

# CROSSWORD

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## ACROSS

- 1** Lone Star staters  
**7** Cain's brother  
**11** Salem's state  
**12** Concert highlight  
**13** Coped  
**14** Archaeologist's find  
**15** City on the Passaic  
**17** Almanac bit  
**20** Assignments  
**23** Spanish gold  
**24** Discipline  
**26** Earth: Prefix  
**27** Vacuum lack  
**28** Low digit  
**29** Not neat  
**31** Sturgeon eggs  
**32** Cut's counterpart  
**33** Munich mister  
**34** Louisiana school  
**37** Doofus  
**39** Reduce to only the best  
**43** Workers' home  
**44** Concert bonus

- 45** Mid-month time

- 46** Like ranked players

## DOWN

- 1** Male turkey  
**2** Important time  
**3** Struck out  
**4** Deal maker  
**5** Network junction  
**6** Skiing surface  
**7** Houston team  
**8** Reader's destination  
**9** Shade source  
**10** High tennis hit

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## Yesterday's answer

- 16** Isolated  
**17** Mist over  
**18** Game setting  
**19** Wood-burning appliance  
**21** Met performer  
**22** Snide expression  
**24** Caravan creature  
**25** Stylish  
**30** Piano pieces  
**33** Therefore  
**35** Impresses  
**36** Muse count  
**37** Greek X  
**38** Jar part  
**40** Silent assent  
**41** Refiner's stuff  
**42** Tie the knot

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