

COMMUNICROSTIC PUZZLE

Puzzle No. 281

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The solution to this puzzle is a quoted text (diagram at right) that should interest Communications Society members. If you can guess a few of the clue words (below), you are on your way to solving the puzzle. Copy each letter into the correct numbered square in the diagram. Then start guessing words in the text, and with the aid of the letters in the upper right hand corner of each square, see which clue word the letter of the solution appears in. If there is no black square at the end of a line, the word wraps to the next line. The initial letters of the clue words, when read from top to bottom, spell the author and title of the text's sources. This month's answer will appear in the August issue.

Clues

A Defamation

Words

129 25 3 212 79 217 215 156 228
246 50 14

B From the outside

71 29 136 205 47 83

C Sloth

31 38 106 113 141 61 18 82 51
185

D Diplomatic agent

179 44 150 187 242

E Unsuccessful approach that tried to allowing disparate communication conventions to interwork (3 wds.)

30 173 110 177 186 1 153 143 241
8 139 247 24 43 132 89 114
122 100 68 213 191 232 218
226 197 162

F High time

85 207 12 107

G Unmanned airplane

196 10 20 72 118

H MPLS

112 64 171 146 52 90 211 233 182
130 40 158 134 194 121 206 221
227 244 200 231 76 73 5
103 13 34

I 6 wds. at a funeral

240 70 92 108 140 88 201 23 174
229 80 219 252 181 11 209 41
115 163 223 160 189

J When the vertical and horizontal components of a wave are in phase (2 wds.)

16 148 235 74 58 125 175 54 248
135 131 28 168 145 225 17 77
97

K Japanese wrestling

104 220 22 192

L Sixth deadly sin

133 149 245 216

M Goofs

147 21 55 109

N Cause of spectral red shift (2 wds.)

60 164 49 95 2 251 101 9 19
78 36 180 4

O Scare

250 39 167 142 67 99 137

P Rabbit

120 6 237 151

Q Digital link figure of merit (2 wds.)

166 184 159 93 81 202 161 63 37

R Feel sorrow

98 176 128 48 239 111

S Southern Japanese island

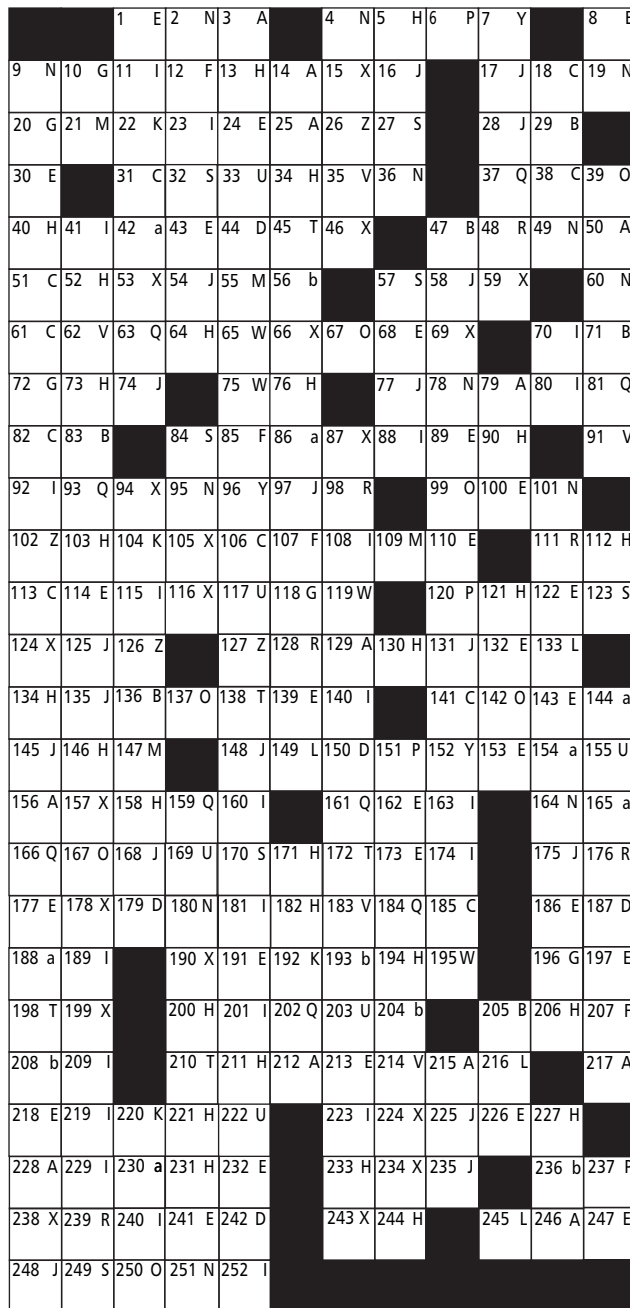
84 123 32 27 170 57 249

T Hold an opinion

172 210 45 198 138

U Ecological activists

155 203 169 117 33 222



V Lariat

35 214 62 91 183

W Goddess of discord; she threw the Golden Apple

195 65 75 119

X Basis of early automatic telephone exchanges (4 wds., 3 hyph.)

178 53 15 190 66 116 59 157 124
94 87 234 238 199 46 105 243

Y Shortest Frank McCourt title

7 96 152

Z Ratio of probabilities

26 102 127 126

a Resuscitates

42 230 165 154 144 86 188

b Young urban professional

204 208 193 236 56