



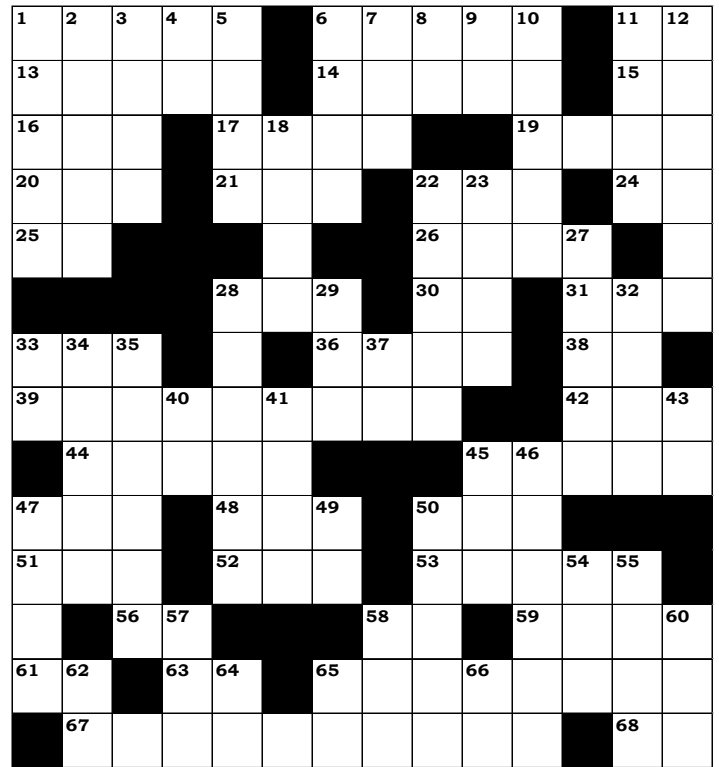
Puzzle #673

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ACROSS

1. "It's the best thing since sliced bread!" This well-____ catchphrase extolled a product invented in Mo.
6. Speed ____.
11. Letters after a signature on a letter indicating an additional remark.
13. Innocent; lacking wisdom or experience.
14. "...aided by God's grace, (man) succeeds in achieving his own ____ integrity," —Vatican Council II; *Gaudium et Spes*, 37, 2.
15. Letters for Electronic Arts, 2nd largest video game co. in America and Europe.
16. One in Bonn.
17. Until the early 1900's, a person purchased a whole loaf of bread and cut it at ____, one slice at a time.
19. Cain's brother.
20. ____ disappeared from Mo. 150 yrs. ago from overhunting and habitat loss. Now, through the Mo. Dept. of Conservation, a 346 sq. mile restoration zone has been established where more than 100 of them range freely.
21. Quality or Holiday.
22. To become more aware of one's feelings, counselors suggest four basic emotions to consider: mad, glad, ____, and afraid.
24. Roman numerals used for the Super Bowl played in 2017.
25. A car's designation as a

- Luxury Sedan.
26. Lower digits.
28. Rocky hill.
30. Letters for artificial intelligence.
31. Ball holder.
33. A veteran's org.
36. "With the Almighty as their ____." (2 Macca-bees 8:24).
38. Short for Oxford Univ. in Oxford, England; oldest Univ. in the English-speaking world, dating back to 1096.
39. Forging ahead, Otto Rohwedder built a factory to make his bread-slicing machine. But, a fire destroyed his ____ and blueprints.
42. On a Monopoly board, the Short Line and the B&O (abbr.).
44. "We have met the ____ and he is us," —famous quote from Pogo, a former comic strip by Walt Kelly.
45. Louisiana's ____ country is home to the people called Cajuns.
47. A 60's hallucinogenic drug.
48. The Cure of ____; St. John Vianney.
50. Cashew or pecan.
51. Far, far away something, somewhere, somehow, is creating particles with crazy amounts of energy. Discovered in 1962, we describe them as ultra high energy (____) cosmic rays.
52. To win a ____ in tennis, you must win at least six games.
53. Islam's name for God.
56. A brand of soda.
58. Abbr. for the 5th bk. of the Bible.
59. The first woman was formed from ____ of the man (2 wds.).
61. Yippie-____-yay; expression from "I'm an Old Cowhand," first recorded by Bing Crosby in 1936.
63. "What is nobler than to



- mold the character ____ the young?" —St. John Baptist de la Salle, patron saint of Catholic school teachers.
 65. This pre-sliced bread trend was standardized and reinforced by other inventions that required uniform slices, such as ____.
 67. By 1933, sliced bread was a ____ success as American bakeries produced more sliced bread than unsliced bread.
 68. 12-step program for over-eaters.
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1. What one does on a priedieu.
 2. "Unless I see the mark of the ____ in his hands... I will not believe," (John 20:25).
 3. Pig talk.
 4. Mountain State (abbr.).
 5. Brand of soda.
 6. To depict in painting or in words.
 7. Suffix for nectar or salt.
 8. State known as the land of 10,000 lakes (abbr.).
 9. Abbr. for in other words.
 10. In 1912, Otto Rohwedder, a jeweler by ____, living in St. Joseph, Mo., invented a machine that would effectively slice a whole loaf of bread at one time.
 11. What one does to an orange or banana.
 12. This county is named for its salt springs. Marshall is its County Seat.
 18. Let's move __ __ the next item on the agenda (2 wds.).
 22. His device was not well received by bakers who feared pre-sliced bread would go ____ faster.
 23. 4 of the 6 possible vowels.
 27. In 1928, Rohwedder's new bread slicing and wrapping machine was put into service by the Chillicothe (Mo.) Baking Co., meriting a front page ____ in the local newspaper.
 28. Speaker of #2 DOWN quote.
 29. The blind singer/songwriter ____ Charles was named a "living legend" by the Library of Congress.

32. This monetary unit replaced the franc and deutschmark in 1999.
33. The ____ is next in line if the Pres. is somehow incapacitated (abbr.).
34. Undeterred by the fire, Rohwedder re-invented his machine, this time with the capacity to also wrap the bread to keep it ____.
35. By 1930, in St. Louis, the ____ Bread brand was introduced as a sliced bread to a larger market by Continental Bakery Co.
37. A vinyl record usually recorded at $33\frac{1}{3}$ RPM.
40. *Adoro* ____ *devote*...
41. The cities of ____ and Sidon were famous in the ancient Near East as port cities on the Mediterranean coast and known in the OT & in the NT as pagan territory (e.g., Luke 10:13 & 14).
43. The internet code for the Soviet Union. Though that entity dissolved, it remains in use for Russia.
45. "The foundations of the Lord's temple...were completed in the month of ____, the eighth month, in the eleventh year," (1 Kings 6:38).
46. A spear-throwing instrument. The Mo. ____ Assn. was formed in 1996. Competitions have been held in Hermann, Springfield, Columbia, Trenton, & Jefferson City. It was authorized for hunting deer & turkey in Mo. in 2010.
47. "This is the third time; I hope good ____ lies in odd numbers," —Wm. Shakespeare, "The Merry Wives of Windsor."
49. Letters for *Summa Theologica*, a compendium of Catholic philosophy & theology by the great Thomas Aquinas.
50. In Thailand, the name of a quiet unspoiled white sands beach with palm trees, blue water, and gorgeous scenery just up from the beautiful beach resorts at Phuket.
54. "...wherever children and petty cares and cooking and arguments and reconciliation ____, that is where God is too," — from *The Last Temptation of Christ* by Nikos Kazantzakis.
55. ____shima, Japan; one of two cities destroyed by an atom bomb in WW II.
57. Ending of an email address.
58. Gambler, gunslinger and dentist, "____" Holliday.
60. Letters for youth org. the motto of which is "Be prepared."
62. Letters for the parishes at Owensville and St. James.
64. Not AM but ____.
65. Letters for Tootsie Roll Industries on the NYSE.
66. Ending for me or men.