## THE Daily Commuter Puzzle by Jacqueline E. Mathews

| ACROSS<br>1 Cruise or Hanks               |    | 1  | 2  | 3  |    | 4  | 5  | 6  | 7  | 8  |    | 9  | 10 | 11 | 12 |
|---|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 4 Colorful parrot<br>9 "Be as it          | 13 |    |    |    |    | 14 |    |    |    |    |    | 15 |    |    |    |
| may"                                      | 16 |    |    |    |    | 17 |    |    |    |    | 18 |    |    |    |    |
| 13 Partial amount<br>14 Unaccompanied     | 19 |    |    |    | 20 |    |    |    |    |    | 21 |    |    |    |    |
| 15 Bum                                    |    |    | 22 | 23 |    |    |    |    |    | 24 |    |    |    |    |    |
| 16at; insinuate                           |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    | (  |    |
| 17 Defamatory;<br>disparaging             | 25 | 26 |    |    |    |    |    |    | 27 |    |    |    | 28 | 29 |    |
| 19 "The Book of";<br>film for Denzel      | 30 |    |    |    |    |    | 31 | 32 |    |    |    |    | 33 |    | 34 |
| 20 Swimming spots                         | 35 |    |    |    |    | 36 |    |    |    |    |    | 37 |    |    |    |
| 21 Divisions; fissures                    | 38 |    | -  |    | 39 | -  | -  | -  |    |    | 40 |    |    |    |    |
| 22 Fake                                   |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| 24 DeSantis or<br>Whitmer: abbr.          |    | 41 |    | 42 |    |    |    |    |    | 43 |    |    |    |    |    |
| 25 Responses to<br>corny jokes            |    |    |    | 44 |    |    |    |    | 45 |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| 27 Not at all boastful<br>30 Bonkers      | 46 | 47 | 48 |    |    |    | 49 | 50 |    |    |    |    | 51 | 52 | 53 |
| 31 Investigate                            | 54 |    |    |    |    | 55 |    |    |    |    |    | 56 |    |    |    |
| 33 Below;<br>substandard                  | 57 |    |    |    |    | 58 |    |    |    |    |    | 59 |    |    |    |
| 35 King Kong's kin<br>36 Isle of : resort | 60 |    |    |    |    | 61 |    |    |    |    |    | 62 |    |    |    |

36 Isle of ; resort near Naples Created by Jacqueline E. Mathews

- 37 Greek letter
- 38 Bill denomination
- 39 Snail's trail
- 40 Friendlier

- 41 Engraver
- 43 All grown up
- 44 Buffoon
- 45 Clothing tag
- 46 Thin leather strip
- 49 Punches
- 51 Curved band
- 54 Introducing
- 56 Pierce
- 57 Family tree member
- 58 Fundraising game
- 59 Cribbage pieces
- 60 NBA team
- 61 Toothpaste brand
- 62 Pack animal

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- 1 Hard work
- 2 All-powerful
- 3 Gathered together
- 4 Bricklayers
- 5 Metal mixture
- 6 Snowman's eve
- 7 Curry & Landers

8 Gave up the

- single life
- 9 Flourish
- 10 Dobbin's foot
- 11 Share a border
- with
- 12 Fling
- 13 "Murder, \_ Wrote"
- 18 Chip away at
- 20 Petting zoo
- animal
- 23 Bowlers & miters
- 24 Asian desert
- 25 Small fly
- 26 Mumbai money
- "The \_\_\_, the merrier" 27 "The
- 28 Makes a risky
- investment 29 \_ tots; crispy side dish
- 31 Couple of kings,
- e.g. 32 Record speed
- letters 34 Steak lover's
- preference
- 36 Treble
- 37 Nibble or gnaw

## Tuesday's Puzzle Solved

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- 39 Square or circle
- 40 Arrests
- 42 Seashores
- 43 Disgusting larva
- 45 Chest organs
- 46 Reach from end
- 47
  - Wavne film
- 48 Monthly expense 49 Begin to wake up 50 Out of \_\_;
  - misbehaving
- 52 Car wash supplies
- 53 "S.W.A.T." network
- 55 TV's "Dateline
- 56 Bath with seats

- - to end
- Grit"; John