

COMICS AND FEATURES

GARFIELD



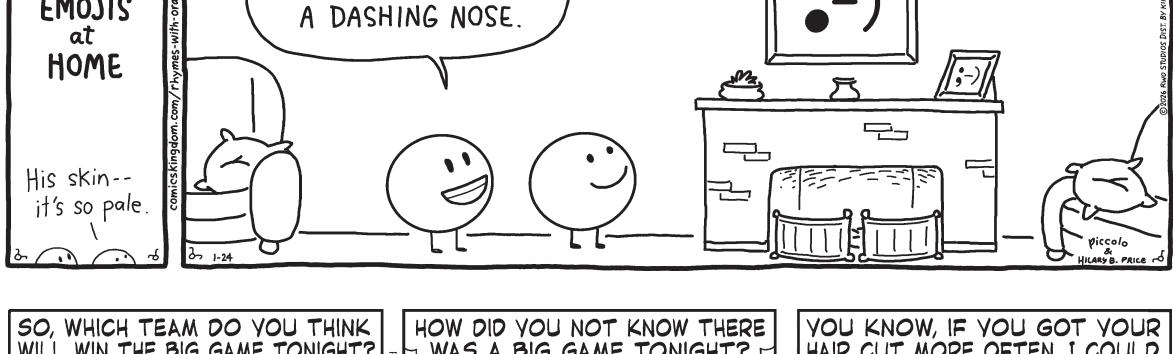
DUSTIN



MACANUDO



RHYMES WITH ORANGE



BLONDIE



BEETLE BAILEY



CRANKSHAFT



MUTTS



BABY BLUES



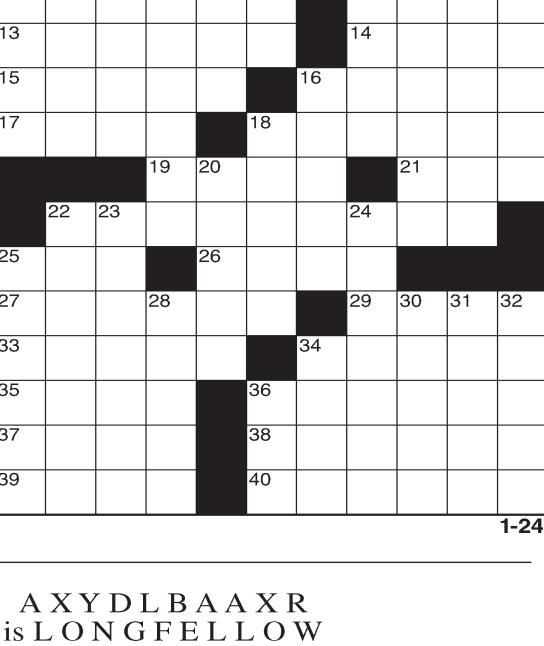
ZITS



CROSSWORD

By THOMAS JOSEPH

ACROSS	39 A bunch	TOPAZ
1 Bach piece	40 Landed folks	ONEAL EDUCATE
7 City on the Tiber	7 ACCRA DEBTS	MARADILIT
11 Like church music	12 PETROL ACED	USESLYIVE
12 Server system	13 TARP FINESSE	PETROLACED
13 Car problem	14 ELI GAINED	ELIBEDIVE
14 Optimal	15 APE ODDMON	APEDMON
15 Eat away	16 RINGS EVILS	RINGSEVILS
16 Plant life	17 ANDES SIEVE	ANDESIEVE
17 Boat's trail	18 TESTY TASER	TESTYTASER
18 Craps natural	19 "See ya!"	Yesterday's answer
19 Judge incorrectly, as a situation	20 Still around	25 Co-star of Fisher and Ford
21 Put away	21 Taken wing	26 Informers
22 This is one	22 Stand for a portrait	30 Namely, in Latin
25 Shade	23 Debate topic	31 Raft pilot
26 Dispatched	24 Island off Venezuela	32 Yarn
27 Cunning	25 Take back	34 Candidate of 2000
29 Waiting rewards	26 Padded footstool	36 Coat rack part



A XYDLBAAXR
is LONGFELLOW

One letter stands for another. In this sample, A is used for the three L's, X for the two O's, etc. Single letters, apostrophes, the length and formation of the words are all hints. Each day the code letters are different.

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CRYPTOQUOTE

X ACB CI MJCMAJ ALGJ KRCZ.

L I L R V L B B C F J X R

S R R J H J K K X D T I D J J O L R P

C I Z X B J D . — H X D A D J L R J D

Yesterday's Cryptoquote: THE REALLY WONDERFUL THING THAT HAPPENED TO ME WHEN I WAS IN SPACE WAS THIS FEELING OF BELONGING TO THE ENTIRE UNIVERSE. — MAE JEMISON

SUDOKU

Sudoku is a number-placing puzzle based on a 9x9 grid with several given numbers. The object is to place the numbers 1 to 9 in the empty squares so that each row, each column and each 3x3 box contains the same number only once. The difficulty level of the Conceptis Sudoku increases from Monday to Sunday.

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

Difficulty: ★★★

SOLUTION:

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