The Pun: Humor's hardest-working but least-respected laborer

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A ___ ___ ___ ___
122 133 59 37
Why are ___ so smart? They live in schools.
Questions in italics are, like the quote above, puns.

B ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___
80 181 14 106 66 115 202 125 7
North Carolina city where the Biltmore resides

C ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___
151 164 40 204 51 69 144 17 188
Brand whose nickname is "Chevy"

D ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___
43 88 22 153 61 160 10 73 97 33 48 182
Biblical book declaring "all is vanity"

E ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___
81 77 99 158 154 168 23 119 87 92
Head-wobbling dashboard doll

F ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ - ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___
126 91 203 147 42 131 83 85 4 197 64 1 100 24 137 55 127
Career milestone of four area hoopsters this year: Brady Scholl (NR), Stephen Akase (WW), Levi Sawatzky (GO), and Kaden Grau (WV)

G ___ ___ ___ - ___ ___ ___ ___ ___
19 146 123 138 75 32 60 65
Popular wall color choice of the house-flipper

H ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___
179 57 206 108 95 128 41 74
About 20¢ per unit on a NIPSCO electric bill

I ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___
70 50 124 58 21 84 134
Two ___ were walking in a tough neighborhood and one of them was a salted.

J ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___
101 170 103 62 20 166 94 155 5 79
Finally ...

K ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___
141 27 192 96 44 177 82 207 143
Expression of disbelief to your amigo Joe

L ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___
135 105 140 6 45 174 190 13 102
Metric which evokes a "Something's fishy" response

M ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___
156 175 8 148 67 78
Why did the ___ bring two pairs of pants? In case he got a hole in one.

N ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___
109 162 89 111 136 121 150
Something you'll lose tonight

O ___ ___ ___
149 118 198
Electrical unit symbolized by Ω

P ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___
72 145 28 152 46 93 18 132
Destroy utterly

Q ___ ___ ___ ___
120 161 30 195
I once read a ___ about anti-gravity. I couldn't put it down

R ___ ___ ___
90 172 104
Three-letter video file type on PCs

S ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___
114 157 16 193 107 169 12
Person totally devoted to a cause

T ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___
98 200 113 171 11 25 2 76
Two ___ were on a roof. They fell in love and got married. The service wasn't great but the reception was excellent.

U ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___
31 196 194 110 173 129
Country that won the most medals in the recent winter Olympics

V ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___
187 15 52 34 56 68
Distressed one back in the days of knights

W ___ ___ ___ ___ ___
184 167 112 86 71
What did the ___ say when it got stepped on? Nothing but it let out a little whine

X ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___
176 35 159 116 53 3 36
The boys hoopsters from Middlebury who were a best-ever 22-1 going into last night's game against Goshen

Y ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___
178 29 54 9 205 117 130 180
Egg breakfast item

Z ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___
199 47 26 139 183 49 165
Pizza topping loved by some, avoided by many

AA ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___
63 185 39 38 191 186
Sandwich request at the deli

BB ___ ___ ___ ___
201 142 163 189
Vowelless Hebrew name for God

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Puzzle solution found elsewhere in this edition

___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ : ___ ___ ___ ___ , ___ ___ ___ , ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___ ___
A B C D E F G H I J K L M N O P Q R S T U V W X Y Z AA BB