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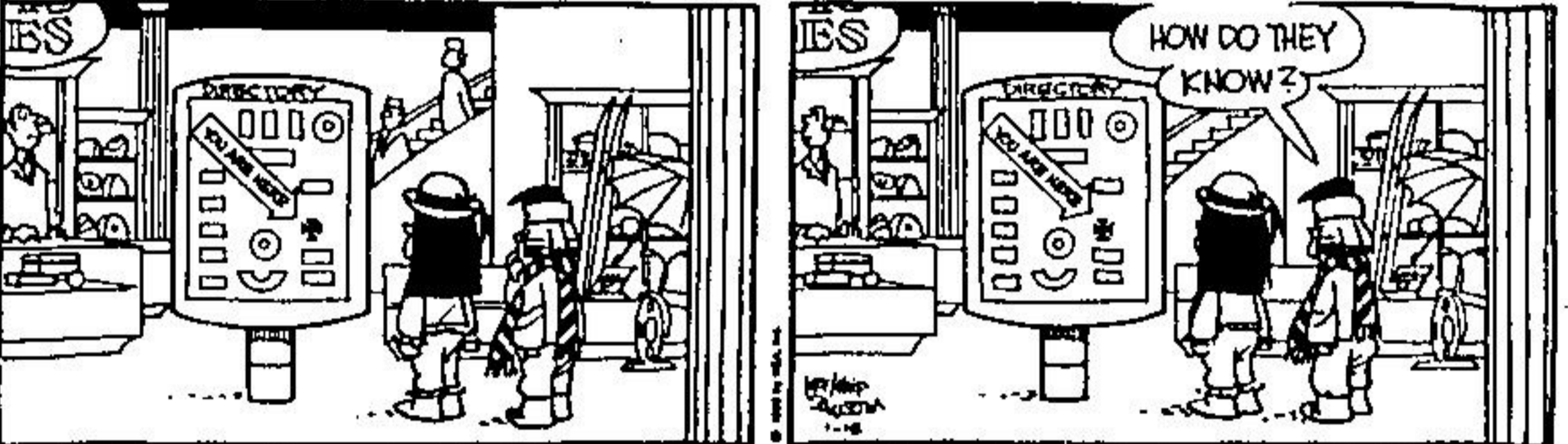
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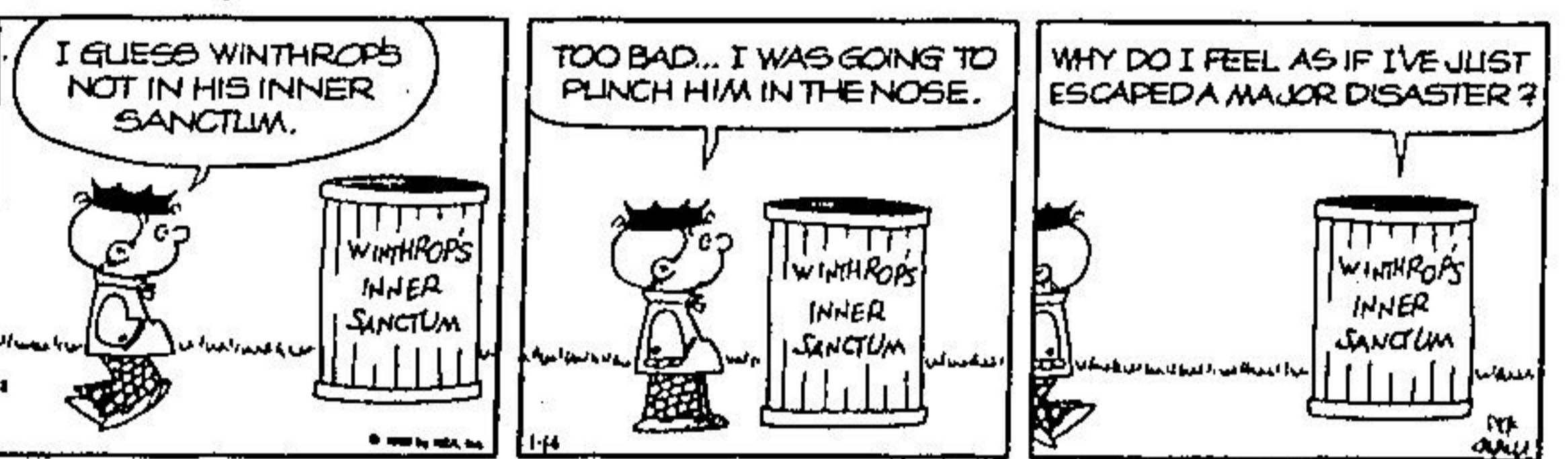
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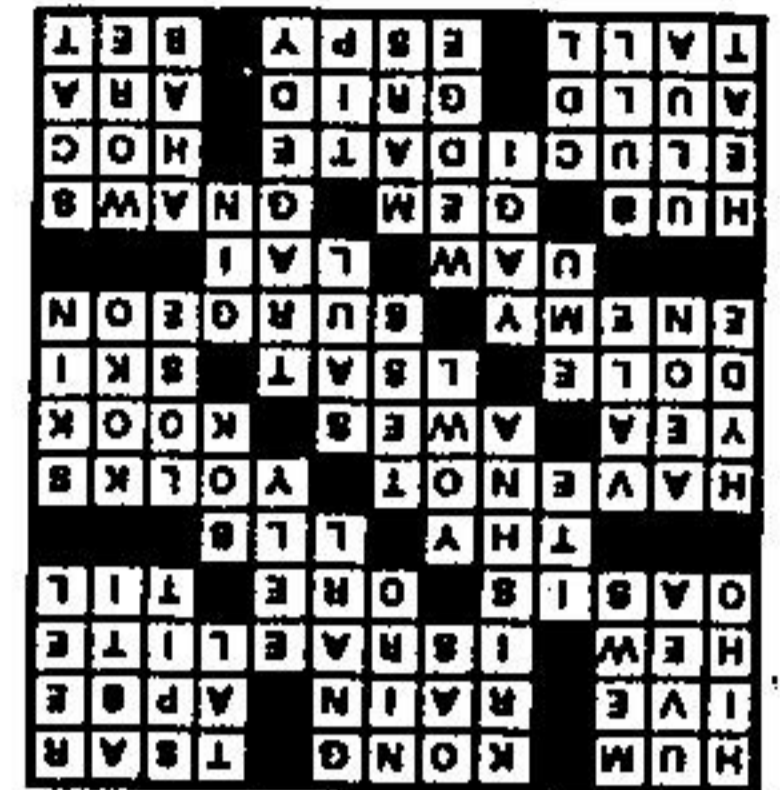
ACROSS

- 1 Buzz
- 4 King —
- 8 Ivan the Terrible
- 12 I possess (cont.)
- 13 Pour down
- 14 Church part
- 15 Cut down
- 18 Hebrew
- 18 Fertile spot in a desert
- 20 Mine product
- 21 Sesame plant
- 22 ... will be done
- 24 Law deg.
- 26 Poor person (comp. wd.)
- 30 Egg parts
- 34 Cry of affirmation
- 35 Holds in wonder
- 37 Crazy one
- 38 Distribute
- 40 Future attys.' exam
- 42 Glide on snow
- 43 Hostile force
- 45 Medico
- 47 Auto workers' union (abbr.)
- 49 Medieval poem
- 50 Wheel center
- 53 Pearl, e.g.
- 55 Chews
- 59 Explain
- 62 Ad —
- 63 — Lang Syne
- 64 Battery plate
- 65 Football coach — Paraghean
- 68 High
- 67 Look at
- 68 Wager

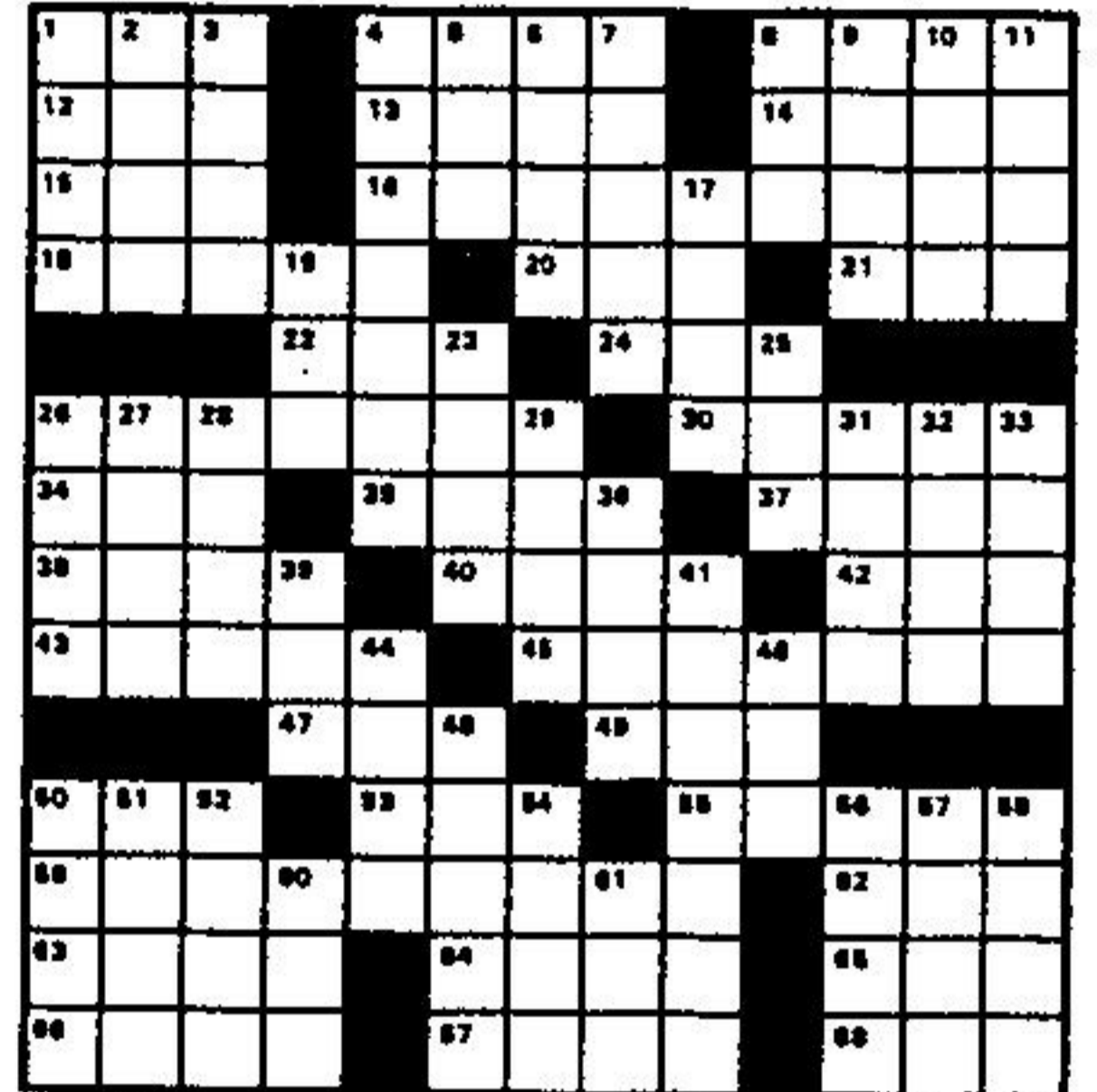
DOWN

- 1 — Silver
- 2 Part of the eye
- 3 Row of stables
- 4 Here — sect

Answer



- 5 Western hemisphere org.
- 6 Actor Robert De —
- 7 Knot in wood
- 8 Palm fiber
- 9 Roasting stick
- 10 City in Italy
- 11 Film spool
- 17 Slippery
- 19 Chemical suffix
- 23 Loud cry
- 25 Florida tower
- 26 Jekyll's opposite
- 27 Vast period of time
- 28 Space between hills
- 29 Hardy's heroine
- 31 Be defeated
- 32 Executioner in "Mikado"
- 33 Pelt
- 38 Apostle Paul
- 39 Flightless bird
- 41 Disaster
- 44 TV antenna type
- 48 Farm device
- 48 Tapering object
- 50 Fever
- 51 Hawaiian food fish
- 52 Papal letter
- 54 Red planet
- 56 King of Israel
- 57 Eroded
- 58 Begone
- 60 450, Roman
- 61 Walter's reward



ASTRO-GRAPH

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The rewards for your efforts in the year ahead might not pay off as rapidly as you anticipate. However, don't let this discourage you, because you will gain momentum with time.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) There is a possibility that you may be penny-wise and pound-foolish today. The quality of what you buy should take precedence over its cost. Know where to look for romance and you'll find it. The 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.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) Too many inner uncertainties will dilute your executive qualities today. Others will sense this, and they might be reluctant to follow where you try to lead them.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) The ends don't justify the means today. Avoid using tactics for which you could be criticized; there are those who may welcome the opportunity.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Strive to be considerate of the feelings of your companions today. Don't renege on your

share of the responsibilities or expenses.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Achieving your ambitious aims is important, but you'll find the quest will lose its flavor if you advance your cause by downgrading an associate.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Even though their objections are valid, you may have little patience or respect today for people who are not in total accord with your opinion.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Being too possessive today towards one you love could produce the opposite effect from what you are hoping. Loosen the reins, don't tighten them.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) If you and your male have a disagreement today, don't air it in front of others, especially your in-laws. Group involvement will make the matter worse.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Instead of criticizing co-workers today, try to set an example by doing your job well. Productivity is more effective than pronouncements.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) Don't seek business favors today from people with whom you're chummy socially. They may feel obligated to help, but they won't like it.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Guard your comments carefully today lest you make careless remarks that could hurt another's feelings. It will be hard to make amends.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Usually you're not the type of person who makes excuses to cover up your mistakes, but today, if you're in error, you might pass the buck to scapegoats.

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: A equals Y.

B Z H W O Z W O J O B G O P B O B W R
 I B W Y U C W D U Z W B Z C U C H
 M A V H V Z D V B H M A U P O P G R W Y V
 P V H W A U G V O Q U W Y V A D O Z
 M G O R — G U W W V P O B G R Z

QUESTION: "Instinct availability without continuous presence is probably the best role a mother can play." — Loretta Babbitt