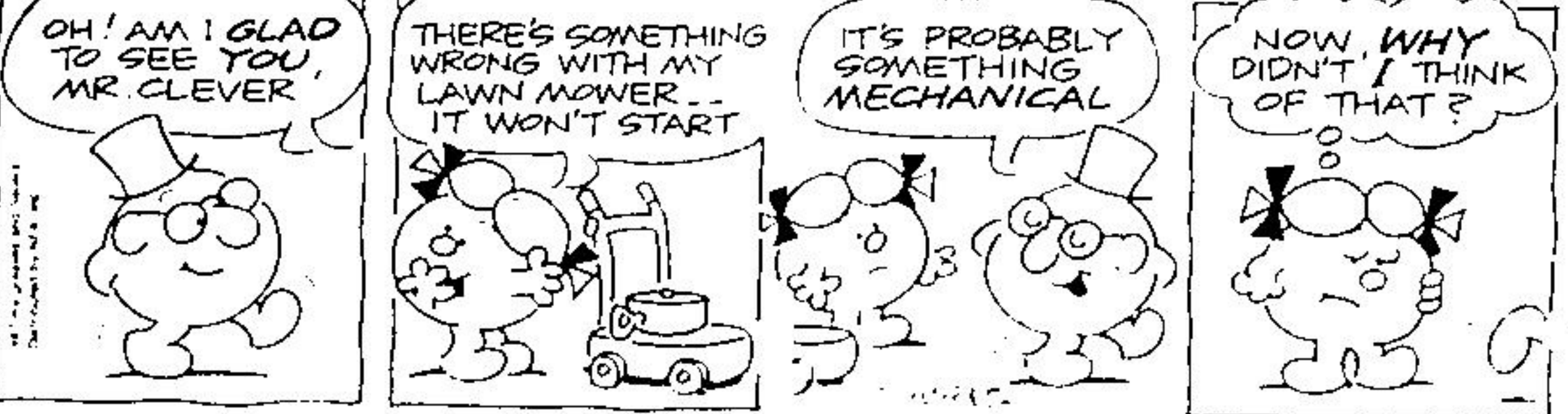
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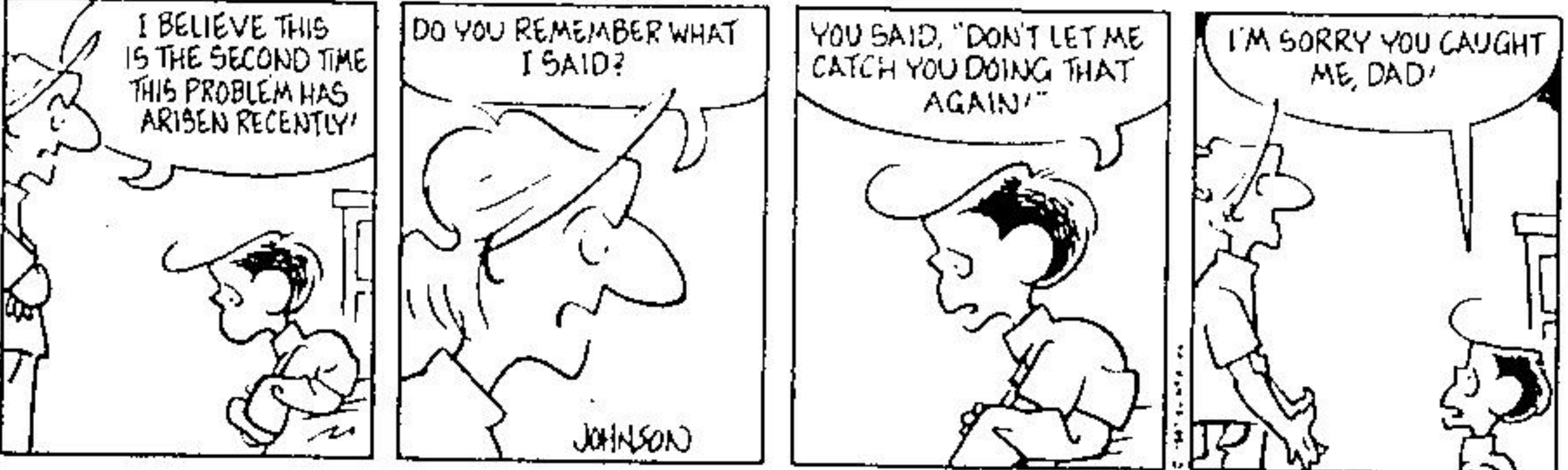
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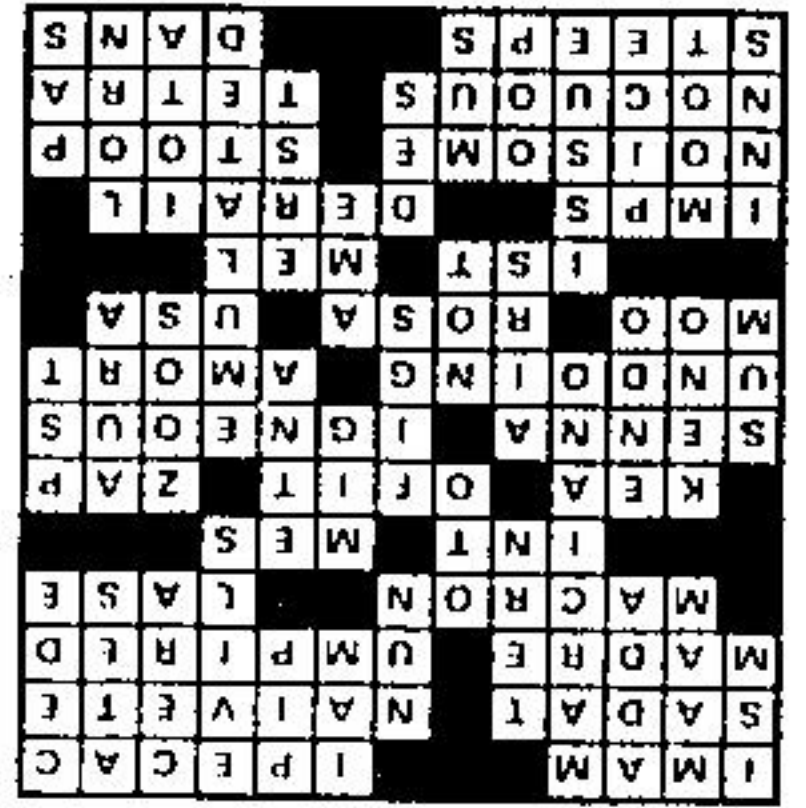


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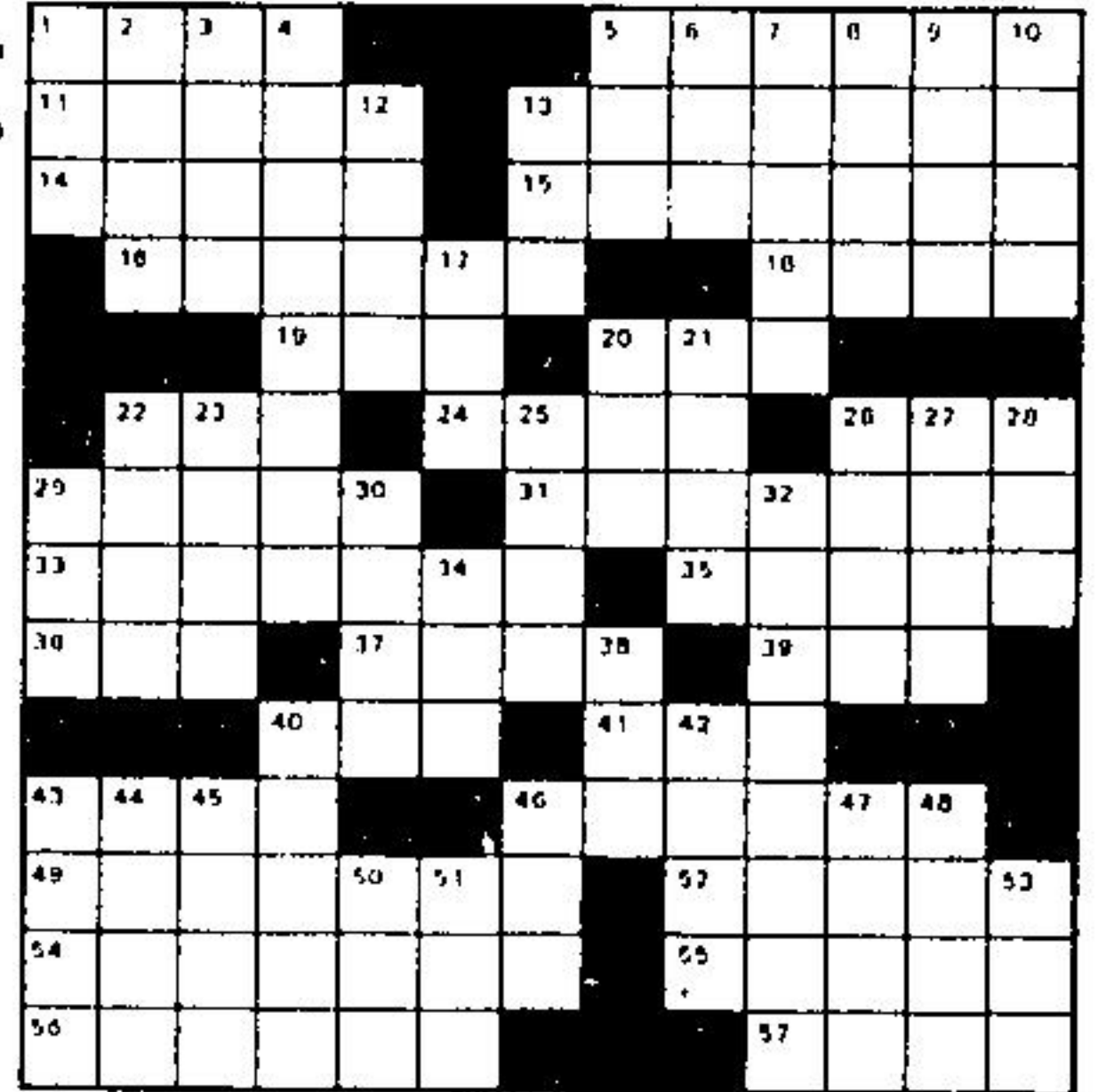
- 1 Moslem priest
- 5 Medicinal root
- 11 Egypt's Answer
- 13 Artlessness
- 14 Treasure of the Sierra
- 15 Judged ball game
- 16 Pronunciation mark
- 18 Emit coherent light
- 19 Bank payment (abbr.)
- 20 Intermediate (pref.)
- 22 New Zealand parrot
- 24 Think nothing
- 26 Wipe out (sl.)
- 29 Medicinal plant
- 31 Containing fire
- 33 Downfall
- 35 Spiritless
- 36 Pasture sound
- 37 Heroine of "The Rose Tattoo"
- 39 North American nation (abbr.)
- 40 Believer in an ism
- 41 Brooks
- 43 Demons
- 46 Cause to jump the track
- 49 Noxious
- 52 Bend over
- 54 Harmful
- 55 Four (pref.)
- 56 Soaks
- 57 Dailly and Duryea

DOWN

- 1 Doctrine
- 2 Madam (cont.)
- 3 Sand lizard
- 4 Boxer Rocky
- 5 I think, therefore



- 6 Card spot
- 7 Bad things
- 8 Wax (Lat.)
- 9 Sweetsop
- 10 Grant
- 12 Sea bird
- 13 Cloistered woman
- 17 Ear (comb. form)
- 20 Russian fighter plane
- 21 Sicilian volcano
- 22 Relative of bingo
- 23 Opp. of ecto
- 25 Eden fruits
- 26 Animal parks
- 27 Distinctive air
- 28 Time zone (abbr.)
- 29 Total
- 30 Assumed manner
- 32 Limited
- 34 Negative word
- 38 Soul (Fr.)
- 40 Emanate
- 42 Formerly
- 43 Hostels
- 44 Open for discussion
- 45 Rupee fraction
- 46 Moines
- 47 Small amount
- 48 Deserted in love
- 50 Alley
- 51 Genus of rodents
- 53 Dance step



ASTRO-GRAPH



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SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) This is one of your better problem-solving days, so be sure to follow through on situations that you conceive at this time. They'll work if you'll give them a chance.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Something of value to which you're entitled but have been denied will be in your hands shortly. Don't give up hope at this stage of the game.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) Today will be more gratifying if you participate in things that are of your own choosing. Don't be lax and let others set up your schedule.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) You have a unique knack today that could work to your advantage. It is your ability to put yourself in the right place at the right time.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) If you believe your ideas are right, be sure to stand up for them today when challenged by others. Be open-minded, but not submissive.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) A critical situation may be handled rather strangely today. It could cause you to wonder if the one with whom you're involved has your best interests at heart. Don't worry - the answer is affirmative.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) You're likely to arrive at a sensible decision today regarding a serious issue you've been pondering. You're on track, but should still be cautious.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Lady Luck tends to favor you today where your work or career is concerned. However, she may operate through intermediaries instead of directly with you.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Something of consequence could develop today from a social encounter with an older friend. This person has always had your best interests at heart.



Your Birthday

A new source will open for you in the year ahead. It will be of benefit to you financially. This venture will involve a bold person who will prove to be very lucky for you.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) This is a good day to devote a little time to a hobby you've been neglecting. It will help put you in a better frame of mind if you work with your hands. Know where to look for romance and you'll find it. The Astro-Graph Matchmaker set instantly reveals which signs are romantically perfect for you. Mail \$2 to Matchmaker, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 91428, Cleveland, OH 44101-3428.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) There is a chance you may have to choose between two social invitations today. Pick the one that caters to both the old and the young.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) You should do rather well in your commercial dealings today if you adhere to a no-nonsense approach. Treat serious situations respectfully.

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: R equals F.

V PKE'S CEKT TFH TJ'GJ
 FMQVEL SGKNBWBJ MS FKAJ.
 VS XME'S WJ SFJ RMEU,
 WJXMNUJ TJ PKE'S FMQJ
 AMEH. - PVXC TVBBVMAU.

SOLUTION: "I don't know why we're having trouble at home. It can't be the fans, because we don't have many." - Dick Williams.