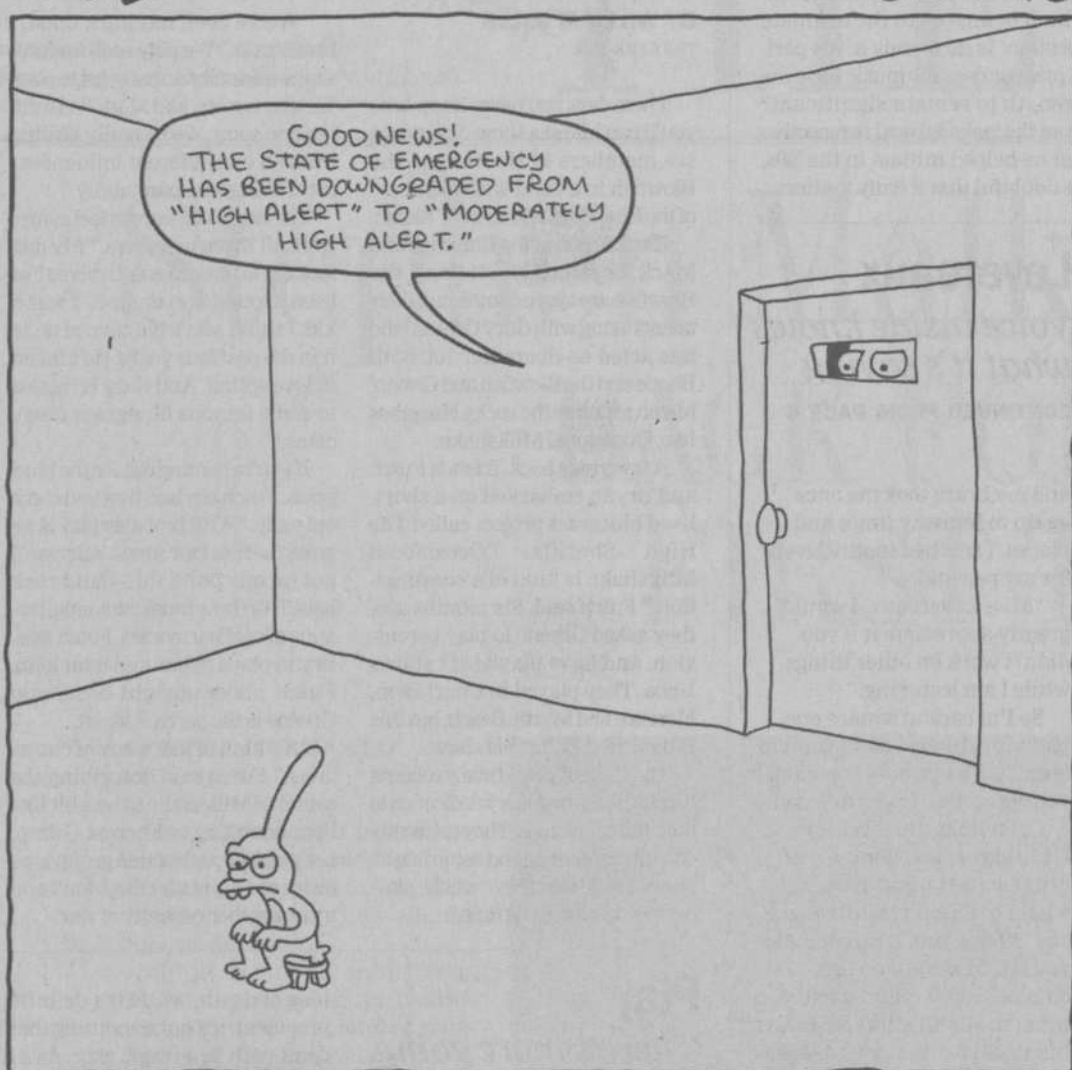


LIFE IN HELL

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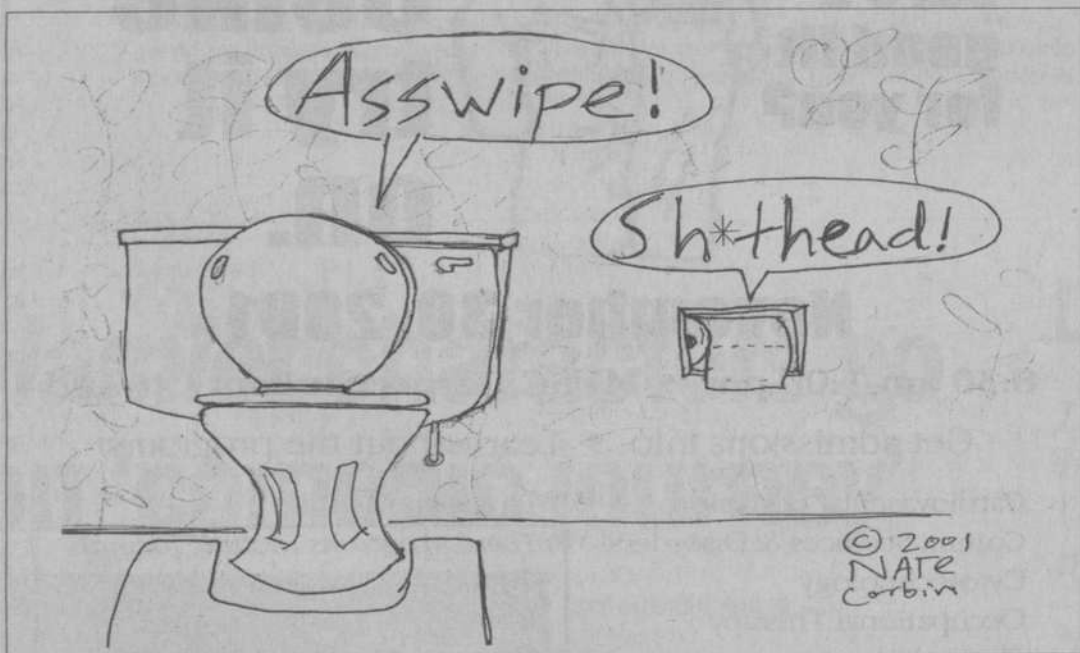
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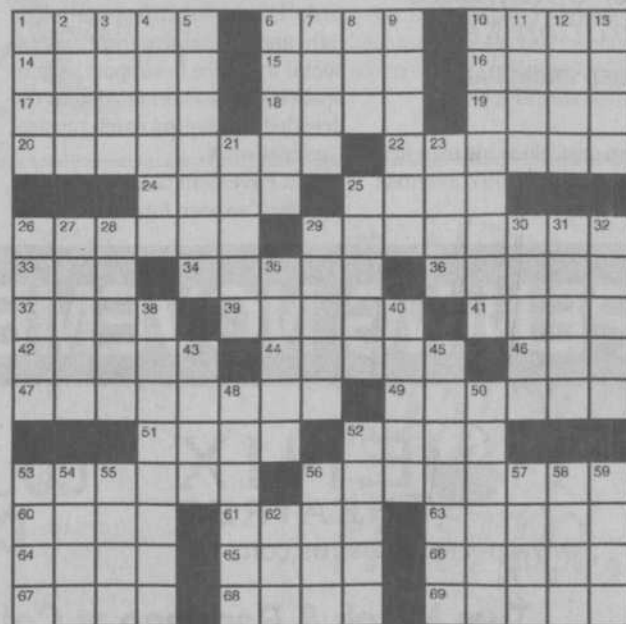


DITHERED TWITS by Stan Waling



CROSSWORD

- ACROSS**
- Stray dogs
 - The ___ Office
 - Sketch
 - Not savvy
 - Pre-stereo sound system
 - Paella base
 - Tuscany tourist city
 - Feed the pot
 - Baddie of lore
 - Some crystal glasses
 - Ran out
 - Author Tyler
 - State of mind
 - Unwrapped
 - Maine
 - Periphery
 - Ornamentation
 - More than willing
 - Rum cake
 - Sub detector
 - Engagement
 - Passive
 - Relate with a bias
 - Brooch
 - Bullfighter
 - Count (on)
 - Pavarotti specialty
 - "Star Wars" knight
 - Team animal
 - Threshold
 - Suggestion beginning?
 - Flag down
 - Chopin piece
 - Dry
 - List-shortening abbr.
 - Scorch
 - Stallion's mate
 - Count (on)
 - Smooth and silky



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- DOWN**
- Tousle, as hair
 - Component piece
 - "Of ___ I Sing"
 - Inhabitant of Oz
 - Produced roe
 - Chicago hub
 - Clinging plant
 - Away from the prow
 - Hide out

Solutions

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- Kind of gorgeous
- Tractor-trailers
- Farm plot
- Undesirable plant
- Chilean range
- Top-notch
- Fable's lesson
- Planetary path
- Fats Waller's instrument
- Glowing coal
- Contributor
- Slack-jawed
- Become permanent
- Prevailing force
- Hot drink
- 30% of a phone number
- Broncobusters' show
- Poi source
- Change one's clothes
- Be nervously irresolute
- Flower part
- Like Santa
- Address for a lady
- Pervading atmosphere
- Move about
- Rotary-phone feature
- Melody
- Border
- Sneak a look
- Nibbled on

HOROSCOPES

TODAY'S BIRTHDAY (NOV. 9) —

You're so smart and charming this year, you could do almost anything by yourself. But why bother? It's so much more fun to do it with a team. And, of course, you'll multiply your efficiency. Take on a massive project. Anything less would be boring.

ARIES (MARCH 21-APRIL 19) —

Go over the details one more time. Don't hand in any paperwork, loan applications, homework or resumes without checking things over a few times. Read everything carefully. This takes a little longer, but it could make all the difference.

TAURUS (APRIL 20-MAY 20) —

All's well, as love triumphs again. Have faith in your own good judgment. Your instincts are leading you in the right direction. Go with the flow.

GEMINI (MAY 21-JUNE 21) —

This is a working weekend. If you take on a really tough job, there's a good chance you can whip things into shape and still have Sunday evening off, depending on the level of difficulty and your ability to talk your sweetheart into helping.

CANCER (JUNE 22-JULY 22) —

If you're in love, it's harder than usual to concentrate on anything else. If you're not in love yet, brace yourself. If you want to fall in love, take a class. Education and romance are linked for you at the moment.

LEO (JULY 23-AUG. 22) —

You're a pretty creative person who's handy with tools, right? You usually save a lot of money by fixing things up around the house. But this time, unless you're an expert, pass. You can buy it for less than it will take to fix it.

VIRGO (AUG. 23-SEPT. 22) —

Changes to your home are not quite complete yet, but you can take time out to catch up on your studies. Something you learn now could make a difference in how you proceed.

LIBRA (SEPT. 23-OCT 22) —

Do you owe any favors? Make a list and start paying them back. One of these people may have just the information you need in order to solve the next puzzle.

SCORPIO (OCT. 23-NOV. 21) —

You're lookin' good! That's what your friends all say, so it must be true. You're luckier,

happier and healthier now that Venus (for love) has just gone into your sign. She'll be there all month, so enjoy!

SAGITTARIUS (NOV. 22-DEC. 21) —

Stand crisply at attention as you make your report. Don't slouch, and don't offer more information than is requested. Keep answers brief and to the point. And if you can't say something nice, don't say anything at all.

CAPRICORN (DEC. 22-JAN. 19) —

How long has it been since you left work early to spend extra time with your friends? This weekend will be perfect, and the sooner you get started, the better.

AQUARIUS (JAN. 20-FEB. 18) —

Details matter, and getting one wrong today could be quite expensive. Pay attention to what you're doing, of course, but also check what you've already done.

PISCES (FEB. 19-MARCH 20) —

Wrap up loose ends, so you can get out of there. Somebody special would like to show you a good time this weekend. The weekend begins as soon as you can get your workspace clear.

CALENDAR



Rozencrantz and Guildenstern are Dead

This hilarious comedy created by Oscar-winning author, Tom Stoppard, is the newest production by USC Theatre South Carolina, featuring an all-student cast. The play is based on the lives of Hamlet's bumbling college friends who betray him. The play will run through the Nov. 18. Longstreet Theatre, 8 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday; 3 p.m. Sunday. \$12 public; \$10 USC faculty and staff, senior citizens and military; \$8 students. Tickets available at the Longstreet Theatre box office, or at 777-9353.

Friday

Nov. 9

OCCASIONAL MILKSHAKE:

Composed of Mark Bryan from Hootie and the Blowfish, Hank Futch from the Blue Dogs, and Gary Greene of Cravin' Melon, this 3-man side project has been touring regionally with their folk/punkabilly/bluegrass fused music. Hobex will open. 21+, \$6.

ROLLINGSTONE UNLEASHED:

Rolling Stone magazine will be holding their signature program, "Rolling Stone Unleashed," an event that includes many interactive activities and competitions. Students will be

able to test new products and pick up free samples from many sponsors. 11 a.m.-4 p.m. Davis Field.

ESPN GAMEDAY: Come to the radio taping for ESPN Friday night show. Enter the Fairground at gate across from Seawells. Cars cannot be left in the Fairgrounds overnight. 3:45 p.m. Fairgrounds.

STEPHEN MALKMUS: This former Pavement lead singer will perform his intelligent indie rock. Uncle Doctor's, 1734 Mobile Ave.

SISTER HELEN PREJEAN: The author of *Dead Man Walking* will speaking about her views of the death penalty. She also is the leader for the

Moratorium Campaign, a group that is collecting signatures for a global moratorium concerning the death penalty. Free. 7 p.m. School of Law Auditorium.

DJ JASON WILSON: This ten-man DJ group will perform house techno all night. The Elbow Room, 812 Harden St.

Saturday

Nov. 10

ESPN GAMEDAY LIVE: Come watch the live taping of ESPN GameDay at the Fairgrounds Grand Stand. The gates will open at 9 a.m. GameDay 10:30 a.m.-noon.

"You may sniff the bride."