

Friday's Puzzles

Crossword

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ACROSS

- 1 Rings
- 6 Kick off
- 11 Lover of drama
- 12 Knight wear
- 13 Without letup
- 14 Because of
- 15 Teller of tales
- 17 Iditarod need
- 18 Primary
- 20 Against
- 22 Alias letters
- 23 Tolerate
- 26 Flower girl, often
- 28 Winger of films
- 29 Confused
- 31 Auction unit
- 32 Gambling city
- 33 Make do
- 34 Tennis great Arthur
- 36 Ibsen's home
- 38 Prepare for another war
- 40 Big books
- 43 Spine-tingling
- 44 Turn away
- 45 Composer Bruckner
- 46 Yogurt additive

DOWN

- 1 Old hand
- 2 Long, long time
- 3 Flying legend
- 4 Bolshevik leader
- 5 Bar mixer
- 6 Blue
- 7 "I'm not kidding"
- 8 Women's rights legend
- 9 Learning method
- 10 Walked over
- 16 Scoundrel
- 18 Fingernail treatment, for short
- 19 Similar
- 21 Junction
- 23 Penn of "Milk"
- 24 Field yield
- 25 Despise
- 27 "Ta-ta!"
- 30 Chaotic spot
- 33 Garlic unit
- 34 Open space
- 35 Glimpsed
- 37 Rough guess
- 39 Chess pieces
- 41 Botch
- 42 Pig place

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THURSDAY'S ANSWER

BULL		PAYEEES
ERIE		AZALEA
ANNA		POPFLY
USED	CARS	
	DUO	EAGLE
HARPY		STRAW
ALI		ARE
MOVES		MENDS
STERN		END
	MACH	ISMO
STRIKE		GLUM
COINED		MALE
IMPEDE		AMEN

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. 9-12

N V W I X B V T P F E V T C R W U T R T A X .

J A H W L X T A , X B T W A D G I J G

L W V I J V H E C X B V W F N B J A

T O E X H W W V . — J D E Q E J M T G C

Thursday's Cryptoquote: TREAD SOFTLY! ALL THE EARTH IS HOLY GROUND. — CHRISTINA ROSSETTI