

## March 2012 Curmudgeon

This puzzle commemorates the hundredth anniversary of a tragedy. Clues are arranged in alphabetical order of their solutions

MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT	SUN
	(28) 8d	(29) <sub>13aw</sub>	<b>1</b> 13ac	2 1aw	<b>3</b> 1d	<b>4</b> 1ac
	Troubled celebrity chef turns up (5)	Bankrupt chap changing direction (5)	Self important minor official, leader of regiment - a bungler (7)	Indian unit of distance incorporating time and expenses (5)	Copper coin, an old measure (5)	Divided skirt is quaintly pleasing enveloping a great deal (7)
<b>5</b> 4d	6 21aw	7 11d	<b>8</b> 18ac	9 <sub>4aw</sub>	10 <sub>2aw</sub>	<b>11</b> <sub>2d</sub>
Acquires from saner conversion (5)	Baron leaves defeated and destroyed (5)	Railroad workers once made of wood (5)	According to Will, renders gentle meanest revolutionary (7)	European transport for team member (5)	Edge over the borderland of Hell (5)	Regularly claim moiety as predetermined price (5)
12 <sub>15aw</sub>	13 <sub>24ac</sub>	14 <sub>6d</sub>	15 <sub>14aw</sub>	16 10d	17 <sub>17ac</sub>	18 <sub>16aw</sub>
Substitute doctor for three-quarters crazy university master (5)	Romans ruined and unknown stone-work (7)	Light-coloured wood used to make Amati (5)	Tenor follows second and seventh note in choral composition (5)	Energy in horse food for team member (5)	Constructed to help view from crumbling Capitol (7)	Regrets embracing primarily lax standards (5)
19 <sub>22aw</sub>	20 <sub>12d</sub>	21 <sub>5d</sub>	22 <sub>9ac</sub>	<b>23</b> 9d	24 5ac	25 7d
Unfortunately singular, in a poor way, losing head (5)	Impertinent remark about Southern Sweden (5)	North Briton with time for team leader (5)	Short spells of rain in hills locally including a bit of rumbling after sun (7)	Second XI to go by boat (5)	Short violent storm creates wild traumas (7)	Silent adroitness including a modicum of intelligence (5)
26 <sub>20aw</sub>	27 <sub>19ac</sub>	28 <sub>3aw</sub>	29 <sub>19aw</sub>	30 <sub>3d</sub>	31 <sub>23ac</sub>	
Comes at end in reorganised A-list (5)	Loose rags of sailors circling heart of ghettos (7)	The French chasing Scottish tug in sporting championship (5)	Burden with mark, emblem or symbol given undue respect (5)	Delicate material of thin dessert biscuit, half of it missing from centre (5)	Playing whist, with no heart, unruly adolescent asked for another card (7)	March 2012