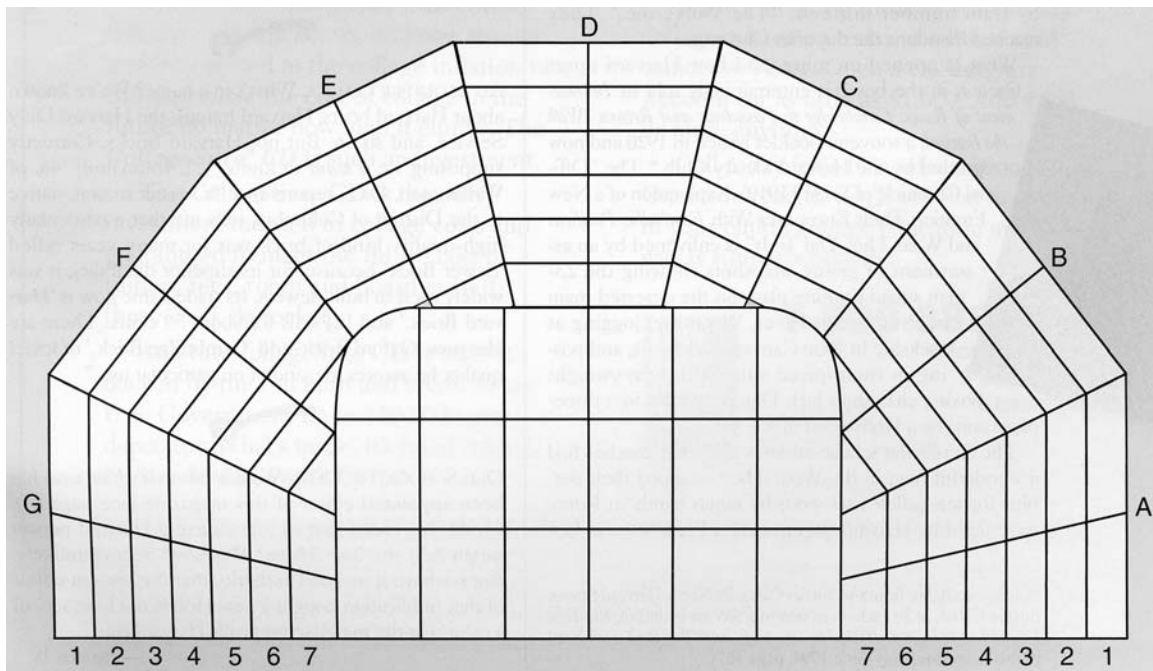


Puzzle

"Hall of Fame"

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Instructions: The cryptic clues define fourteen radial words, sections A to G, and twenty row words, 1 to 7, to be entered in the grid in the order of their clues. All spaces, including partial spaces, should be filled with letters. Radial words start at the right and proceed leftward, some reading in, others out, solvers must determine which. Row words read from left to right, three to a row except for row 7 which has only two, and eighteen of them won't fit unless one of their letters is removed. If those eighteen letters are entered alphabetically in the central section of the grid, it will be seen that eight letters of the alphabet are missing, and those eight missing letters—taken alphabetically 2,1,3 1,1,2 2, and 2 times respectively—anagram to a two-word phrase appropriate to the grid. Answers include one proper name.



Clues:

Sections

- A Stuck tot about at this point
Caress bird model
- B Arkansas couple (you and me?)
describing what it's like to solve this
puzzle
Disfiguring scar in stone markers
- C Has a meal out of food, in essence
Holy man's dress is kind of light
- D Proper lineage without first of sons
Intense always in southeast
- E End of deal added to code piece
Measure the one in charge
- F Numbness begins in vestige of
dreamlike state
Certain about notes, make inference
- G Stir, boil, cover with cinders, get rid of
Friend with good cards, great houses

Rows

- 1 Minister beyond gold
Put together, fix, meddle
Sweet century and year

- 2 A bachelor justice (upper class) about
to recant
Saint Thomas, and that's not all
Sound of market is quite grotesque
- 3 Compost for all of flowers
Hear destruction on count
More expansive Wisconsin color
reflected
- 4 Usual confusion surrounds Minnesota
graduate
Edge of river geography
Animal very dry and failing
- 5 Municipal palindrome
Writhing serpent has turn of heart
Counting, mark mountain pass
- 6 English county gender follows two
directions
Rolls rolls
Small group by virtue of being in South
Dakota
- 7 Pronoun as in "his," hers"
Southern Pennsylvania resort

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