

ANSWERS TO THE MAY PUZZLER



“Flower Show”

Each of eleven affected answers contains a river's name. Shaded letters spell  
A RIVER RUNS THROUGH IT.

*Across.* 1. CAN (double def.) 5. MATE(r) 11. A + BAND + ON 13.  
R(EVER) + B 14. FED (double def.) 15. PAIUTE (anag.) 16. U(L)NA 18.  
S(TROD) + E 19. S(HI)ITE 21. BOOM (double def.) 24. A + L(I) + B + I  
26. DREDGES (double def.) 27. CLOSER (double def.) 28. A + DO(BE)S  
31. ELBA (rev.) 32. O + PEN + ED 35. ADD (homophone) 36. ALI  
(hidden) 37. UNVEILS (anag.) 38. HE + IS + T 39. D + RAFT

*Down.* 1. CAR + D 2. ABE + L 3. PINE (double def.) 4. ONE PAIR (*won  
pear* homophone) 5. (e)MILE 6. DIET (double def.) 7. RISER (hidden) 8.  
(c)ASTRO 9. THE(ODOR)E 10. EDDIE (homophone) 12. LAETRILE  
(anag.) 14. FURBISHED (anag.) 17. ST(AGE)ONE 20. H(A + RD)EDGE  
22. DYSLEXIA (anag.) 23. MIST (homophone) 25. ROE DEER (*row dear*  
homophone) 27. CON + ANT 28. A + BASH 29. O + VOID 30.  
BURRO(w) 33. PERI (anag.) 34. S + ELF