

Solution to Puzzle #152 – January, 2014 "Proof"

A	N	D	R	E	W	S	I	N	U	L
B	Y	G	O	N	S	I	N	G	E	M
O	G	A	N	T	A	N	G	Y	B	A
L	A	N	C	E	K	E	P	T	O	N
U	S	G	O	N	Y	P	R	O	R	A
T	E	P	A	S	T	A	L	I	N	G
E	R	A	L	E	E	T	I	L	E	C
A	S	T	E	S	M	I	X	E	R	O
N	C	E	R	I	P	O	S	T	E	S
T	A	R	T	N	E	S	T	S	P	O
O	L	B	R	E	R	W	I	L	E	S

The omitted letters (in parentheses in the list below) spell
FERMAT'S LAST THEOREM

Across

1. **ANDREW**
2. SIN(F)UL
3. BYGON(E)
4. SINGE
5. MO(R)GAN
6. TANGY
7. BALANCE
8. KE(M)PT
9. ONUS
10. (A)GONY
11. PRORATE
12. PASTA
13. LINGER
14. A(T)LEE
15. (S)TILE
16. CAST(L)ES
17. MIXER
18. ONCE
19. RIPOSTE
20. START
21. NEST
22. SPOOL
23. B(A)RER
24. **WILES**

Down

1. AB(S)OLUTE
2. ANTONY
3. GAS(T)ER
4. SCALD
5. GANG
6. PATER
7. BRONCO
8. ALERT
9. RENT
10. (T)ENSE
11. SINEW
12. S(H)AKY
13. TEMPER
14. S(E)INE
15. PATIO
16. SWING
17. PR(O)LIX
18. ST(R)INGY
19. TOILET
20. SLUE
21. BORNE
22. REPEL
23. MANAG(E)
24. COS(M)OS

Kevin Wald solved the puzzle in 30 minutes.