

This puzzle has 9 letters to each answer, once you have completed the Crossword part of the puzzle there will be 9 letters in 9 shaded boxes. Rearrange those 9 letters to answer the clue at the end of the puzzle.

1		C		2		B		3		4		5		
								6		F			O	
7		N				V								
								8		L			A	
9		O				I								
								10		A			O	
11		A				A								
								12		P			A	
13		S				E								

CLUES

ACROSS

- 1 INCOMPETENT
- 6 EXTREMELY WICKED
- 7 CONCOCTED
- 8 MITIGATE
- 9 TRIAL PERIOD
- 10 OSTENTATIOUS
- 11 WIPE OUT, DESTROY
- 12 CONTRITE, SORROWFUL
- 13 INSIPID

DOWN

- 1 NASCENT
- 2 OCCURING BEFORE THE EXPECTED TIME
- 3 IMPERILS
- 4 PRUDENT, ECONOMICAL
- 5 FEMALE CINEMA EMPLOYEE

Now rearrange the letters in the gray squares to reveal to reveal a species of bird.

Each letter of the alphabet has been substituted for another. Replace each letter with the correct one and you will have a quote by Theodore Roosevelt.

Z	U	M	B	U	K	U

T	R	Y

P	E	W

E	W	O

T	R	Y	G'	U

C	E	M	X	L	E	T

A	C	U	G	U