## SCORES IN BRIEF

ICC Cricket World Cup
SOUTH AFRICA 2003

**Australia v Pakistan, Pool A**
Wanderers Stadium, Johannesburg
February 11, 2003
Toss: Pakistan
**AUSTRALIA**: 310-8 in 50 overs (Symonds 143 n.o, Ponting 53; Akram 3/64).
**PAKISTAN:** 228 in 44.3 overs (Akram 33, Latif; Harvey 4/58).
**Result: Australia won by 82 runs.**
**Man-of-the-match: A Symonds.**

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**India v Netherlands, Pool A**
Boland Bank Park, Paarl
February 12, 2003
Toss: India
**INDIA**: 204 in 48.5 overs (Tendulkar 52, Mongia 42, Yuvraj 37; de Leede 4/35).
**NETHERLANDS**: 136 in 48.1 overs (D van Bunge 62; Srinath 4/30, Kumble 4/32).
**Result: India won by 68 runs.**
**Man-of the-match: T de Leede.**

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**South Africa v Kenya, Pool B**
North West Cricket Stadium, Potchefstroom
February 12, 2003
Toss: Kenya
**KENYA:** 140 in 38 overs (R Shah 60; Klusener 4/16).
**SOUTH AFRICA**: 142-0 in 21.2 overs (Gibbs 87, Kirsten 52).
**Result: South Africa won by 10 wickets.**
**Man-of-the-match: L Klusener.**

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**New Zealand v West Indies, Pool B**
St George's Park, Port Elizabeth
February 13, 2003
Toss: West Indies
**NEW ZEALAND:** 241-7 in 50 overs (Astle 46, Cairns 37, McCullum 36, Adams 35; Hinds 3/35, Drakes 2/49).
**WEST INDIES:** 220 in 49.4 overs (Sarwan 75, Jacobs 50; Adams 4/44).
**Result: New Zealand won by 20 runs.**
**Man-of the-match: A Adams.**

PHOTO: AFP

**MAN-OF-THE-MATCH: Australia's Andrew Symonds cuts one during his unbeaten 143 against Pakistan in the World Cup at the Wanderers on February 11.**

## Waqar sorry

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Pakistan captain Waqar Younis was disappointed at his team letting off Australia after Wasim Akram's early burst of three wickets had left the world champions struggling at 52-3.

"It was a blend of some bad bowling and some class batting by Symonds and he took away the game from us," Waqar said.

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**Follow Through Day 7**
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**Live at 10:00 pm**
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4. Bangladesh beat KwaZulu-Natal in their second World Cup lead-up match by:

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# Tigers caged by Canada

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match Austin Codrington hit him outside the line of the stump. Kapali's departure sparked a stunning collapse with Bangladesh losing their last five wickets for the addition of only 12 runs.

Tapash Baisya and Mashrafee bin-Mortuza returned for ducks after captain Khaled Mashud mistimed a rank long hop from left-arm spinner John Davison straight to Samad at mid-wicket.

Bangladesh's last rite was written when Mohammed Rafique skied to Davison off Codrington. Codrington, a right-arm seamer, had removed Hannan in his first over and then polished off the tail to finish with five for 27 of nine overs.

As soon as Davison had taken the high catch and threw it into the stands, the Canadians exploded in wild celebration. The six thousand strong crowd showed their appreciation and gave them a standing ovation.

It was Bangladesh's 27th consecutive defeat in one-day cricket, but few had expected the Test nation to cave in against a group of amateurs playing in only their second World Cup after a gap of 24 years.

Canada's first win ever in cricket's showpiece was their second success over Bangladesh in three outings.

Bangladesh have so far won just three of their 62 one-day matches.

**SCOREBOARD**

Scoreboard of the World Cup Pool B encounter between Bangladesh and Canada at Kingsmead in Durban on February 11:

**CANADA**

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|---|---|
| Maraj c Sanwar b Baisya | 24 |
| Davison b Mashrafee | 8 |
| Chumney run out (Al Shahriar) | 28 |
| Billcliff run out (Hannan) | 42 |
| Harris c Mashud b Sanwar | 4 |
| De Groot c Kapali b Sanwar | 0 |
| Sattaur lbw b Kapali | 13 |
| Bagai b Mashrafee | 7 |
| Thuraisingam lbw b Rafique | 6 |
| Codrington c Baisya b Monjurul | 16 |
| Joseph not out | 9 |
| Extras: (lb-7, w-14, nb-2) | 23 |
| Total: (All out in 49.1 overs) | 180 |

Fall of wickets: 1-18, 2-47, 3-70, 4-92, 5-104, 6-130, 7-134, 8-146, 9-159

| Bowler | O | M | R | W |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Monjurul | 8.1 | 1 | 30 | 1 |
| Mashrafee | 8 | 0 | 38 | 2 |
| Baisya | 3 | 0 | 26 | 1 |
| Rafique | 10 | 2 | 34 | 1 |
| Sanwar | 10 | 0 | 26 | 2 |
| Kapali | 10 | 0 | 19 | 1 |

**BANGLADESH**

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|---|---|
| Hannan c Bagai b Codrington | 25 |
| Al Shahriar c sub (Samad) b Joseph | 9 |
| Bashar c Bagai b Thuraisingam | 0 |
| Ehsanul c Bagai b Joseph | 13 |
| Sanwar lbw b Davison | 25 |
| Kapali lbw b Codrington | 19 |
| Mashud c sub (Samad) b Davison | 1 |
| Rafique c Davison b Codrington | 12 |
| Baisya c Sattaur b Codrington | 0 |
| Mashrafee c Sattaur b Codrington | 0 |
| Monjurul not out | 0 |
| Extras: (lb-2, w-14) | 16 |
| Total: (All out in 28 overs) | 120 |

Fall of wickets: 1-33, 2-44, 3-46, 4-76, 5-106, 6-108, 7-108, 8-119, 9-119

| Bowler | O | M | R | W |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Joseph | 8 | 1 | 42 | 2 |
| T'gam | 6 | 0 | 34 | 1 |
| C'ton | 9 | 3 | 27 | 5 |
| Davison | 5 | 1 | 15 | 2 |

**Result: Canada won by 60 runs.**
**Man-of-the-match: A Codrington.**
**Toss: Canada.**
**Umpires: Aleem Dar and BG Jerling.**
**TV Umpire: AV Jayaprakash.**
**Match Referee: GR Viswanath.**

# Blaming the ICC

ICC Cricket World Cup
SOUTH AFRICA 2003

**AFP,** *Johannesburg*

Controversial Indian cricket chief Jagmohan Dalmiya raised the stakes in the Zimbabwe World Cup boycott crisis on Thursday by accusing the world governing body of going out of its way to help England.

Dalmiya, a former head of the International Cricket Council (ICC), criticised the current leadership of "bending backwards" to favour England in its bid to shift its scheduled clash with Zimbabwe away from Harare.

"Let the ICC decide whether it is safe to play in Zimbabwe or not," Dalmiya said Thursday, one day before the tournament technical committee meets here to decide on the affair.

"If it is not safe, then it should shift all matches out of that country. But if it is safe, England should be docked four points."

England refused to play their Group A match in Harare, which was scheduled for Thursday, due to security concerns and claimed they had new evidence to support their claim which was being presented to the technical committee.

"It appears the ICC is bending over backwards to protect the interests of England at the cost of other competitors," Dalmiya said.

"We had waited for so long because we wanted an amicable solution and give the ICC enough time to sort out the matter.

"Being a competitor team playing in the same group, India could be put to a lot of disadvantage if England do not play in Zimbabwe.

"England's intention appears to be an intentional delay so that they can pursue a wait and watch policy to see how the other results in the group go before they make up their minds about playing in Harare."

The World Cup lost one its top fielders on Thursday when South Africa's Jonty Rhodes was forced out of his country's squad because of a broken hand.

The 33-year-old, who suffered the injury in a fielding accident against Kenya in Potchefstroom on Wednesday, was dropped from the squad to be replaced by Graeme Smith and on Friday is expected to announce his retirement from international cricket.

"It was one of the toughest conversations of my life," said Omar Henry, convenor of the South African selectors.

Meanwhile, New Zealand, who have refused to play their Group B game against Kenya in Nairobi on February 21, eased their fears about having to reluctantly make that trip with a 20-run victory over the West Indies at Port Elizabeth.

The Kiwis, semifinalists in two of the last three World Cups, made 241-7 from their 50 overs, with Nathan Astle top scoring with 46, before they dismissed the West Indies for 221.

Ramnaresh Sarwan hit 75 and Ridley Jacobs 50, but a tigerish display in the field ensured victory for the Kiwis.

## Red Letter Day

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has rich and colourful heritage in this part of the world.

Country's first Prime Minister John A Macdonald declared cricket as the national sport in 1867. Besides, the first-ever international match between Canada and America was held in 1844, forty years before Australia and England began their rivalry.

But that is a history now. The present generation does not even know the existence of Canada in the world of cricket.

"Is Canada also playing in the World Cup?" asked a Canadian who was travelling with this reporter to Durban from Cape Town.

Harris however felt that the win could be a starting point for the game to grow back home.

## End of Rhodes

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Rhodes said he was disappointed to be told by selection convenor Omar Henry that he would be replaced.

"But if I was in his situation I would do exactly the same."

Rhodes said Smith "should have been in the squad anyway" and he expected him to be an important player in the team.

"I'm expecting big things from Graeme. He adds a lot to the team on and off the field."

Although Smith does not field in the same position, Rhodes expected him to take over his role of shouting encouragement to the rest of the players. "He's got a big voice."

He did not envisage playing any formal role in cricket after his retirement.

"I'll encourage as many kids as possible to play, I don't have the patience to be an umpire or the temperament to be a coach and I'm not a commentator."

## Excuse Cairns

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He enjoyed English conditions that summer -- later bowling his country to their first ever Test win at Lord's and then snatching five wickets and hitting 80 runs as they won the final Test and the series.

Things got better in 2000-01 when he was named the top all-rounder in the world after claiming his best Test figures of 7-27 against the West Indies and joining father Lance as the only Kiwi to have taken 10 wickets in a Test.

## RESULTS AT A GLANCE

Results from international friendly matches on Wednesday:

***At Palma de Mallorca, Spain***
Spain 3 (Raul 31, 75-pen, Guti 81) Germany 1 (Bobic 38)
***At London***
England 1 (Jeffers 70) Australia 3 (Popovic 17, Kewell 42, Emerton 84)
***At Glasgow***
Scotland 0 Ireland 2 (Kilbane 9, Morrison 17)
***At Cardiff***
Wales 2 (Earnshaw 8, Hartson 74) Bosnia Herzegovina 2 (Baljic 5, Barbarez
***At Paris***
France 0 Czech Republic 2 (Grygera 7, Baros 61)
***At Genoa, Italy***
Italy 1 (Corradi 62) Portugal 0
***At Amsterdam***
Holland 1 (Van Bronckhorst 87) Argentina 0
*At Tunis*
Tunisia 1 (Najeh Brahem 48) Sweden 0
***At Belfast***
Northern Ireland 0 Finland 1 (Hyypia 49)
***At Paris***
Morocco 1 (Saber 64) Senegal 0
***At Limassol, Cyprus***
Cyprus 0 Russia 1 (Khokhlov 42)
***At Ljubljana***
Slovenia 1 (Rakovic 79) Switzerland 5 (H. Yakin 2, Haas 29, Frei 36, 77, Cabanas 50)
***At Guangzhou, China***
China 0 Brazil 0
***At Tbilisi***
Georgia 2 (Cholaria 60, Ashvetia 82) Moldova 2 (Golban 68, Dadu 83-pen)
***At Izmir, Turkey***
Turkey 0 Ukraine 0
***At Cairo***
Egypt 1 (Ahmed Hassan 20) Denmark 4 (C. Jensen 28, 68, 70, Tomasson 60)
***At Antalya, Turkey***
Latvia 2 (Rubins 27, Miholaps 57) Lithuania 1 (Blagonadezdins 32-og)
***At Nicosia***
Romania 2 (Munteanu 38, Ganea 41) Slovakia 1 (Vitter 6)
***At Heraklion, Greece***
Greece 1 (Kyrgiakos 26) Norway 0
***At Toulon, France***
Mali 1 (Doukhane 20) Guinea 0
***At Tripoli***
Libya 2 (Tarek Al-Taieb 27, 59-pen) Canada 4 (Staltieri 18, Hutchinson 34, McKenna 48, Canizalez 81)
***At Larnaca, Cyprus***
Bulgaria 1 (Jankovic 35) Hungary 0 - match abandoned
***At Annaba, Algeria***
Algeria 1 (Belmadi 89) Belgium 3 (E. Mpenza 2, 58, Sonck 7)
***At Split, Croatia***
Croatia 0 Poland 0
***At Ramat Gan, Israel***
Israel 2 (Nimni 19, Zanberg 61) Armenia 0
***At Valletta***
Malta 2 (Bogdanovic 15, Nwoko 61) Kazakhstan 2 (Zhumaskaliyev 71, Tarasov

## Rooney in record books

**AFP,** *London*

Wayne Rooney became the youngest ever England international here on Wednesday after coming on in England's 3-1 defeat by Australia at Upton Park at the age of 17 years and 111 days.

The prodigious Everton striker's extraordinary rise from obscurity to the international stage was completed when he ran out as a second half substitute among coach Sven-Goran Eriksson's 11 second half substitutions.

His first touch showed the confidence of a player more highly regarded than any other English youngster for a generation. He laid the ball off with his chest for Newcastle's Jermaine Jenas and picked up the return pass. A neat step over was followed by a cross that Aston Villa striker Darius Vassell nearly converted.

In the 69th minute Rooney swivelled and shot from outside the penalty area but he fell as he shot and the chance came to nothing. In stoppage time he tangled with Australia defender Lucas Neill after brilliantly keeping the ball in play from another Jenas pass, but he was adjudged to have fouled Neill.

Rooney gave a competent debut and succeeded in unnerving the Australia defence where his senior counterparts had failed dismally in the first half.

His appearance broke a record that James Prinsep had held for 124 years. Prinsep was 17 years and 253 days when he played for England against Scotland at the Oval in 1879.

Rooney also eclipsed the most recent teenage prodigy to make a mark for England. Michael Owen was first capped 59 days after his 18th birthday and was still only 18 when he scored one of the World Cup's greatest ever goals against Argentina in 1998.

Rooney has not even made an appearance for the England under-21 side having been catapulted straight from youth to full international level on the strength of a handful of attention-grabbing performances for Everton.

# England, France humbled

Football

**AFP,** *Paris*

Australia inflicted a humiliating defeat on England and European champions France were outclassed by the Czech Republic in Wednesday's friendly international action.

World champions Brazil were held to a 0-0 draw by China in Guangzhou while World Cup finalists Germany were beaten 3-1 by Spain in Majorca as Raul struck twice to become his country's highest scorer in history.

Australia won their first full international on English soil 3-1 with goals from Tony Popovic, Harry Kewell and Brett Emerton as England paid the price for fielding an experimental lineup at Upton Park.

At 17 years and 111 days old, Wayne Rooney became the youngest player to appear in an England shirt and 22-year-old Francis Jeffers scored but with coach Sven-Goran Eriksson using a different team in each half, England were always chasing the match.

Eriksson said: "If this had been a World Cup or a European qualifier I don't think we'd have made those kind of mistakes.

"The result was bad but I don't think the performance was that bad."

His Australian counterpart, Frank Farina, paid tribute to Kewell's match-winning performance. "Every time Harry touched the ball he looked dangerous," Farina said.

"I think the boys were playing for bragging rights, especially the UK-based ones."

France fielded a near full-strength team but failed their sternest examination since their disastrous World Cup campaign, losing 2-0 at the Stade de France.

Goals from Zdenek Gryera and Liverpool striker Milan Baros handed Jacques Santini his first defeat since taking over last year.

"The majority of the players were just not up to what we can normally expect from them," said Santini.

Lazio striker Bernardo Corradi scored on his debut to give Italy a 1-0 win over Euro 2004 hosts Portugal in Genoa.

One of three new caps, Corradi pounced from close range in the 62nd minute after Portugal goalkeeper Ricardo had failed to hold Fabrizio Miccoli's stinging shot.

The match was Luis Felipe Scolari's first in charge of Portugal after guiding Brazil to victory in last year's World Cup.

In Brazil's first match under new coach Carlos Alberto Parreira, superstar striker Ronaldo limped off injured and his teammates laboured to a 0-0 draw against China.

Holland beat Argentina with an 87th minute thunderbolt from Arsenal midfielder Giovanni van Bronckhorst in Amsterdam.

The match appeared to be heading for a goalless draw when van Bronckhorst hit a powerful 20-yard shot which gave Argentinian goalkeeper Pablo Cavallero no chance.

Raul claimed the all-time Spanish goalscorer's record when he collected a high ball from Ruben Baraja and fired a low shot past Oliver Kahn after 31 minutes.

Fredi Bobic pulled Germany level but 25-year-old Raul raised his tally to 31 goals in 59 games by converting a penalty after he had been fouled in the box.

A goal from Guti completed the job for Spain.

Brian Kerr had a victorious debut in charge of Ireland as his side beat Berti Vogts' Scotland 2-0 at Hampden Park with early goals from Kevin Kilbane and Clinton Morrison.

Wales twice came from behind to force a 2-2 draw with Bosnia-Herzegovina which extend their unbeaten run to a new national record of nine matches.

John Hartson notched the 74th minute equaliser after Elvir Baljic and Sergej Barbarez had put the visitors ahead at the Millennium Stadium.

Robert Earnshaw had first equalised for Wales.

"I accept that we didn't play particularly well but I was obviously pleased with the result," said Welsh boss Mark Hughes.

World Cup semi-finalists Turkey were held to a goalless draw by Ukraine in Izmir.

But it was a good night for north African football as Morocco beat an under-strength Senegal 1-0 in Paris, giving new Senegal coach Guy Stephan a bad start, and Tunisia shocked Sweden 1-0 in Tunis in former France boss Roger Lemerre's second game in charge.

# Ronaldo's threat to Real

Football

**INTERNET,** *Madrid*

Ronaldo has said he would consider a move to Arsenal after being branded self-indulgent by his Real Madrid boss Vicente del Bosque.

The world-player-of-the-year, who arrived at the Bernebeu in a 20 million pounds move from Inter Milan last summer, was criticised for not being a committed team player.

And Ronaldo admitted that talking to Real teammate Steve McManaman has aroused his interest in joining an English Premiership club.

"Steve has told me many times that in England I would score goals for fun," Ronaldo told British tabloid The Sun.

"Arsenal are one of the great traditional English clubs so perhaps I should go and play for them.

"The idea of taking my career to the Premiership is very attractive.

"I know a lot about English football and admire the achievements of Manchester United and Arsenal."

A switch to Arsenal would pair the World Cup's golden boot with French strike star Thierry Henry, as well as fellow Brazilian Gilberto Silva.

"All the players at Real Madrid, with one exception are completely involved in working for the team," Del Bosque had said at a book launch in Salamanca, comments that were widely quoted by Spanish media on Thursday.

"The only player who is different is Ronaldo. Zidane, Figo and Raul, to name the most famous players, all work hard for the team. They know that they shine when the team is playing well and winning titles.

"Ronaldo is like a little self-governing island all to himself within our squad.

"He has not made Real Madrid worse but he has not improved it either.

"As a coach, if you are happy with somebody behaving like that because he thinks he is a star then fine.

"If not, you find someone else who follows team rules."

However, Del Bosque was forced into a damage limitation exercise later on Thursday.

He quickly sought to defuse the row, saying he had not intended to criticise Ronaldo, who is due to return from international duty with fellow Brazilians Roberto Carlos and Flavio Conceicao.

RONALDO

"I wasn't criticising or censuring Ronaldo -- absolutely not," Del Bosque told Spanish radio station Honda Cero.

"I'm sure I expressed myself badly. I speak in a lot of places and talking so much is dangerous. When I spoke yesterday I wasn't being accurate.

"I wasn't criticising Ronaldo when I said he didn't get involved in defensive work for the team, I was just stating a fact. He gives us great attacking qualities and to give him defensive duties wouldn't suit his characteristics."

## Shame on you

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"The Board is spending thirty per cent of its revenue (nearly two crore taka a year) as payment of the cricketers' salary, tour fees, match fees, bonuses. So, it is expected that the players should at least honour the desire of the millions."

Cricket committee chairman Mahabhbul Anam said, "But they brought us not only a defeat. It was the blackest day in the history of Bangladesh cricket."

"I cannot understand how could they managed a defeat while chasing a modest 180 runs at a place where they successfully chased 250 and that too against a better side a week ago."

"They lacked commitment and application while batting. It appeared to me the batsmen wanted to blow the Canadians away. But in the end they proved like a bunch of chokers," Mahabub observed.

The batting debacle had also troubled a neutral South African journalist, who was working for a local radio station as well for London's Daily Telegraph.

"Now I have to rewrite the whole thing after your team's defeat," he said after almost compiling his report sensing a Bangladesh victory.

## Latif's U-turn

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"This is my last World Cup and I want to enjoy it," Latif said.

"I don't want to be distracted from the main task and that is to help Pakistan win the World Cup."

After ICC match referee Clive Lloyd had cleared Latif on Wednesday, Gilchrist said he considered the matter close.

Gilchrist said there had been no apology from Latif and he could not make a judgement on whether he was owed one.

"I wouldn't have raised the issue if I hadn't found it offensive. I was shocked by the comment I believe I heard," he said.

"I and Latif had always had a good relationship both on and off the field. I hope there is no animosity between the two teams when they meet again."

## CROSSWORD By Eugene Sheffer

**ACROSS**
1 Out of work
5 Self-important sort
8 Antenna, maybe
12 Precious
13 Promptly
14 Jane Austen novel
15 Stationary
17 Overconfident
18 Royal crown
19 Stops along the way
21 LAX info
22 Oklahoma city
23 Kyoto cummerbund
26 Pigs' digs
28 Plagiarize
31 Search through
33 Partake at a picnic
35 TV sports award
36 Domesticated
38 Expert
40 Shirt type
41 Medical suffix
43 "Monty Python" opener
45 Refinement
47 Says
51 Herring's cousin
52 Undying
54 Location
55 Somebody's initials?
56 Farm fraction
57 "On Your —"
58 Blond shade
59 "I'm glad that's over!"

**DOWN**
1 "— it my way"
2 Actress Moore
3 Tibetan monk
4 Wear away
5 Enliven
6 Scale member
7 Stockholmer, e.g.
8 Notwithstanding
9 Shameless
10 Filthy stuff
11 Crones
16 Track transactions
20 Nav. rank
23 Calendar abbr.
24 Feathery accessory
25 Sacrifice by fire
27 Mouth
29 Mimic
30 Caustic solution
32 Additionally
34 Win
37 Affront (Sl.)
39 Sgt. Snorkel's dog
42 Hindu god of destruction (Var.)
44 Soda-shoppe item
45 Attention-getter
46 Where Ashtabula is
48 Impress deeply
49 Exceptional
50 Dispatched dragons
53 "— for the million ..."

**Solution time: 21 mins.**

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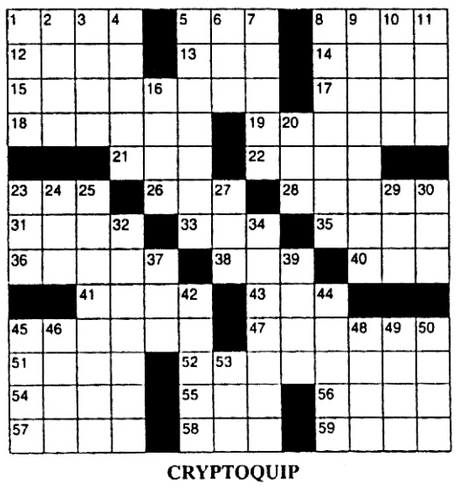

**CRYPTOQUIP**

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**Yesterday's Cryptoquip:** FOR HIGH-SCHOOL SCIENCE CLASS I REALLY HATED STUDYING FRICTION. IT'S SUCH A DRAG.

Today's Cryptoquip Clue: L equals P

The Cryptoquip is a substitution cipher in which one letter stands for another. If you think that X equals O, it will equal O throughout the puzzle. Single letters, short words and words using an apostrophe give you clues to locating vowels. Solution is by trial and error.