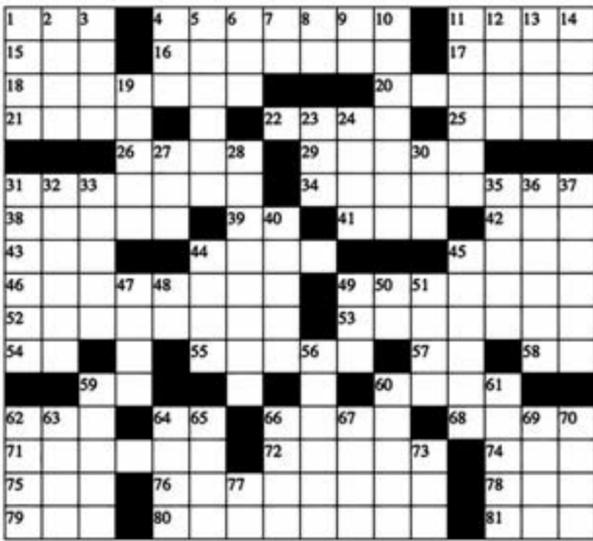


Stars

CROSSWORD 1866



ACROSS

1. A chronic skin disease occurring primarily in women between the ages of 20 and 40.
4. (prosody) The accent in a metrical foot of verse.
11. Belonging to or derived from or associated with a divine power.
15. Any high mountain.
16. (zoology) Lacking a tail or taillike appendage.
17. The part of the eye that contains the iris and ciliary body and choroid.
18. A language of Australian aborigines.
20. Entangle or catch in or as if in a mesh.
21. Type genus of the family Arcidae.
22. An organization of countries formed in 1961 to agree on a common policy for the sale of petroleum.
25. (prefix) Opposite or opposing or neutralizing.
26. Type genus of the Gliridae.
29. Having been taken into the mouth for consumption.
31. A small flat triangular bone in front of the knee that protects the knee joint.
34. A puzzle where you fill a square grid with words reading the same down as across.
38. Worn or shabby from overuse or (of pages) from having corners turned down.
39. The blood group whose red cells carry both the A and B antigens.
41. Imperial dynasty that ruled China (most of the time) from 206 BC to 221 and expanded its boundaries and developed its bureaucracy.
42. A loose sleeveless outer garment made from aba cloth.
43. The 7th letter of the Greek alphabet.
46. Someone who listens attentively.
52. At any future time.
53. (of spatial position) In or brought into line with or into proper relative position.
54. A Mid-Atlantic state.
55. Having help.
57. The 13th letter of the Greek alphabet.
58. Informal terms for a mother.
62. A master's degree in fine arts.
68. A Hindu prince or king in India.
71. A widely distributed rock-forming feldspar.
72. Small tropical American tree bearing edible plumlike fruit.
74. 4-wheeled motor vehicle.
75. East Indian tree bearing a profusion of intense vermilion velvet-textured blooms and yielding a yellow dye.
76. Lack of strength or vigor esp from illness.
78. An independent agency of the United States government responsible for collecting and coordinating intelligence and counterintelligence activities abroad in the national interest.
79. A federal agency established to coordinate programs aimed at reducing pollution and protecting the environment.
80. Author of satirical attacks on medieval scholasticism (1494-1553).
81. A white linen liturgical vestment with sleeves.

DOWN

1. An informal term for a father.
2. (Welsh) Corresponds to Iris Ler.
3. Surpassing the ordinary especially in size or scale.
4. A compartment in front of a motor vehicle where driver sits.
5. Any of various spiny trees or shrubs of the genus Acacia.
6. A metric unit of volume or capacity equal to 10 liters.
7. A bivalent and trivalent metallic element of the rare earth group.
8. A yellow trivalent metallic element of the rare earth group.
9. A white metallic element that burns with a brilliant light.
10. (Greek mythology) The daughter of Agamemnon and Clytemnestra.
11. All of the inhabitants of the earth.
12. Kitchen appliance used for baking or roasting.
13. For fear that.
14. A member of an extinct North American Indian people who lived in the Pit river valley in northern California.
19. East Indian cereal grass whose seed yield a somewhat bitter flour, a staple in the Orient.
23. Seed of a pea plant.
24. (used of count nouns) Every one considered individually.
27. A digital display that uses liquid crystal cells that change reflectivity in an applied electric field.
28. A cut of pork ribs with much of the meat trimmed off.
30. The longest division of geological time.
32. Being such by origin.
33. Remove from memory or existence.
35. Large heavily built goat antelope of eastern Himalayan area.
36. In the same place (used when citing a reference).
37. A nation in northern North America.
40. Having the head uncovered.
44. Small buffalo of the Celebes having small straight horns.
45. Someone who engages in debate.
47. A tall perennial woody plant having a main trunk and branches forming a distinct elevated crown.
48. The square of a body of any size of type.
49. An informal term for a father.
50. Angular distance above the horizon (especially of a celestial object).
51. A characteristic sound.
56. Constituting or having to do with or suggestive of a literary epic.
59. A coffee cake flavored with orange rind and raisins and almonds.
60. (computer science) American Standard Code for Information Interchange.
61. The capital and largest city of Bangladesh.
63. Any broad thin and limber covering attached at one edge.
64. Essential oil or perfume obtained from flowers.
65. Any of the Hindu sacred writing.
66. Ratio of the opposite side to the hypotenuse.
67. Fallow deer.
69. A correctional institution used to detain persons who are in the lawful custody of the government (either accused persons awaiting trial or convicted persons serving a sentence).
70. An Arabic speaking person who lives in Arabia or North Africa.
73. An association of countries in the western hemisphere.
77. A soft silvery metallic element.

Friday's Solution



STAR TRACK



Aries (March 21-April 19)

Aries, you're open to changes on every level; you could find your thoughts stuck on ways to make the world a better place. New friends turn you on to a new group studying some of the cosmic mysteries you long to know more about. Take care not to collapse yourself into new beliefs or activities until you're sure they fit your life. Pulling yourself up from precious behavior is prominent; remember your choices are your own. Something occurs that causes you to pause and reevaluate your life; this could be an enormous emotional breakthrough! Possessions hold an important place among your priorities; remember to gauge the importance of people, places and things honestly. Enjoy yourself this evening doing what you please to promote healing, Aries.



Taurus (April 20-May 20)

Taurus, there is an energy of restlessness and dissatisfaction present today. Your emotions seem shallow, even absent; you neglect your needs in this area. You could have a tendency to want things that go against your morals or values. Dealing with something in your past takes priority. You seek evolution on the spiritual front as you reconcile some of your actions with what motivated them; remember to make honest choices and not let anyone goad you into making mistaken assumptions. Friends call on you for help with a project you have helped with before. Your stubborn will and refusal to give up is very valuable as you work on a difficult task. You enjoy being home this evening and relaxing with a book or familiar movie you love, Taurus.



Gemini (May 21-June 20)

Gemini, you may feel overshadowed by your partner, roommate or friend; you could feel trapped or unable to express yourself in your own unique ways, this slows your progress. With all that's going on you may not be able to find your focus. Be still and let your connection to spirit reconnect. Music creates vibrations that uplift and soothe. An opportunity to look at new investment options brings exciting news. A change in work or career could be near if you choose to go in this direction. An elder offends you with an opinion about something you're doing they don't understand. A shopping trip proves productive and provides much needed escape; remember to keep a close eye on your pocket book when a unique item catches your eye, Gemini.



Cancer (June 21-July 22)

Cancer, you buck the system, so to speak, when called upon to make an important decision for the future; listen to your logic and intuition on this one. Your desire for intimacy pushes itself to the fore when you find yourself alone with someone you adore. You feel withdrawn from work and the surroundings of it; home is where you want to be. A domestic project holds your attention as you tie up the details. A visitor stops by to lend support and a sympathetic ear regarding a private matter. Bringing order and sense to the planning stages for a garage sale of some type of fundraising activity is done with ease; people love this quality in you! You admire something of elegance and beauty within your home environment you hadn't noticed before now, Cancer.



Leo (July 23-August 22)

Leo, you tend to think outside the box when making changes around the house. Color schemes are easily combined to create the energy you want. A wonderful find at a garage sale or auction house turns into a very valuable purchase. Home is where you want to be; cooking, cleaning or any domestic tasks appeal to you; your nesting instincts are in full execution mode and this all comes together perfectly! Food becomes the focus after hard physical activity and the grill seems in order, weather permitting. You may want to keep your comments to yourself as you could be misunderstood. A group environment provides information you need to design a garden or some type of addition to your home or office; relax and let what you require flow straight to you, Leo.



Virgo (August 23-September 22)

Virgo, you're determined to truly start taking care of your health. Perhaps a health scare or simply feeling poorly spark sincere efforts to recharge your body; a result of this is heightened spiritual awareness; when your connection to the source is uncluttered you can also experience mental and spiritual improvements. A friend pops in with a request for help in a personal, fiery situation; this person is someone you have attempted to help before, but he or she doesn't listen to the advice they ask for. Nothing can break the grasp you have on bettering your own situation in life. Whatever makes you admire or feel better about yourself is important and you have an opportunity later to join in an admirable effort. Stretch and breathe to relieve tension, Virgo.



Libra (September 23-October 22)

Libra, your career makes huge progress as your hard work pays off in acres! Opportunities to continue your accomplishments are abundant and you make plans to develop more; make the best of this prosperous phase while it lasts. Practical thinking saves time and trouble during a quick shopping trip. Your focus is on making money and securing the future for you and your family or loved ones. Your finances improve with the paying off of another long-term debt. Common sense creates a path to finding more answers for health care concerns; you may slack off on your exercise program due to low energy. Pick yourself up and get back into your healthy routine. This could be a good time to approach those in authority with your new ideas for work, Libra.



Scorpio (October 23-November 21)

Scorpio, being overconfident causes some memorable pitfalls you don't soon recover from. You wrestle with your willfulness and win. Your best bet is to go with the very best rather than the flashy ones when it comes to confidants you can trust. Listen to your heart and create what you want. You feel the urge to consider the long road rather than the tiny lane; decisions now can determine the quality of your life for some time to come. You haven't gone too far to turn back on a new deal you're having doubts about, but act now before it's too late. If you're involved in buying new real estate double check the appraiser or realtor handling your property; there could be problems! It's sometimes best not to engage in business with family or close friends, Scorpio.



Sagittarius (November 22-December 21)

Sagittarius, a strong sense of family unity is felt now and into the year; this is most important to you now. You could be coming out of a dark tunnel regarding an intimate relationship; this period of time could be make or break your future. Joining a fitness program pays off when you realize how much better you look and feel. Lunch with friends reveals secret activities that could be considered scandalous; sometimes the biggest things happen right under our noses without being noticed by anyone! Later, you're popular at a gathering where your humor and charm are an asset and a pleasure to family and friends. A problem with the house is solved after you discover an easy way to fix it; you're handier than you think, so give yourself credit, Sagittarius.



Capricorn (December 22-January 19)

Capricorn, your taste and judgement are impeccable; yours is the best strategy presented at a family meeting. Domestic chores spur new thoughts about how to do something in an easier manner; remember, necessity is the mother of invention! You could be in line for a promotion or a raise. You know what means the most to you; the confusion has lifted! This is a perfect time to reassess your finances, investments and other monetary issues. You could find yourself infected with an ear bug; one of those songs you hear just once and it won't go away! You could suspect someone of taking advantage of your generous nature; you're a pretty good judge of character. A family gathering brings happy news with a special announcement, Capricorn.



Aquarius (January 20-February 18)

Aquarius, your thoughts are turned into eloquent speech when you express them to others. The attitudes of those around you are easy for you to read; this is a period of intuitive energy. Your mind stays on the unknown workings involving spirit and other mystic interests. You're motivated to express yourself in the most beautiful ways possible: art, writing, sculpting or other artistic methods. Friends request your help in a small domestic project that creates unity and enjoyment. Some shares your interest in the purpose of life. Being cherished and wanted is a priority for you as you follow your desire to grow and hear new ideas and theories. Weather permitting, take the telescope out for stargazing for visit a planetarium tonight, Aquarius.



Pisces (February 19-March 20)

Pisces, others oppose and criticize your ideas and the methods you suggest; some prefer to work harder, not smarter; be patient, they'll see you're right. Stay with the known ways even if they're slower and less effective; you'll still complete the project. Finances are doing well and continue to grow beneath your steady hand. If you have lost something valuable, you could find it in a most surprising place today or tomorrow. Teamwork is successful in reaching a goal many said couldn't be reached. You bite your tongue when someone challenges you regarding something you were not involved in; this settles down soon. Your focus is fixed upon a new project having to do with real estate or design of some kind; let your imagination be your guide, Pisces.

Wordsearch Puzzle

Shakespeare: Hamlet

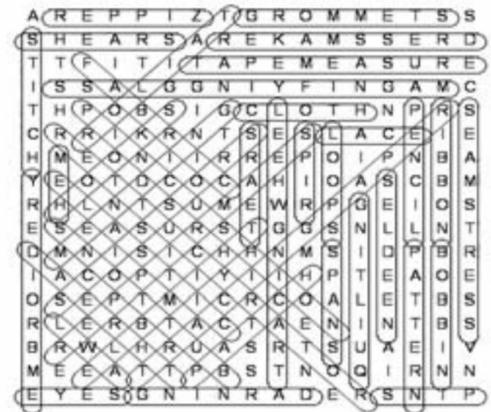
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| DENMARK     | HORATIO      | POLONIUS   | TRAGEDY     |
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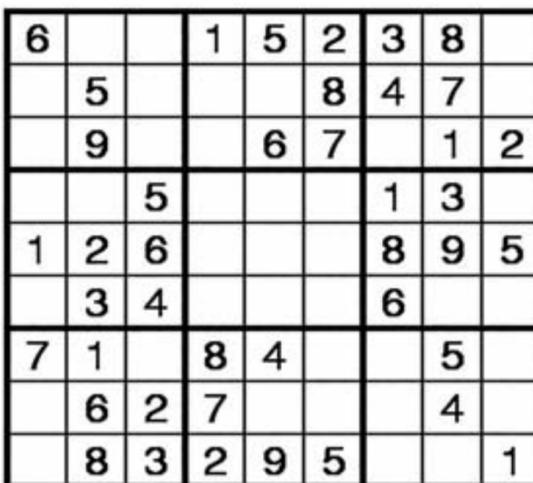
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| DARNING    | MENDING          | SCISSORS      | TEARS         |
| DRESSMAKER | NEEDLES          | SEAM RIPPER   | THIMBLE       |
| ELASTIC    | PATCH            | SEAMSTRESS    | THREAD        |
| EMBROIDERY | PATTERN          | SEAMS         | TRACING PAPER |
| EYES       | PENCIL           | SHEARS        | TRACING WHEEL |
| FABRIC     | PINCUSHION       | SNAPS         | ZIPPER        |
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The hidden sentence is: A STITCH IN TIME SAVES NINE

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