



## **SHERLOCK HOLMES CANONPUZZLES**

**Word Search, Criss Cross & Crossword Puzzle**

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# **The Adventures of Sherlock Holmes**

## **The Adventure of the Noble Bachelor**

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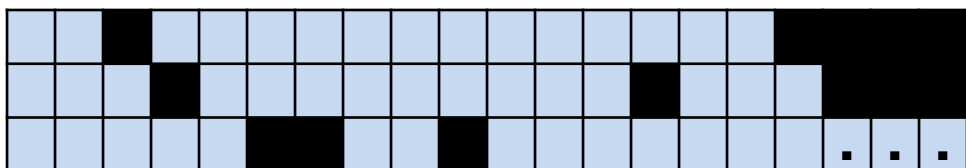
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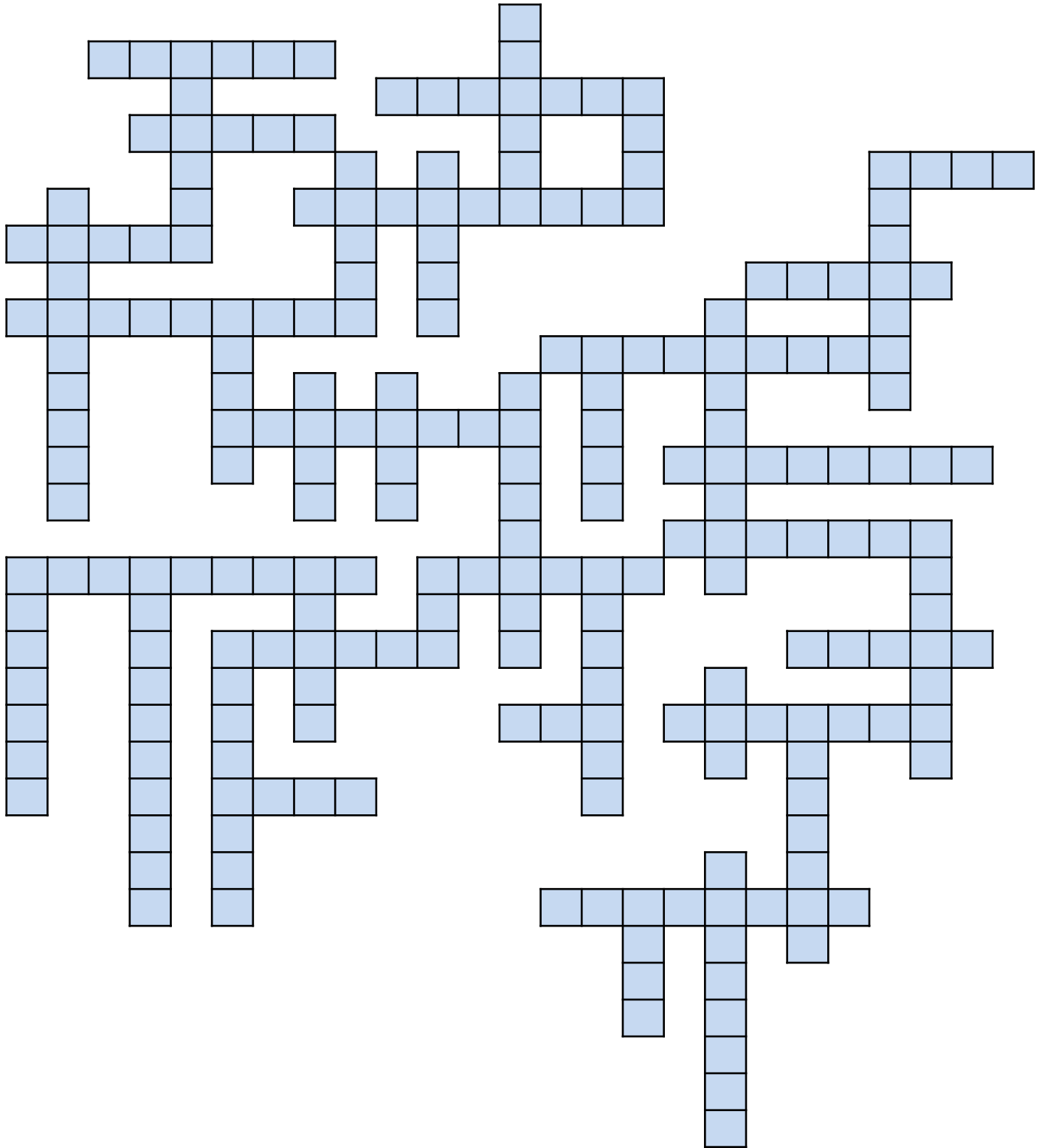
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- ACQUIESCE
- AGONY
- ALLIANCE
- ASPIRED
- AZURE
- BONNET
- BOY
- CALTROP
- CLAIM
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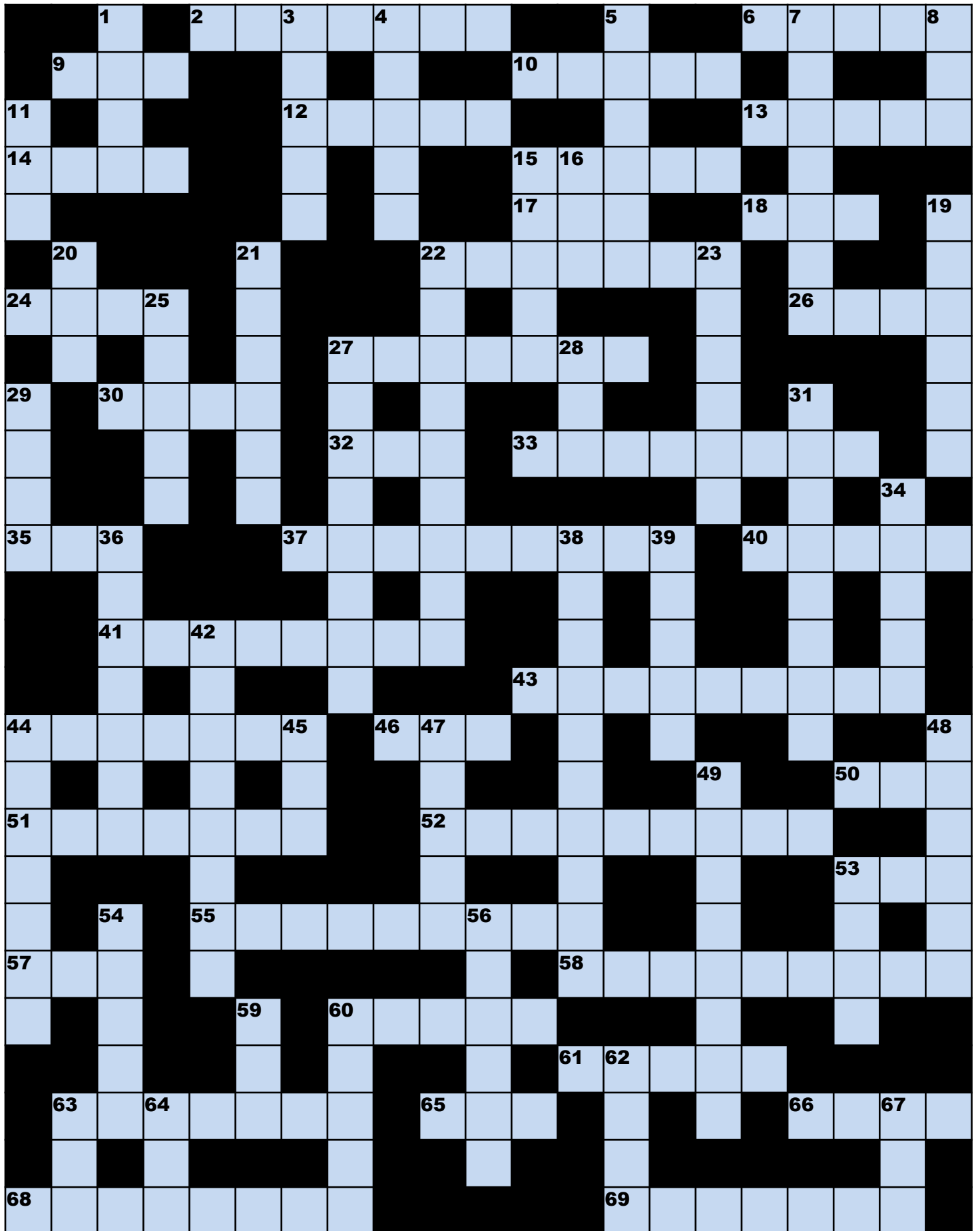
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| BOY  | POST  | CLAIM | TERSE  | ASPIRED |          |           |            |
| HOT  | SIDE  | CREST | BONNET | CALTROP | SOCIETY  | MISTRESS  | LIBERTIES  |
| JOY  | TIDE  | CURLY | DETAIN | DECLINE | TRIVIAL  | NAUTICAL  | PARAMOUNT  |
| DUTY | WIDE  | FROCK | MEANLY | EPISTLE | ALLIANCE | PATERNAL  | PETULANCE  |
| FESS | AGONY | RIVAL | STROLL | FOOTMAN | IMPLICIT | PROPOUND  | REPUGNANT  |
| GOOD | AZURE | SABLE | VESTRY | RIVETED | MAHOGANY | ACQUIESCE | UNFETTERED |

# The Noble Bachelor (Puzzle #3)

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### Across

2. Situation of being in the company of other people
6. \_\_\_\_\_ oak; dwarf oak which forms thickets
9. Feeling of great pleasure and happiness
10. \_\_\_\_\_ - coat; close fitting, double-breasted, knee length coat
12. \_\_\_\_\_ column; personal advertisements in newspaper
13. \_\_\_\_\_ - brimmed hat
14. \_\_\_\_\_ board; dining room furniture having drawers
15. In the intervening period between two times
17. The evening or day before a significant date
18. Inquire
22. Engrossed or with attention held
24. \_\_\_\_\_ me up; brief someone
26. Young female
27. Direct one's hopes or ambitions toward achieving something
30. Smile broadly
32. Arrest or send to prison
33. Like a sailor
35. Dine; consume
37. Of supreme importance
40. Hard stony substance secreted by certain marine coelenterates as an external skeleton
41. Implied though not plainly expressed
43. State of being cross or quarrelsome
44. Be carried slowly by a current of water
46. Having a tendency to do something
50. Tobacco residue
51. Spiked iron pyramidal devices
52. Rights or privileges
53. Expected at or planned for at a certain time
55. Accept something reluctantly but without protest
57. Nothing
58. Diminish the worth or value of a quality
60. Blue
61. Device placed above the shield on a coat of arms
63. Letter
65. Having a cunning and deceitful nature
66. World - \_\_\_\_\_
68. Put forward an idea for consideration by others
69. Man-servant dressed in a private uniform

### Down

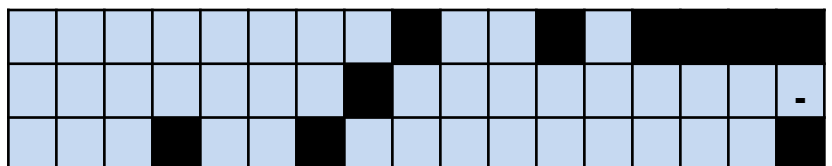
1. \_\_\_\_\_ - night
3. Jumping a \_\_\_\_\_; take over someone else's mining operations illegally
4. Period of time in history or a person's life
5. Woman's hat tied under the chin and with a brim framing the face
7. Lawyer or lawyers conducting a case
8. Page - \_\_\_\_\_; male page, especially in a hotel or attending a bride at a wedding
11. Employ
15. Divide by cutting or slicing
16. I have
19. Room in a church where the clergy put on their robes
20. \_\_\_\_\_ - headed; quick to anger
21. In a lowly manner
22. Offensive or repulsive
23. Keep someone from proceeding; hold back
25. Sparing in the use of words; abrupt
27. Union or association formed for mutual benefit
28. Significant period of time
29. \_\_\_\_\_ - waiter; customs officer who boards ships when they dock
31. Hard reddish-brown furniture
34. Black
36. Of little value or importance
38. Release from restraint or inhibition
39. Chiefly freshwater fish of the salmon family
42. Fatherly
44. Any disease in which bodily strength gradually fails
45. Put something down briefly in or into liquid
47. Rhythmical throbbing of the arteries as blood is propelled through them
48. Protect something from a danger, risk, or unpleasant experience
49. Female head of a household
53. Moral or legal obligation; a responsibility
54. Having a full rounded shape
56. Walk in a leisurely way
59. Sudden uncontrollable outbreak of intense emotion
60. Further forward in space; in the line of one's forward motion
62. Structure forming the upper covering of a building
63. Make a mistake
64. Small mischievous person
67. Opium \_\_\_\_\_

- ADVOCATE
- AGONY
- AMPLIFYING
- ATTIRED
- BASKET
- BORNE
- BRACE
- CAREFUL
- CONDUCT
- CONSTERNATION
- CROSS
- CURT
- DEPOSES
- DISTAFF
- ECLIPSED
- EXALTED
- FISH
- FOPPISHNESS
- GAINER
- GRIZZLED
- HUSH
- INDISPOSITION
- LEAPS
- LISTLESS
- MARGIN
- MEMOIR
- MONOGRAM
- NOBLE
- PARLANCE
- PEA
- PEW
- PRAY
- QUILL
- RESOLUTION
- ROW
- SCENE
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## The Noble Bachelor (Puzzle #4)

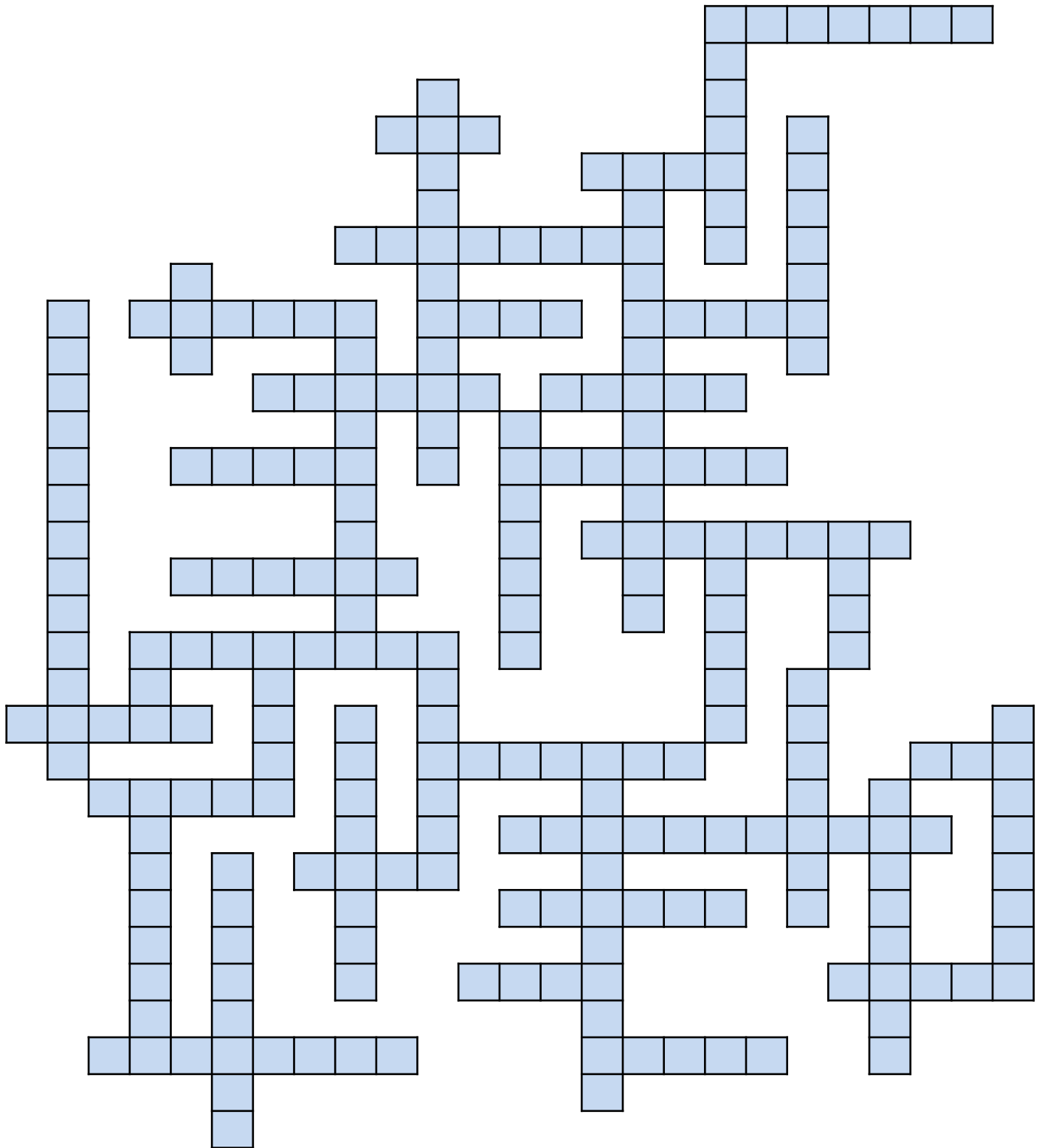
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# The Noble Bachelor (Puzzle #5)

CRISS-CROSS: Fit each word into their proper place in the Framework.



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| PEA  | HUSH  | CROSS  | GAINER  | CONDUCT |          |            |               |
| PEW  | PRAY  | LEAPS  | MARGIN  | DEPOSES | ADVOCATE | PARLANCE   | RESOLUTION    |
| ROW  | SODA  | NOBLE  | MEMOIR  | DISTAFF | ECLIPSED | SINGULAR   | FOPPISHNESS   |
| VAN  | AGONY | QUILL  | TOMBOY  | EXALTED | GRIZZLED | VOLCANIC   | SUPPOSITION   |
| CURT | BORNE | SCENE  | ATTIRED | THITHER | LISTLESS | WOODCOCK   | CONSTERNATION |
| FISH | BRACE | BASKET | CAREFUL | TUMBLER | MONOGRAM | AMPLIFYING | INDISPOSITION |





## The Noble Bachelor (Puzzle #6)

### Across

5. Motif of two or more letters, typically a person's initials
9. North American game bird having brownish plumage
11. Cause a liquid to flow from a container in a steady stream
13. Daring; without fear
15. Manner in which a person behaves
16. Strongly suggest the truth or existence of something
17. Emerald \_\_\_\_ - pin
18. Excuse or pretext
20. Belonging to or associated with a male person
21. Beyond what is ordinary or usual
24. Suppress public mention of something
25. Respect and admiration, typically for a person
26. In his \_\_\_\_; drunk
27. Woman's
30. Making sure of avoiding potential danger, mishap, or harm; cautious
32. \_\_\_\_\_ and bounds
38. Firm decision to do something
39. Portion of a ship's bow above water
43. Abandoned or deserted
44. Of sound mind; not mad or mentally ill
45. Someone who pleads in another's behalf
46. One of the long benches with in church
47. \_\_\_\_ sable; wide, black horizontal band forming the middle section of a shield
48. Drinking glass with straight sides and no handle or stem
52. Termination; finish
54. With no difficulty
59. \_\_\_\_ of deduction
60. Significant period of time
61. Girl considered boyish or masculine in behavior
63. Person which gains something from a particular situation
64. Very small; tiny
65. Held \_\_\_\_ her hand to him
66. Mild illness
67. Belonging to a former time
68. Be freed or relieved from

### Down

1. Looking like a dandy
2. Bursting out or liable to burst out violently
3. Public display of emotion or anger
4. Subject a place to a thorough search in order to locate something
6. Belonging to a hereditary class with high social or political status
7. Opponent
8. Uncertain belief
10. Deprive something of significance, power, or prominence
12. Dressed; clothed
14. Good - \_\_\_\_\_
19. To or toward that place
22. Rough and low in voice pitch
23. Lacking energy or enthusiasm
28. \_\_\_\_ - monger; seafood seller
29. Flecked with gray
30. Rudely brief
31. \_\_\_\_\_ pen; pen made from the hollow stem-like main shaft of a feather taken from a fowl
33. Speech
34. Testifies
35. Seat without a back or arms resting on three or four legs
36. State of paralyzing dismay
37. \_\_\_\_\_ away
40. Region of the atmosphere and outer space seen from the earth
41. Whiskey and \_\_\_\_\_
42. Enclosed freight car
45. Enlarge upon or add detail to a story or statement
49. Perhaps; possibly
50. State of being pleasantly lost in one's thoughts
51. Member of a legislative body
53. Noble; lofty
55. Truthful and straightforward; frank
56. Edge or border of something
57. Historical account or biography written from personal knowledge
58. Noisy acrimonious quarrel
62. Dirty or untidy state of things

AFFECTATION

ALLEGRO

ARROWS

AUTUMNAL

BLUNDER

BOX

BRISK

CAUSE

CONFECTIONER

CRAVAT

CURIOUS

CUT

DERANGED

DOWRY

EPICUREAN

EXTRACTS

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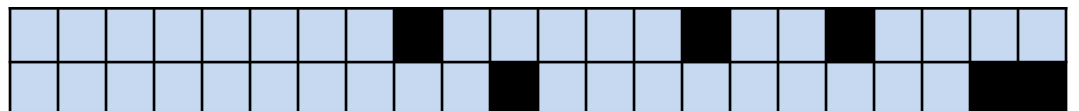
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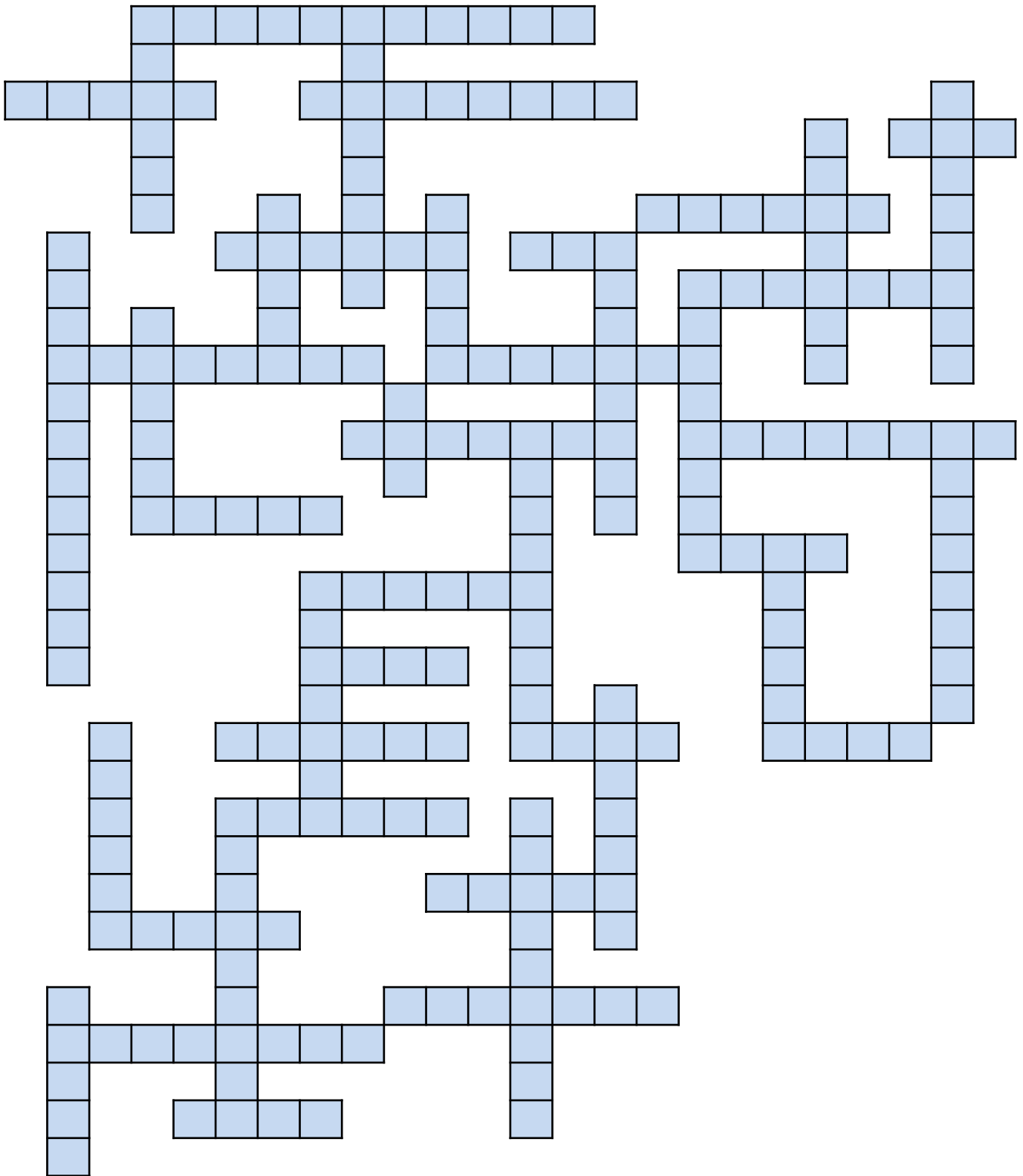
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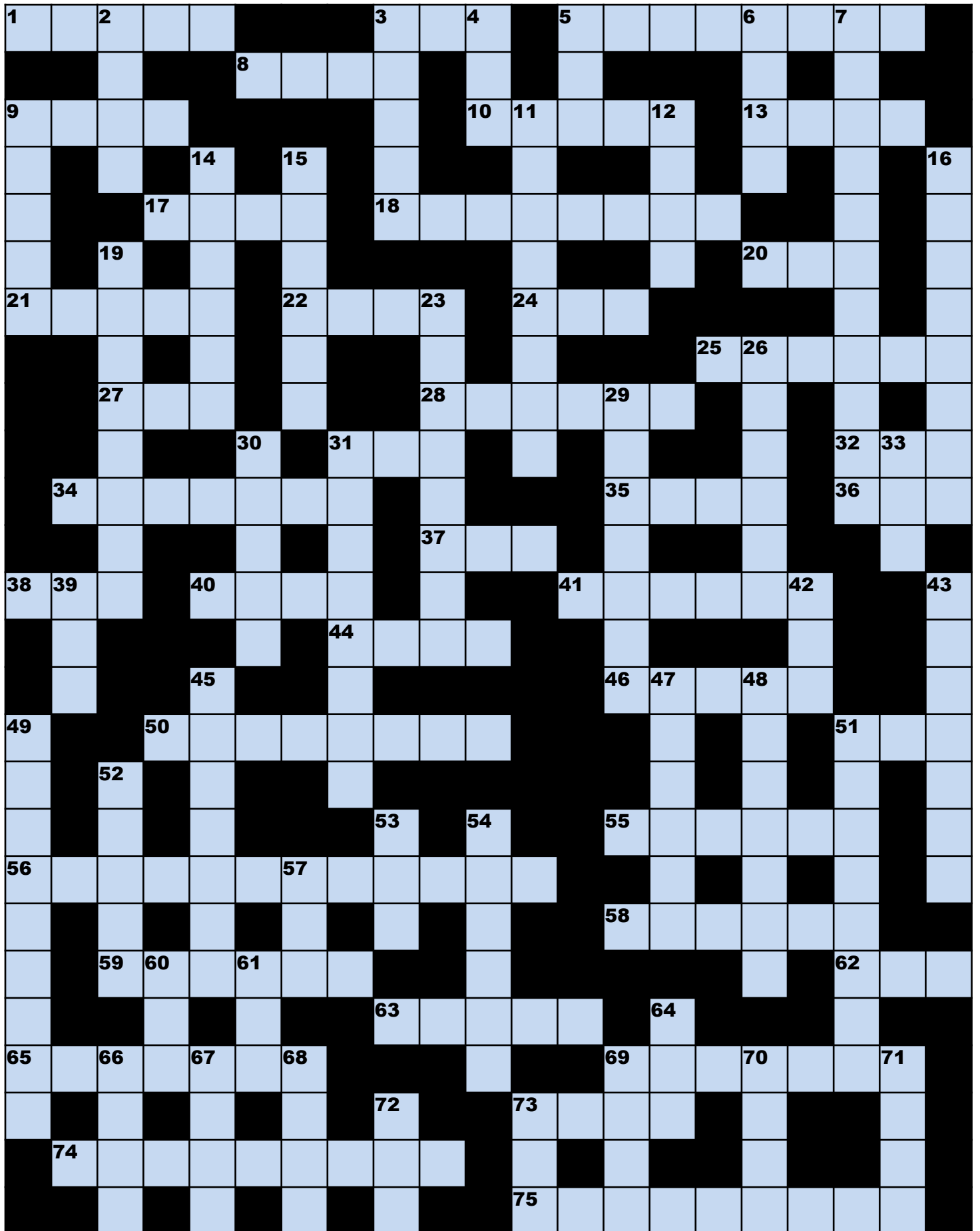
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| CUT  | VEIL  | SWIFT  | PATENT | BLUNDER | PIQUANT  | LUSTROUS | EPICUREAN    |
| OLD  | BRISK | WHILE  | PRINTS | CURIOUS | AUTUMNAL | MUTTERED | IMPETUOUS    |
| HIGH | CAUSE | ARROWS | SKETCH | FOOTING | DERANGED | RUEFULLY | MINIATURE    |
| LEST | DOWRY | CRAVAT | ULSTER | GAITERS | EXTRACTS | THROBBED | AFFECTATION  |
| RING | RELIC | JEZAIL | WOOING | PEERESS | FORESEEN | TRIFLING | CONFECTIONER |

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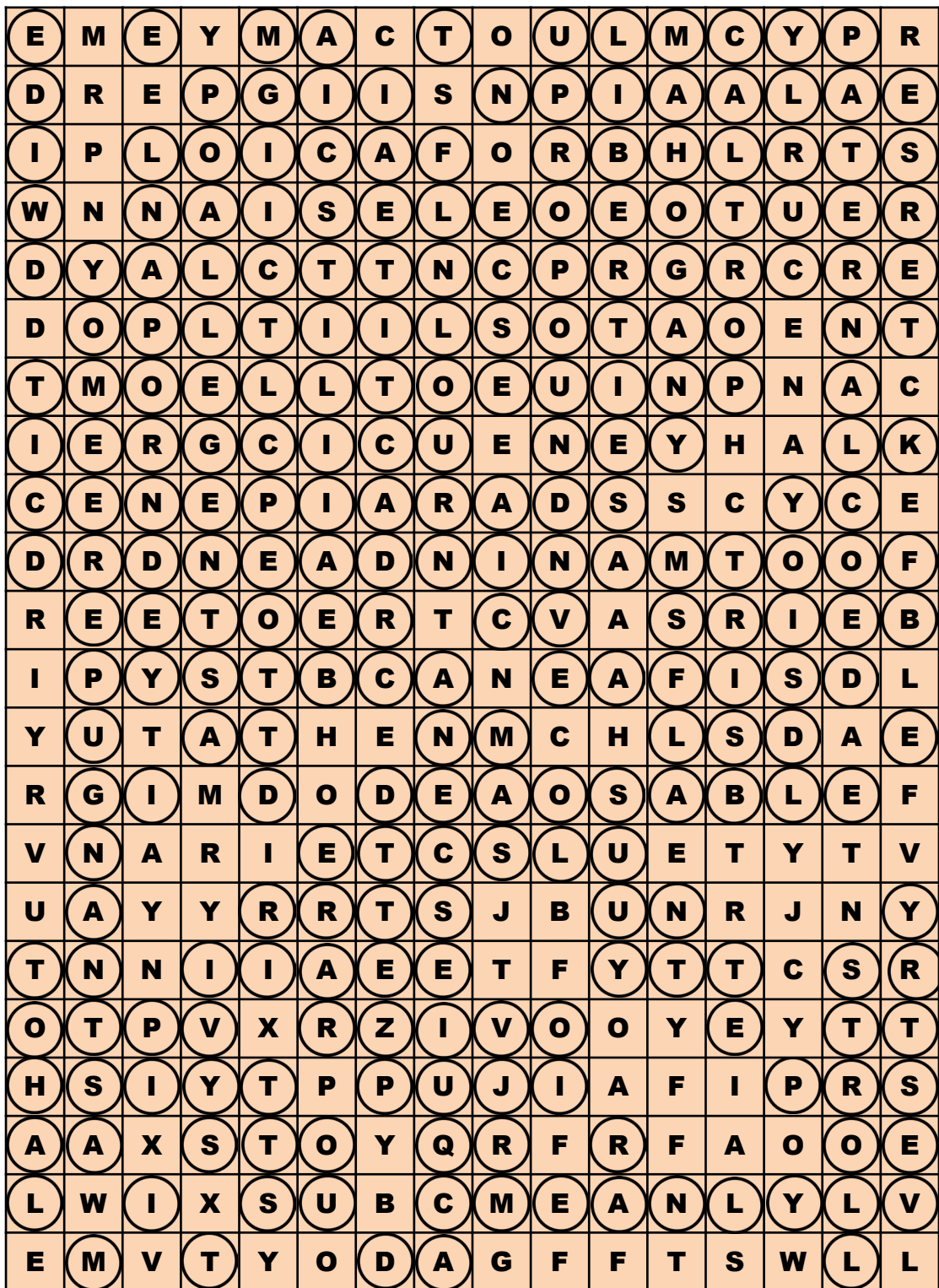
### Across

1. Money or goods which a woman brings to a marriage
3. Filaments spun by a spider to catch prey
5. Of, characteristic of, or occurring in the fall
8. \_\_\_\_\_ - nosed
9. Uncommon
10. Posture in which the head and shoulders are habitually bent forward
13. Small restaurant
17. Secret place in which a person seeks concealment
18. Short passages taken from a piece of writing
20. At, near, or toward the stern of a ship
21. Reasonable grounds for doing, thinking, or feeling something
22. Covering for a woman's face
24. Container designed to hold cigars
25. Feel intense dislike or disgust for
27. \_\_\_\_ - encircled eyes
28. Rough or unfinished version of any creative work
31. \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_; exclamation of frustration
32. Naturally occurring material from which a metal or mineral can be extracted
34. Stupid or careless mistake
35. Wedding - \_\_\_\_\_
36. Gentle movement of the head up and down
37. \_\_\_\_ - fashioned
38. Inquire too closely into a person's private affairs
40. \_\_\_\_\_ - sacrifice
41. Seeking the favor, support, or custom of
44. With the intention of preventing something undesirable
46. Happening quickly or promptly
50. Mad; insane
51. Sudden uncontrollable outbreak of intense emotion
55. Long, loose fitting, rough overcoat usually belted
56. Person whose occupation is making or selling candy
58. Newspapers
59. School \_\_\_\_\_
62. Make a mistake
63. Active, fast, and energetic
65. At a brisk tempo
69. Appealingly provocative
73. One of a set of toothed wheels that work together
74. Impulsive and passionate
75. Very small and highly detailed portrait or other painting

### Down

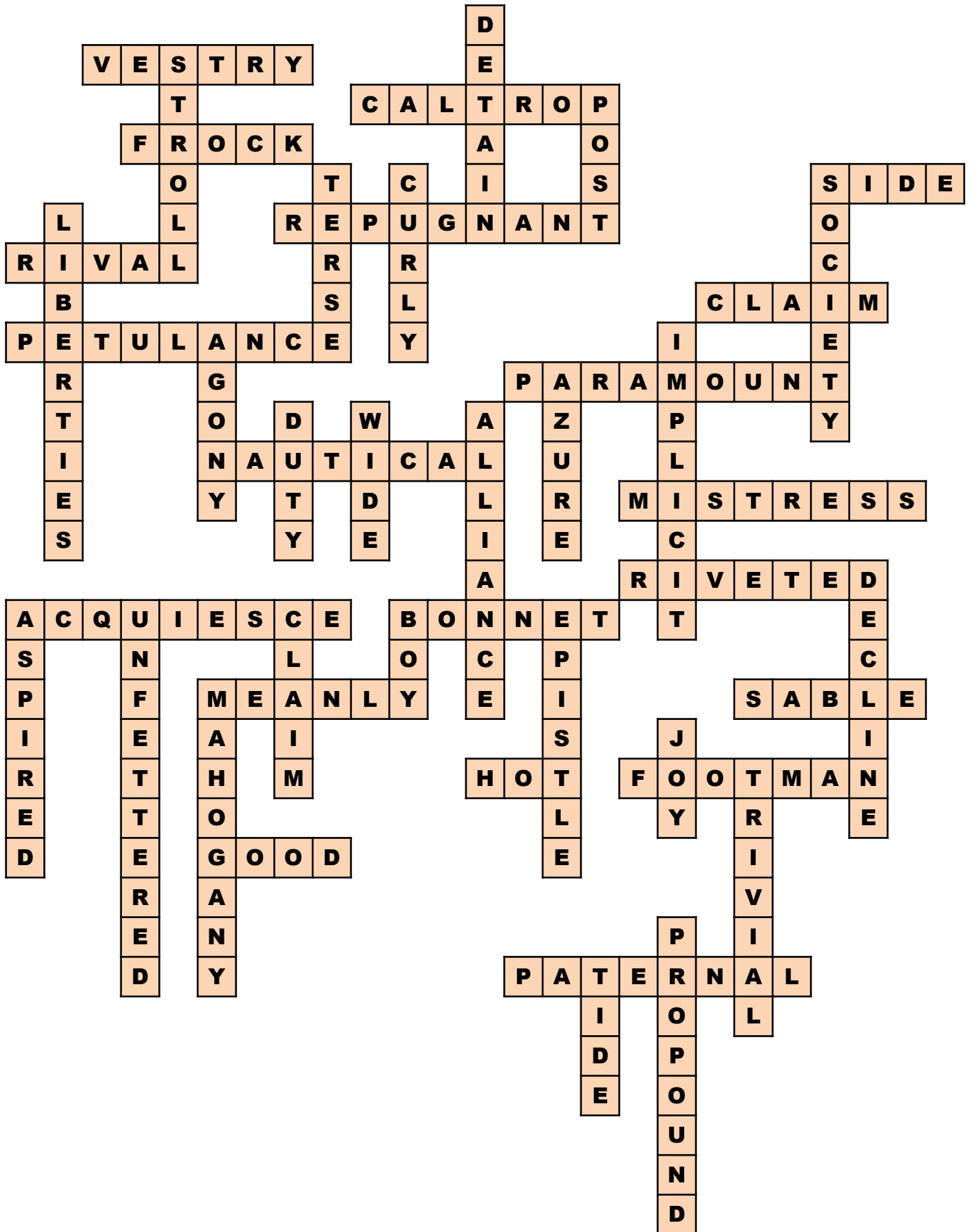
2. Slightly hot; tepid
3. \_\_\_\_\_ away
4. Large passenger-carrying vehicle
5. Trouble or difficulty
6. Shiny silicate mineral with a layered structure in granite and or rocks
7. Studied display of real or pretended feeling
9. Object surviving from an earlier time
11. Feel pain in a series of regular beats
12. Foot - \_\_\_\_\_
14. \_\_\_\_\_ - leather shoes
15. Scarf
16. Say something in a low or barely audible voice
19. In a way that expresses sorrow or regret
23. Having a sheen or glow
26. Person's social background or ancestry
29. Strange; unusual
30. Small venomous Eurasian snake
31. Unimportant or trivial
33. Steal from someone
39. Uncooked food
42. Obtain
43. Covering for the ankle and lower leg
45. Wife or widow of a peer
47. Ship that hunts whales
48. Friendly \_\_\_\_\_
49. Particular in taste especially of food and drink
51. Be aware of beforehand; predict
52. Substance secreted by animals
53. Wet muddy ground too soft to support a heavy body
54. \_\_\_\_\_ bullet; fired from a long and heavy afghan rifle
57. Connect; link
60. \_\_\_\_ - like appearance; simian
61. Dark, thick oily based liquid
64. Evergreen coniferous tree with upright cones
66. Honorific title applied to a spiritual leader in Tibetan Buddhism
67. Narrow valley
68. Artistic work, especially one on a large scale
69. Deposit an object with a broker as security for money lent
70. Individual person regarded as single and complete
71. In accordance with fact or reality
72. \_\_\_\_\_ to the quick; severely hurt
73. viscous secretion of some trees from which adhesives are made

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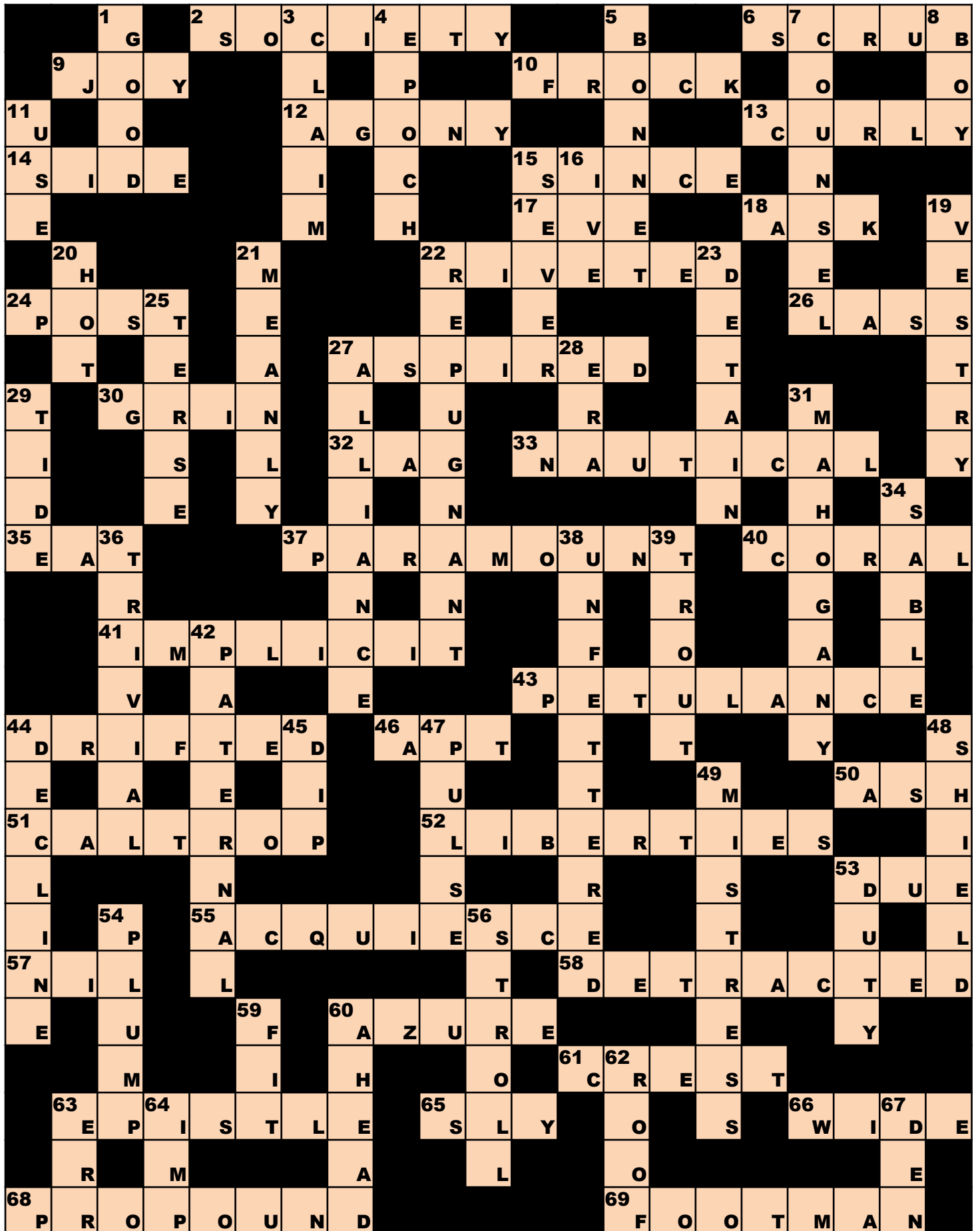


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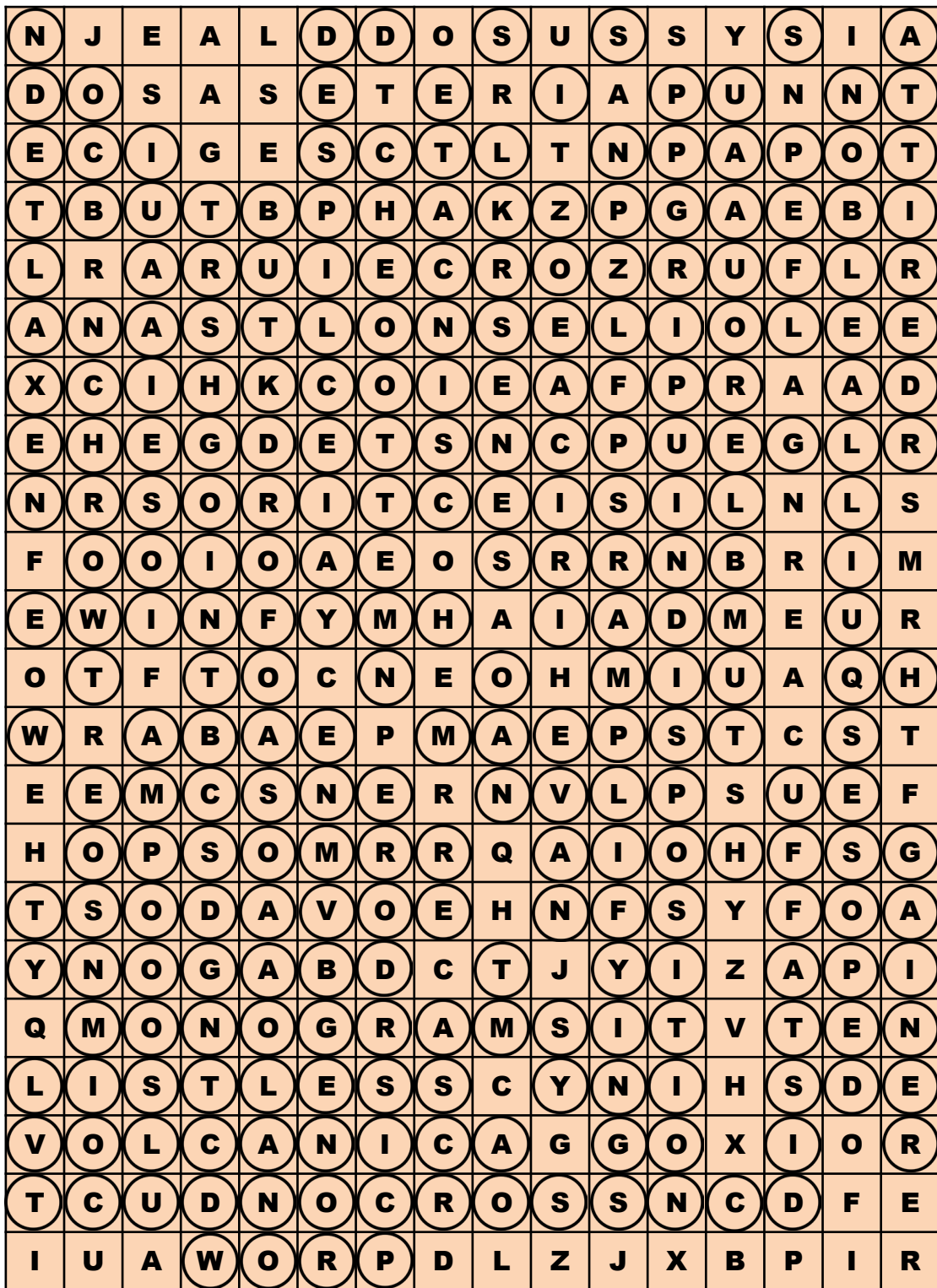


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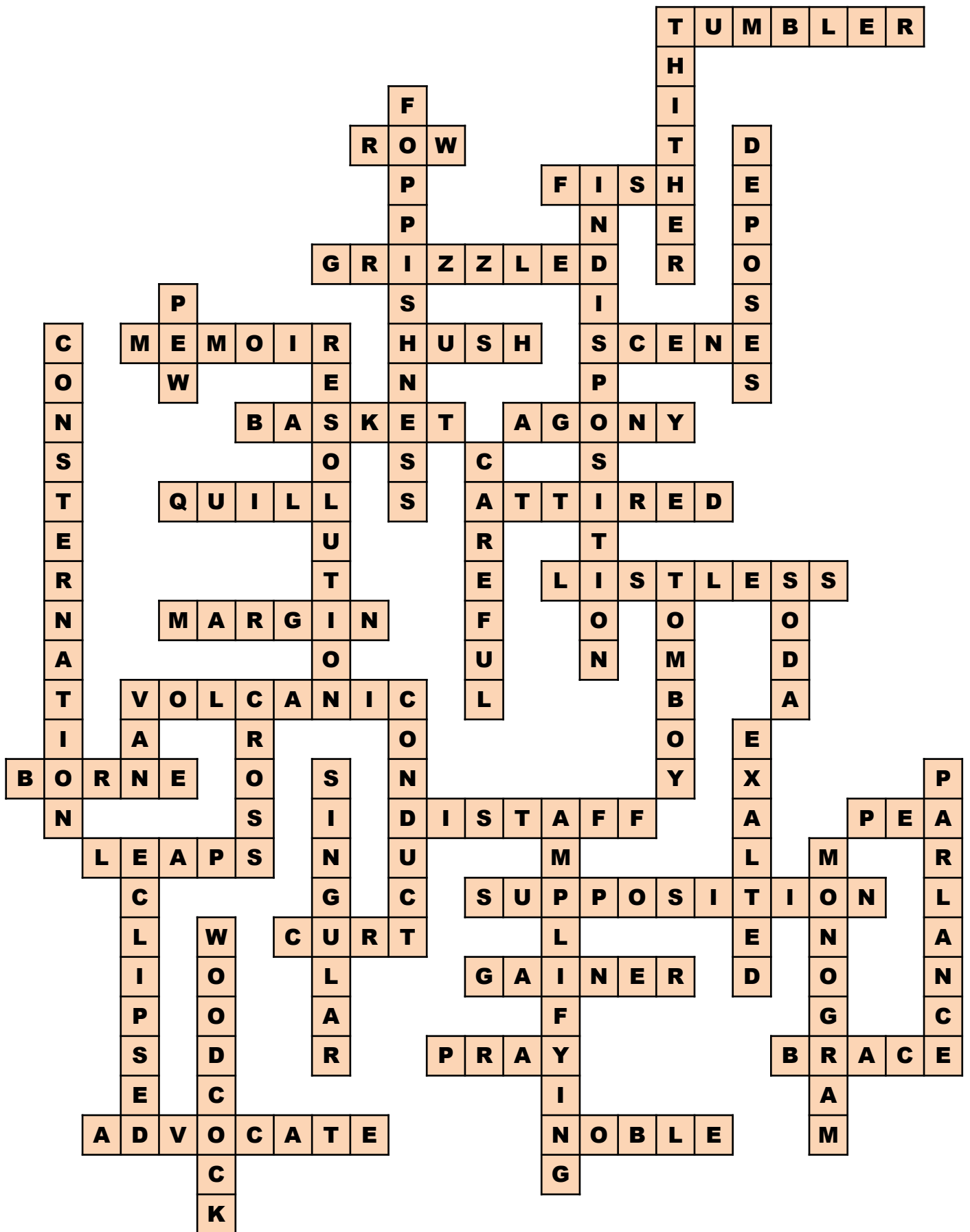


# The Noble Bachelor (Puzzle #4)



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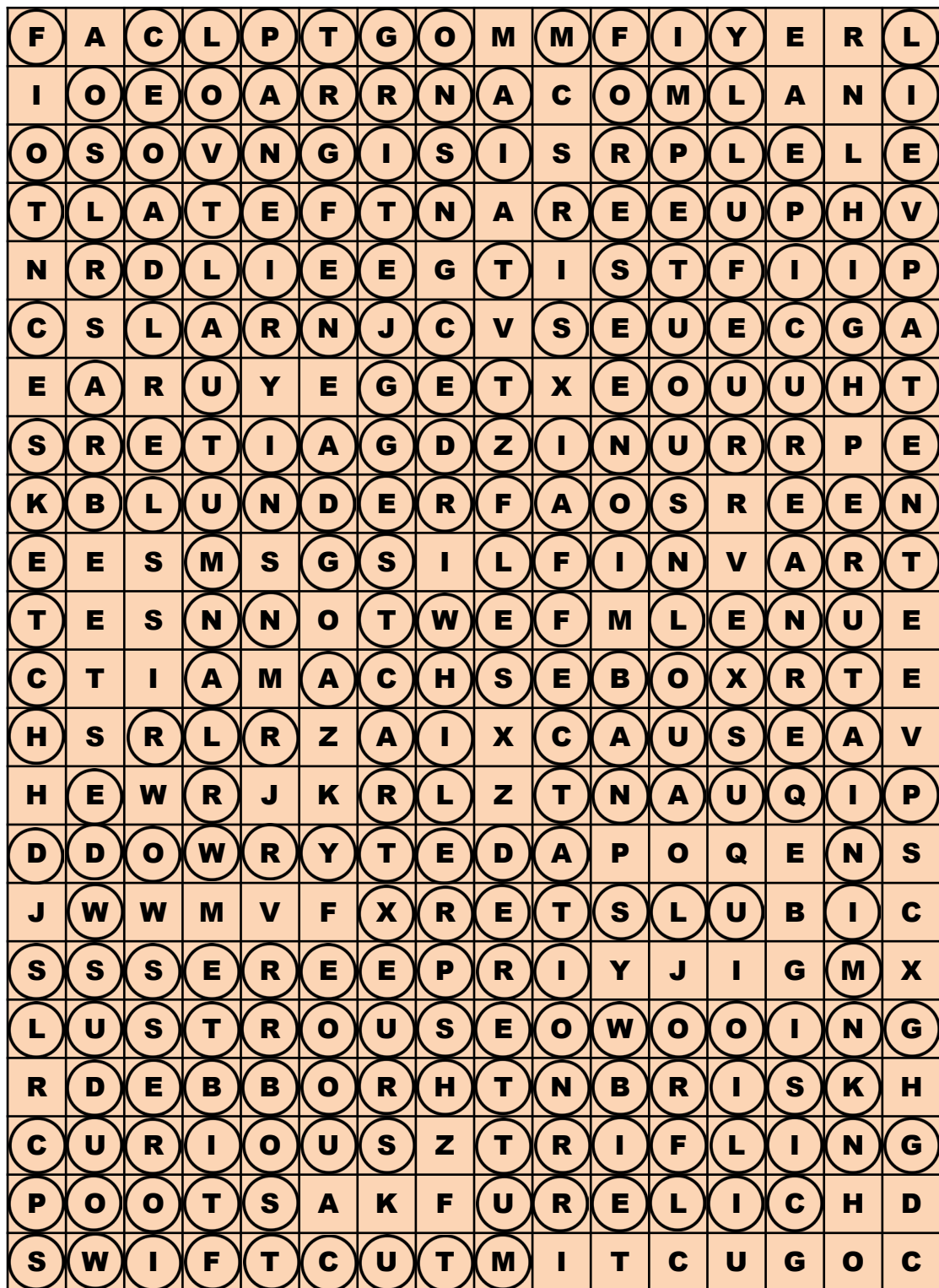
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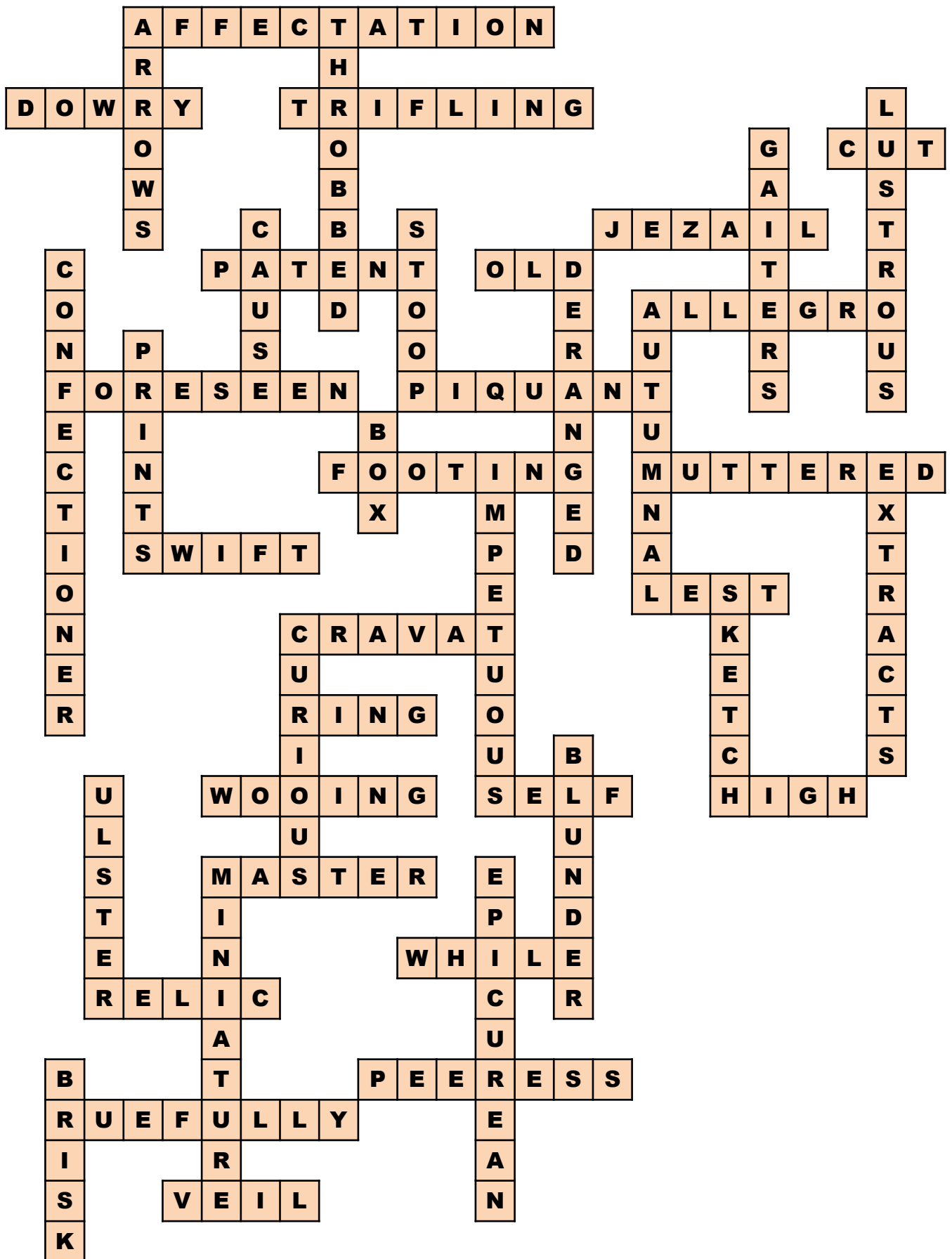
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# The Noble Bachelor (Puzzle #7)



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# The Noble Bachelor (Puzzle #8)



# The Noble Bachelor (Puzzle #9)

