

ACROSS

1 Pear choice

5 Creep

9 Energy

12 Sweet sandwich

13 Concept

14 Glacial

15 Tropical tree

16 Try out

17 Sailor

18 Poetry contest

19 Compass dir.

20 Movie

21 Flamenco cry

23 "The Matrix" hero

25 "Ozark" star

28 Texas city

32 Decree

33 Cato's 1503

34 Full chromosome set

36 Come back

37 Floral ring

38 Buckeyes' sch.

39 Fireplace fuel

42 Baseball execs

44 Boxing arbiters

48 "Let me think ..."

49 Yonder thing

50 Swiss-born painter

51 Chef Garten

52 To be, in Paris

53 "Enchanted" girl in a 2004 movie

54 Calif. wine

55 Color worker

56 Holler

DOWN

1 Conks on the head

2 Spoken

3 Actress Ward

4 It might be caught in winter

5 Small bus

6 Paradise

7 Transmit again

8 Dennings of "Shifting Gears"

9 Tubular pasta

10 Optimist's credo

11 Burning heap

20 Complete with-

21 drawal (or

22 "I'll handle it"

24 Chair designer Charles

25 Race segment

26 Chemical suffix

27 French diarist

28 Anais

29 Lucy of "Kill Bill"

30 Football filler

31 Fall from grace

35 Four-score

36 List

39 Brainiac

40 Hotel chain

41 Muscat's land

43 Stallion's mate

45 Vogue rival

46 Toppled

47 Navy commando

49 Slugger Williams

a Thanksgiving leftover)

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Solution time: 26 mins.

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Yesterday's answer 11-29

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Yesterday's Cryptoquip: STINGING INSECTS  
THAT LOOK AS THOUGH THEY'RE TRIPPING  
WHEN THEY ATTEMPT TO WALK: STUMBLE-  
BEES.

Today's Cryptoquip Clue: K equals H