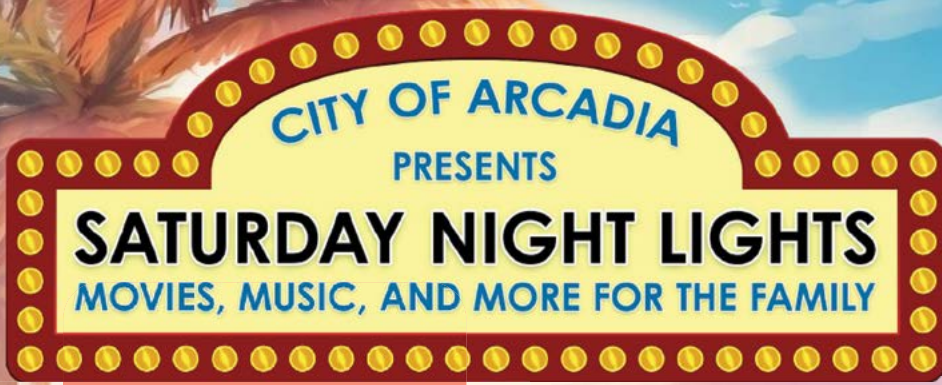


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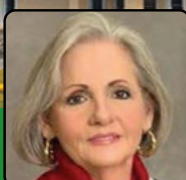
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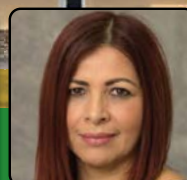
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HODGES, DAVID ALLEN:

Damage Prop-Crim Misch - Over 200 Under 1000 Dols Previous Conviction

IBARRA, ROBERTO CARLOS:

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MOBLEY, TELLY SAVALES:

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- 1
- 1
- 1
- 920 sqft
- 1

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- 3
- 3
- 3
- 5,212 sqft
- 2

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- 3
- 2
- 2,048 sqft
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-
- 0.24 acres
-

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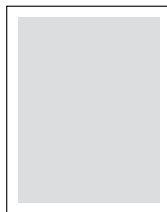
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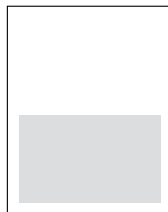
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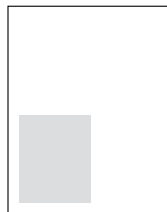
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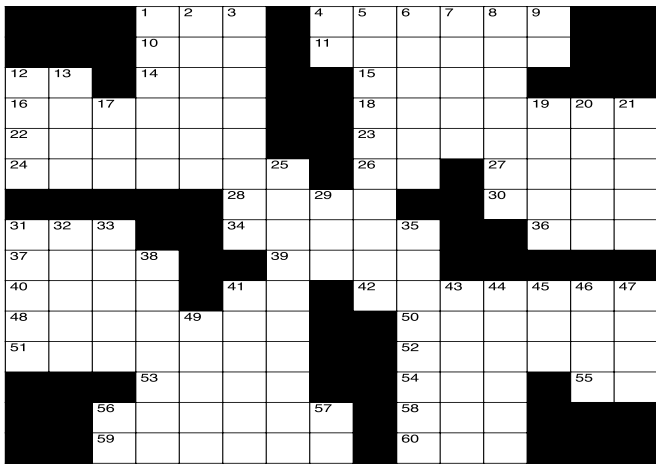


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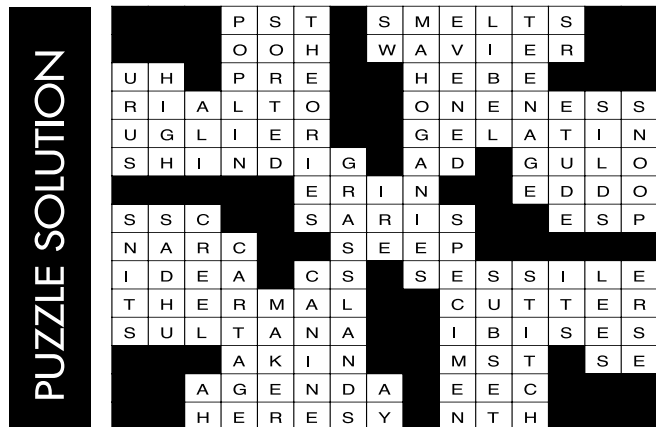


CLUES ACROSS

- 1. Pacific standard time
- 4. Extracts through heating and melting
- 10. Express delight
- 11. More curvy
- 12. Expression of uncertainty
- 14. Indicates before
- 15. Daughter of Hera and Zeus
- 16. Southwestern CA city
- 18. Unified
- 22. Less attractive
- 23. Base of jellies
- 24. A large and noisy party
- 26. He was traded for Luka
- 27. Wolverine genus
- 28. "Happy Days" actress Moran
- 30. Root of taro plant
- 31. Student environmental group (abbr.)
- 34. Silk garments
- 36. Unique power
- 37. Ray Liotta cop film
- 39. Leak slowly through
- 40. Notion
- 41. Atomic #55
- 42. Fixed in one place
- 48. About heat
- 50. Type of baseball pitch
- 51. Seedless raisin
- 52. Large wading birds
- 53. Similar
- 54. Time zone
- 55. Atomic #34
- 56. Program
- 58. Old world, new
- 59. Contrary belief
- 60. "To the ___ degree"

CLUES DOWN

- 1. Plain-woven fabric
- 2. Classed
- 3. Suppositions
- 4. Midway between south and west
- 5. Tropical American trees
- 6. Leveled
- 7. Published false statement
- 8. Adolescent
- 9. Junior's father
- 12. Aurochs
- 13. Not low
- 17. Boxing's GOAT
- 19. Short musical composition
- 20. Small immature herrings
- 21. Eavesdropper
- 25. Parcels of land
- 29. Anger
- 31. Irritations
- 32. Hindu holy man
- 33. Wicker basket for fish
- 35. Natural object
- 38. Transporting in a vehicle
- 41. A dog is one
- 43. Smaller portion
- 44. Sew
- 45. Belonging to a thing
- 46. Horsley and Greenwood are two
- 47. Scottish language
- 49. Producer
- 56. Exclamation of surprise
- 57. Russian river



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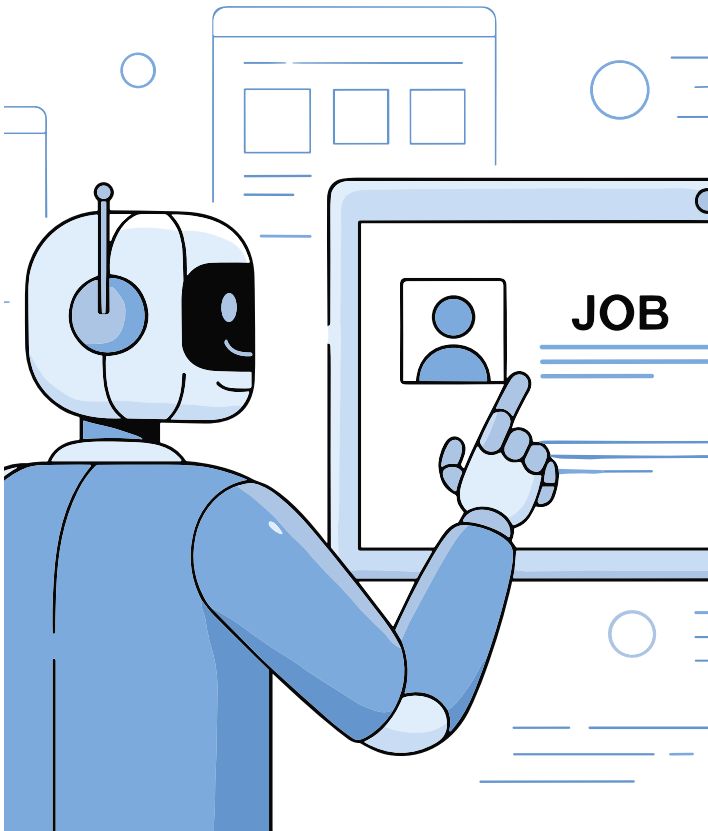
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Answer: Brooke Shields

WORD SCRAMBLE

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T S X T E

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Answer: Texts





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INFORMATION ON THE COUNTRY OF IRAN OR PERSIA OF THE OLD TESTAMENT OF THE BIBLE

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In 1980 Iran and Iraq went to war over several boundary disputes. Iran's history began in 1988 when the regions were formed. Their religion is strict Islam. Their money or currency was called Rial. Iran is an oil rich nation in the middle east bordered by the Soviet Union in the North, on the East by Afghanistan and Pakistan and on the West by Iraq and Turkey.

Iran is heavy into the nuclear air field and is trying to build nuclear weapons. The country has been controlled by an evil dictator for many years killing many people who resist the radical government. The people there was peace and freedom. Folks, the whole Middle East region is going to be dragged into this crisis. This situation requires much prayer with the true God of the Bible, not a Muslim Dictator.

Folks, I think God is going to have to intervene in this war. We sure don't want a nuclear war. The Bible makes many statements on this situation. Many people on both sides are being killed. Open your hearts up folks and pray to God for a victory and peace and freedom.

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Level: Advanced

WORD SCRAMBLE

Rearrange the letters to spell something pertaining to dairy.

S E C E H E

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Answer: Cheese



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Each number corresponds to a letter.
(Hint: 1 = A)

A. 15 21 1 4

Clue: Rides on water

B. 9 1 4 9 7

Clue: Nab

C. 15 1 3 4

Clue: Lures in

D. 2 3 18 19 20 5

Clue: Heavy item

Answers: A. boat B. catch C. bait D. sinker



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Level: Beginner



OBITUARIES

Richard Louis Peacock



A Life Well Lived

Richard Louis Peacock, Jr., a devoted son, brother, educator, journalist, and lifelong learner, passed

away on March 5, 2026, leaving a legacy of curiosity, compassion, and love for family, friends, and community.

Born in Fort Myers, Florida, to Sandra Hill Peacock and Richard L. Peacock, Sr., Richard spent his early years in Punta Gorda before moving to Arcadia, where he excelled academically and graduated with honors from DeSoto County High School.

He continued his education at Morehouse College, graduating with honors in 1996. There, he served as an Office Manager and Editorial Assistant for The Journal of Negro History, supporting scholarship that preserved

and advanced African American history. He later earned a master's degree from Florida Atlantic University and further honed his journalism skills at The Poynter Institute. His work earned multiple awards, including recognition for highlighting the story of the "Fighting Bailey Brothers."

After a successful journalism career, Richard answered a calling to education. He furthered his training at Columbia University and dedicated himself to teaching and mentoring. As Chair and Professor at Bethune-Cookman University, he empowered students through knowledge, critical thinking, and historical

understanding.

Richard leaves to cherish his memory his loving mother, Sandra Hill Peacock; his sisters, Yolanda Peacock and April Peacock; his beloved dog, Max; his aunt, Charlotte P. Carter; his uncles, Booker M. Hill and James B. Hill, Sr.; and his cousins, Romona Gollman, Vonda Morrison, Tonya Carter, Falana Staples, Sundiata Hill, Sonni Hill, Csorrell Cason, Sandra Hill, James Hill, Jr., and Jamon Hill. He is also remembered fondly by many extended family members and dear friends. His legacy of love, wisdom, and joyful spirit will live on in all who knew him.



Our Father,
who art in heaven,
Hallowed be thy Name.
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As it is in heaven.
Give us this day,our
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And forgive us our trespasses,



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And lead us not
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But deliver us from evil.
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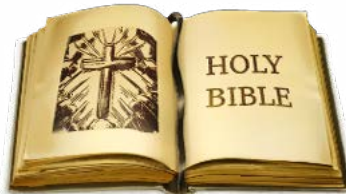
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	10		24
		1	12
19	24	29	

1	2	9
8	10	6
4	12	20

Solution

Get Scrambled

Unscramble the words to determine the phrase.

AMEG, TSE, TMCAH

Answer: Game, set, match

CANADA



HISTORY

1849

The Hayes House in Dalhousie Square is leased for Parliamentary purposes. The parliament will sit alternately in Quebec City and Toronto.

NEW WORD

VOLLEY

strike of a ball before it hits the ground

How they say that in...

English: Tennis
Spanish: Tenis
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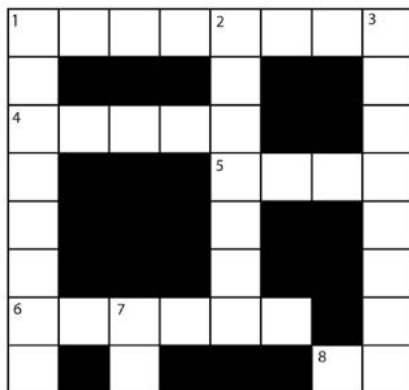
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Crossword Puzzle



ACROSS

- Speed
- Walks through woods
- Slightly open
- Motor
- For example

DOWN

- Cars and trucks
- Group of travelers
- One year old animal
- Move from one place to another

Answers:
Across
1. Velocity 4. Hiker 5. Ajar 6. Engine 8. EG
Down
1. Vehicles 2. Caravan 3. Yearling 7. Go

People FACT:

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Answer: Wash their cars

CANADA MONTH



HISTORY

1917

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English: Engine
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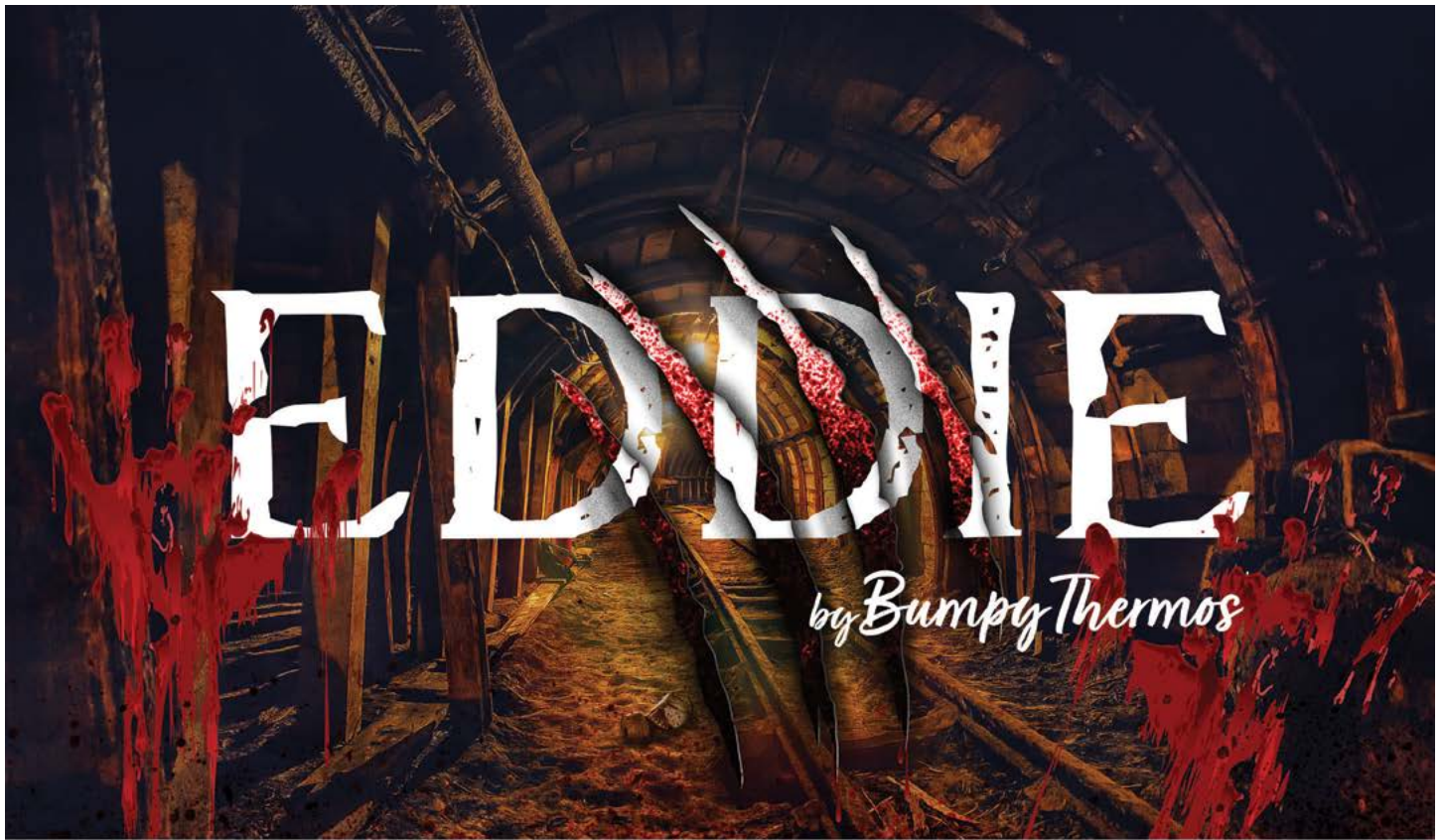
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CHAPTER 7

After all that trouble to get the cabin secure, was one of them in the cellar? Jerry quickly locked the cellar door. He wasn't sure if one of those monsters was in there or not, but he wasn't going to take any chances. All he knew was something was in there and he knew that lock was not going to stop much especially if it was a monster. But, what else could it be? Jerry had already seen one of those things carry George off, holding him in his mouth like a dog carrying a bone, running through the woods as if it had a trophy or something in its mouth with its long tail pushing it even faster. And all those bodies at the river, what else could it be but a monster? So, Jerry decided that he had to secure that door, but how? Then he remembered that he had used an old logging chain to pull down a half-broken limb by the river. But could he take a chance to go so far from the cabin? Jerry thought for a minute and decided that this was just about the only choice he had. It was way too far to try and make it to town and to get to any neighbors was just as far. And besides, were any of them alive? So,

Jerry takes off & he leaves the back door locked and barricaded. The monsters couldn't get through anything but the back door, so he left the front door and windows open. When Jerry got down to the river, he had to go right by the old miner's bodies that he had seen earlier. He stopped for a minute to take a good look at his old friends. The bodies were all torn apart and looked like some were eaten and some just left there to die, that whatever did this didn't just do it because of hunger, but for sport. There was still no way to figure out who was who, nor was there time to see if they were all there, and time was exactly what he didn't have. The fact was that at any minute one or both of those things would sneak right up on him and do him the same way it had done his friends. It is a wonder how Jerry got the logging chain out of that tree. He had to keep one eye on the chain and one eye looking all around to make sure he didn't have something sneaking up on him. While Jerry was gone to get the logging chain is when the guys looking for them came up to the cabin. When Jerry came back and saw them about to open the cellar door, he panicked and started yelling for them to stop and to not open that door. So now Jerry had caught everyone up. Everyone now knew

what had happened. They still didn't know for sure where everyone was, or if anyone was still alive or if they were all dead except for Jerry. But hearing what Jerry had told them wasn't making a lot of sense. After all, the only thing they had seen strange was Jerry's place with the torn-up cabin and yard. Still, Jerry's story was very scary and knowing what had happened didn't seem to comfort anybody. What about these monsters Jerry was talking about? Where were they? Were they coming back? Again, what about the monsters? Anyway, at least they were aware of the situation. Ok, now what? What should they do now? Was one of the monsters in the cellar? And if so, where was the other one? And, if it wasn't one of the monsters, where were they and when would they be back? And, if it wasn't one of the monsters, who or what was in the cellar? Everyone just looked at each other. The noise was still going on in the cellar, it was faint now, but still there. Who was going to look? Who was going to check on the cellar? Jerry decided that he would take the chance. He walks very slowly over to the cellar door and yells through the cellar door, hello he says, is anybody in there???



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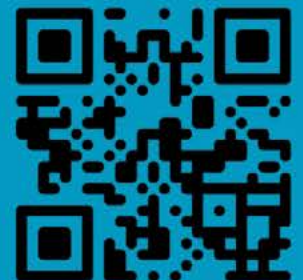
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