

Harvard Puzzle "Jester"

Instructions: Guess the words defined by the cryptic clues (answers vary in length from three to eight letters, and three are capitalized) then enter them in the grid one after another in the same order as their clues, starting in the upper left corner. Across words that don't end at the right continue on the next row, and down words that don't end at the bottom continue in the next column. Seven across words and seven down words won't fit in the grid unless one of their letters is omitted. Those fourteen letters, taken in order as they occur in across and down words, spell two words related to the title. Thanks to Kevin Wald '93 for test-solving and editing this puzzle.

Across

1. Wild about a Parisian ceremony
2. Dotty ought to have a new place to haunt
3. Me wearing ornament smiled broadly
4. Wish in earnest to have polish
5. Putrescent, odorless boils break out
6. Rot phase engulfs poisoned ant
7. Nomadic tribe goes after gold in spacecraft
8. See about high temperature layer
9. Outlandish in extramarital licentiousness
10. Shabby tablespoon placed in tarnished tray
11. Muhammad takes to justice
12. Sweeney and Mark turned around in front of Penny
13. Billy went up
14. Reasonable to give up shilling for Charlie to get stick
15. Never very full of energy
16. Enlarged study occupied by author
17. Gently pat bad back
18. Mean to state the length of time gone by
19. Baseman is erratic about returning pitch
20. Educator motivated to acquire new center for university to embellish
21. A large number start to nest in May
22. One art movement is very flashy
23. Authorize a detail to fall out after victory

Down

1. Normal nitrogen is part of propellant in shaft
2. Some royalists embrace return of the past
3. About lunatic English or Danish king
4. Waste a session having to persistently coax
5. Managed to have nothing but sheepskin
6. "A coleopteran, maybe," Starr announced
7. Bagatelle involving a little round ball
8. Sensual and arousing to Eric
9. Measure tree damage after end of storm
10. Atmosphere of gold and radium
11. Docile mate goes crazy
12. Mend fabric around 5 in the morning
13. 007 embracing large, English, towheaded woman
14. Guy gutted tree
15. After returning drunk, Ted struggled
16. Unhappy about the French kind of entrée
17. Pause to have a bit of rest and sharpen up
18. Proud one in front
19. Ida sent off as a substitute
20. Essentially fresh, lean, and black
21. Alarmed by a vapor containing hydrogen (tritium)
22. God inhabits bird and fish
23. Stewed about working this evening
24. Love dream in which idol's head is removed