

the string game

January 1, 2013 HAPPY (DIZZY) NEW YEAR



Today is the first day of

2013

in Roman numerals

MMXIII

which in Scrabble would be $3 + 3 + 8 + 1 + 1 + 1 = 17$ points

SEVENTEEN

being the jersey number of baseball great

DIZZY DEAN

Dizzy Dean is MLB's **penultimate**

30 GAME

winner (1934) after Detroit's Denny McLain (1968)

[The winner of another "30" game - SUPERBOWL 30 - was the

DALLAS COWBOYS

the **2nd most** valuable sports franchise in the world next to

MANCHESTER UNITED]

Dizzy Dean pitched for the St. Louis Cardinals, Chicago Cubs, and

ST. LOUIS BROWNS

a bygone team who in 1954 became the

BALTIMORE ORIOLES

a bird species who often winter in the tops of

SHADE COFFEE TREES

in

MEXICO

America's largest importer of

COFFEE

which is the U.S.'s **next to largest** commodity after

OIL.

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