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17 A hobo

18 Gifts of respect

20 Before

21 A belief

23 Striped animals

24 A type of verse

25 Plant parts

27 A card game

29 Signalling device

33 Poles for walkers in circus parades

34 Naive

38 A lock of hair

40 Early Jewish king

42 Stopping

45 A cloak

47 Ancient form of paper

49 Competitor

50 Giant

51 Music part

52 Supernatural acts

53 Loses colour

54 Part of a coat

56 Afternoon performance

58 Change to suit

60 Lawman

62 Large meal

64 Implements

65 Check accounts

66 Number of bees

67 Pause (3,2)

69 Courage

72 A prickly shrub

74 Therapeutic help (coll)

75 Flat plateau

77 Slow-moving animal

80 Burrowing animals

83 Ocean movement

85 Small fowl

88 Answer to puzzle

90 Book user

93 Type of duck

94 Coastal indentation

95 Handy truck

96 Play guitar

97 Goodbye

98 A couple

99 Checked proof of

100 Regret

101 Better

102 Act of revenge

104 A flower

106 Shopping arcade

108 Shatter

111 Made less severe

113 Roll of parchment

117 Throwing weapons

120 Compulsive for user

121 Fencers' swords

123 Unspoil

125 Hard to convince

126 Church passages

128 Leave helpless

129 Miscellaneous mixture

130 A veteran

133 Holy person

136 Accident

137 Life's work

138 Slight wind

139 Sensitive to the touch

143 Magnificent

145 Lounge seat

147 Salt container

148 Heavenly abode

152 Syrian city

154 The sun (coll)

155 Diced paper

156 A musical note

158 Pointless acts

159 A dog

160 Type of moose

161 Small vegetable

162 Heath plant

163 Reason

166 Wool harvesters

167 A boring tool

170 Biblical garden

172 Group of chasers

175 Main actors

178 Wind instrument

180 Gown material

181 Book of maps

182 Attack from cover

184 Cow's milk bag

185 Sugared gloss

186 Fronded plants

187 Australian landmark

188 Feudal workers

191 A builder's stand

195 Argue over price

198 Type of sweet

202 A light beam

205 A lover

206 Water animal

207 Liquid measures

208 Brilliance of success

209 Ship's officer

210 Escapee

211 Nude lady rider of fable

212 Loud shriek

213 European river

214 Peninsula near Hong Kong

217 A setback

222 A gulch

225 Crime against a nation

229 Dread

231 Greek letter

232 Legless grub

233 Ten year period

234 Pertaining to bees

235 A gorge

236 One of two

237 A sailing boat

DOWN

1 Change course at sea

2 A jug

3 Hide away

4 Holiday island

5 A blemish

6 Labyrinth

7 A precious stone

8 Message by mail

9 Puts in position

10 Dip into liquid

11 Greek cheese

12 A rotisserie

13 Bee's home

14 Globes

15 Gold-coloured

16 Artist's inspiration

18 A State (abb)

19 Appeal for help

22 Distant

26 Contusion

28 Extended dramatic work

30 Scavenging animal

31 Japanese dish

32 Long shafted weapon

35 Attain

36 A flat part

37 Powdered tobacco

39 Bundles

41 Worrying situation

42 Desert beasts

43 Crowded area

44 Piece of jewellery

46 In twos

47 A firearm

48 Bush trip

49 Arbiter

55 A crustacean

57 Short sleeps

58 A donkey

59 Make lace

61 Flows back

63 Plant louse

68 A stand

70 Religious traveller

71 Beginning of word

73 Tiny particles

76 Live coals

78 Titled person

79 Choke

81 Cloudy

82 Relaxation

84 Curtains

86 Astonish

87 Belonging to them

88 Rescues

89 Naked bodies

91 Church forecourts

92 Flee to marry

103 Fussy about details

104 Cut shorter

105 A poisonous shrub

107 Wheel shafts

109 WWII fighter aircraft

110 A bird

112 Wall scrawl

113 Causing infection

114 A clergyman

115 Edible mollusc

116 Fleet of ships

118 Charge with gas

119 Comfort

122 Hindu garment

124 Soap froth

127 A rod

131 A body part

132 Fishing vessels

134 Profuse

135 Fish trap

140 US state

141 Uniform colour

142 Had skin trouble

144 Moors a boat

145 Ray of daylight

146 Branched horns

147 Small bits of wood

149 Venice bridge

150 A male duck

151 Ancient kingdom

153 In short supply

154 Fodder storage place

157 One inheriting

158 A narrow boat

164 Instructor

165 Deer flesh

168 Customary

169 Rings of bells

171 A Christian festival

172 Whispered call

173 Freedom from danger

174 Deserved

175 Artist's room

176 Grownups

177 A shipping canal

179 Type of birth

182 A tree

183 Colour variety

189 A disease

190 Spending little

192 Road travelled

193 Smooth-acting

194 Cargoes

196 Well scented

197 A fragrant plant

199 Academy Award

200 Medical procedure

201 A lizard

203 Goddess of wisdom

204 Sea eagles

215 Placid

216 On top of

217 Frame of bars

218 Small glass container

219 Capital of Italy

220 Large birds

221 Ova

222 Fish eggs

223 Ever (poet)

224 Fish lure

225 A timber tree

226 A direction

227 Smoky fog

228 Back of neck

229 An assistant

230 Chew on