

ANSWERS AND SOLUTIONS

THE ELECTRONIC SPELLER by Faith W. Eckler

The four words not found in the typewriter's dictionary are **beep**, **idiocy**, **perchance**, and **initialisms**.

KICKSHAWS by Eric Albert

Names and Occupations 1. a worker in a bakery 2. a female baker
3. a female brewer 4. a professional fighter, a champion
5. a dairy worker 6. a falconer 7. a smith or farrier
8. a person who "fulled" cloth, cleaning it 9. a steward
10. literally "hedgeward", one in charge of fences and enclosures
11. literally "kill hog", a slaughterer 12. a launderer
13. a spur-maker 14. a dealer in silks and other such fabrics
15. a dispenser of provisions, a steward or butler
16. a toll-bridge keeper 17. a cloth-worker
18. a cloth-worker, who trod cloth in order to clean it
19. a weaver

Names and Bears bear

A Slang Quiz 1. cheap wine 2. drunk 3. pregnant 4. vomit
5. a long distance away (Australian) 6. death by shooting
7. to be clever 8. vomit 9. small-time criminal
10. European civilization course 11. anthropology course
12. lunchtime intercourse 13. masturbate

YUPPIES, BUPPIES, OINKS AND DINKS by Leonard R. N. Ashley

1. young urban professional 2. black urban professional
3. gay urban professional 4. previously upward-mobile professional
(now out of a job with the stock-market debacle) 5. person with
double income no kids 6. single income, three kids already
7. one of a couple in a one-income no kids relationship
8. expensive (or costly and pretentious) 9. expensive (but
available to anyone who can pay for it) 10. child (or other tax
deduction) 11. important business luncheon 12. singles' bar
decorated with ferns, etc. 13. automobile used merely to get places
(not socially) 14. level of income or similar status
15. burning desire to move out of an apartment into a condominium
(for its tax advantages) 16. various fashionable Long Island
communities (many with Hampton in the name, but not necessarily)
17. polite name for assimilated Jews 18. secretary
19. loan on one's house (a sort of mortgage) 20. percentage costs
of mortgages or other such loans 21. caring only (or almost
exclusively) for business advancement at all costs
22. trading in the stock and bond markets on the basis of
privileged information 23. return of yuppie to parents' home

- because of loss of job or insufficient funds 24. not in my back yard (put your undesirable new facility elsewhere)
 25. it's not my problem, it's yours (I'm OK, to hell with you)

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