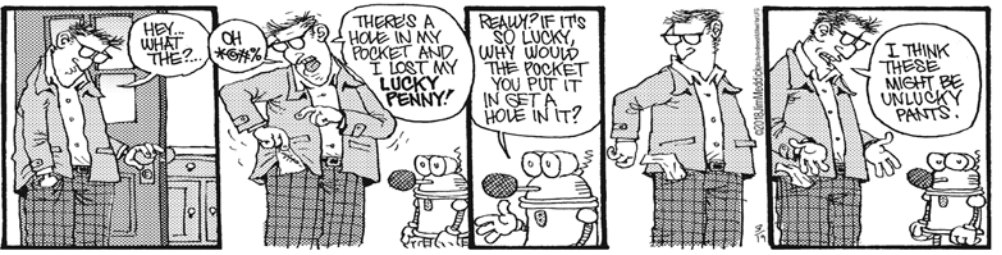
CLOSE TO HOME — JOHN MCPHERSON

Bill's combover was getting out of control.

ROBOTMAN AND MONTY — JIM MEDDICK



JANRIC CLASSIC SUDOKU

Fill in the blank cells using numbers 1 to 9. Each number can appear only once in each row, column and 3x3 block. Use logic and process elimination to solve the puzzle. The difficulty level ranges from Bronze (easiest) to Silver to Gold (hardest).

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

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Rating: BRONZE

Solution to 3/17/18

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

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CROSSWORD PUZZLER

ACROSS

1 Stonehenge worshipper
6 Closes the drapes
11 More profound
12 Antiseptic element
14 Funny Bombeck
15 Nomad dwellings
17 Type measure
18 Hush-hush org.
19 Sault — Marie
20 Shook hands
21 Classical poet
23 Pocket jangler
24 Happy rumble
25 Delivered a message
27 Full of lather
28 Koan discipline
29 Put on
30 Youngsters
33 Ecru or beige
37 Dandelion, to many
38 Loud, harsh call of the crow
39 Tractor-trailer
40 Prepared in the manner of, in recipe names (2 wds.).
41 Colorful carp
42 Apply makeup
43 Chicago Cubs' grp.
44 — Haggard of country
46 Move like lava
47 — oldie
49 Part of an ear
51 Thin clouds
52 Plant firmly

DOWN

1 Reason out
2 Forward
3 Work
— — sweat
4 That is (abbr.)
5 Shriveled up
6 Grubby
7 Repetitive study
8 Mag fillers
9 Badger st.
10 Scoffs at
11 Interior design
13 Doorway
16 Preowned
20 — puddle
22 In a fog
23 Cowboy — Maynard
24 Drop-kicks
26 Of course!
27 —'wester
29 Beads on grass
30 Pluck a banjo
31 Cheerful color
32 One of the Maunas
33 Wield a hammer
34 Modernized
35 Overwhelmed with sudden wonder
36 Slander's kin
38 Preserves with salt
41 Hang onto
44 Rx writers
45 Barely manage
46 Planet, in verse
48 Chinese poet — Po
50 Dorothy's aunt

Answer to Previous Puzzle

■	X	R	A	Y	■	I	R	E	■	J	O	T
W	E	A	V	E	■	N	I	X	■	A	W	E
A	N	G	E	L	■	C	A	P	E	R	E	D
R	O	E	■	P	R	O	T	O	N	■	■	■
E	N	D	S	■	U	M	A	■	T	A	L	K
■	■	■	E	D	G	E	■	A	R	R	O	W
Y	I	E	L	D	S	■	W	R	E	N	C	H
D	R	A	F	T	■	F	A	M	E	■	■	■
S	A	R	I	■	B	E	G	■	S	O	L	D
■	■	■	S	K	E	W	E	D	■	Z	E	E
K	E	Y	H	O	L	E	■	E	R	O	D	E
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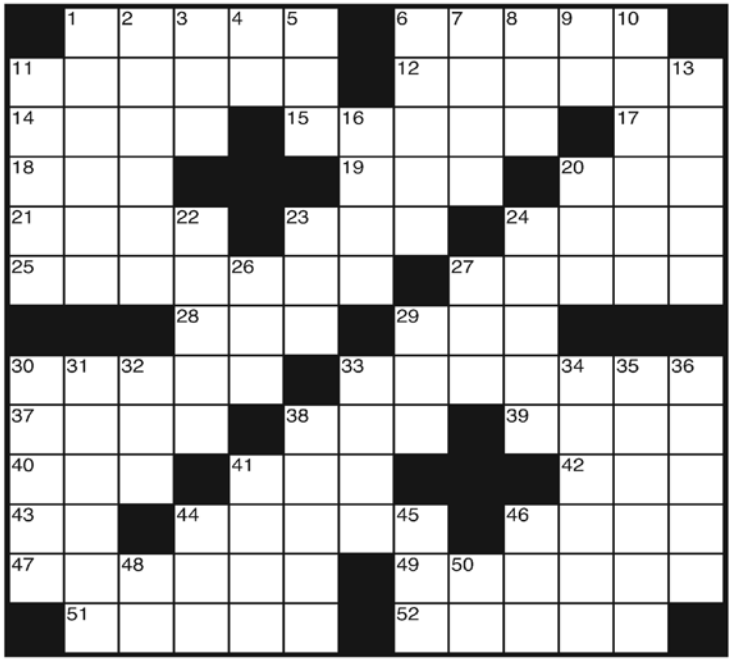
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