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ISAAC ASIMOV'S SUPER QUIZ

Take this Super Quiz to a Ph.D. Score 1 point for each correct answer on the Freshman Level, 2 points on the Graduate Level and 3 points on the Ph.D. Level.

Subject: COUNTRIES
Name a country that contains the given word. (Example: Pan. Answer: Panama or Japan.)

FRESHMAN LEVEL

- 1. Pain Answer _____
- 2. Way Answer _____
- 3. Key Answer _____

GRADUATE LEVEL

- 4. Jam Answer _____
- 5. Many Answer _____
- 6. Gent Answer _____

PH.D. LEVEL

CELEBRITY CIPHER

by Luis Campos

Celebrity Cipher cryptograms are created from quotations by famous people, past and present. Each letter in the cipher stands for another.

" X P F X M C D B L K W K Z I K S N M N O F ? L ' Q
H M S Y G W L H I G H F V M B F ' Y D L T K . S P K Z K
G Z K B M N S M Z Y X P M Y G W K D L W K Y . . .
L ' Q Q G O L H I Q M W L K Y . "
— E K H H L T K Z D G X Z K H N K

Previous Solution: "When things are going sweetly and peacefully, please pause a moment, and then say out loud, 'If this isn't nice, what is?'" — Kurt Vonnegut

TODAY'S CLUE: A sɪnəbeɪ M

NEA Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS

- 1 Software problem
- 4 Legume
- 8 Group of whales
- 11 "Born in the —"
- 12 Bruins' sch.
- 13 Take out
- 14 Permit
- 15 Religious sect
- 16 Fencing sword
- 17 Snap
- 19 Bubbly drink (2 wds.)
- 21 Kind
- 23 Before, poetically
- 24 1995 James Bond film
- 29 Farm animal
- 32 Pointed arch
- 33 Not know from —
- 34 Singer Rita —
- 35 Branch
- 36 Perpetually
- 37 Module

DOWN

- 1 Future tulip
- 2 Consumer
- 3 Door in a fence
- 4 Fastening device
- 5 Old coin of France
- 6 "— Well that Ends Well"

Answer to Previous Puzzle

F	I	B	L	I	S	T	R	A	G	E
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- 7 Alliance acronym
- 8 Pizza topping
- 9 Margarine burner
- 10 Profound
- 13 Letter starter
- 18 — -de-camp
- 20 Judge
- 22 Tricky fellow
- 24 Objective
- 25 Fairy tale monster
- 26 Hard candy (2 wds.)
- 27 Perfect place
- 28 Lengths
- 30 State near Nev.
- 31 Partner
- 36 Lab burner
- 37 Press
- 40 Restaurant
- 42 Elevator name
- 44 Flightless bird
- 45 Nobleman
- 46 — moss
- 47 Therefore
- 49 Lights-out tune
- 50 Wisecracking fellow
- 51 — and crafts
- 54 Upper-classman (Abbr.)

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