

Thursday's Puzzles

Crossword

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ACROSS

- 1 Disgusted
- 6 Hawk's grabber
- 11 Peace goddess
- 12 Rust, for one
- 13 Film legend Garbo
- 14 Metal fastener
- 15 Suggests
- 17 Sinking signal
- 19 Binary digit
- 20 Dr. of rap
- 23 German vowel topper
- 25 Barking beast
- 26 Ability to spend freely
- 28 "A Death in the Family" author
- 29 Asian capital
- 30 Snooze
- 31 Use a ray-gun on
- 32 Toronto-to-D.C. dir.
- 33 Whipped cream helping
- 35 Godzilla's home
- 38 Make blank
- 41 In the know
- 42 Folded foods
- 43 Liquefies
- 44 Luges

DOWN

- 1 Greek export
- 2 Screw up
- 3 Dead-to-the-world state
- 4 Golden Rule word
- 5 Thick fog
- 6 Rich dessert
- 7 Symmetry line
- 8 Tyler of "The Lord of the Rings"
- 9 Keats work
- 10 Catch
- 16 All things considered
- 17 African nation
- 18 Letter after psi
- 20 Probe's destination
- 21 Billing info
- 22 Cow of commercials
- 24 Bonobo, e.g.
- 25 Runner on snow
- 27 Some pills
- 31 Map areas
- 33 Blowgun ammo
- 34 Test type
- 35 Copier problem
- 36 Really impress
- 37 Bud
- 39 Lawn material
- 40 Snaky shape

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Cryptoquote

A X Y D L B A A X R
is L O N G F E L L O W

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. 10-2

S F W O N R J D Z Q G G N N E W T R D H

M D X R E X F G T H G X R X B R H F X .

— L R E E R G U G W D Q R D H

Wednesday's Cryptoquote: BITTERSWEET OCTOBER. THE MELLOW, MESSY, LEAF-KICKING, PERFECT PAUSE BETWEEN THE OPPOSING MISERIES OF SUMMER AND WINTER. — CAROL BISHOP HIPPS