Puzzle

"E T O B"

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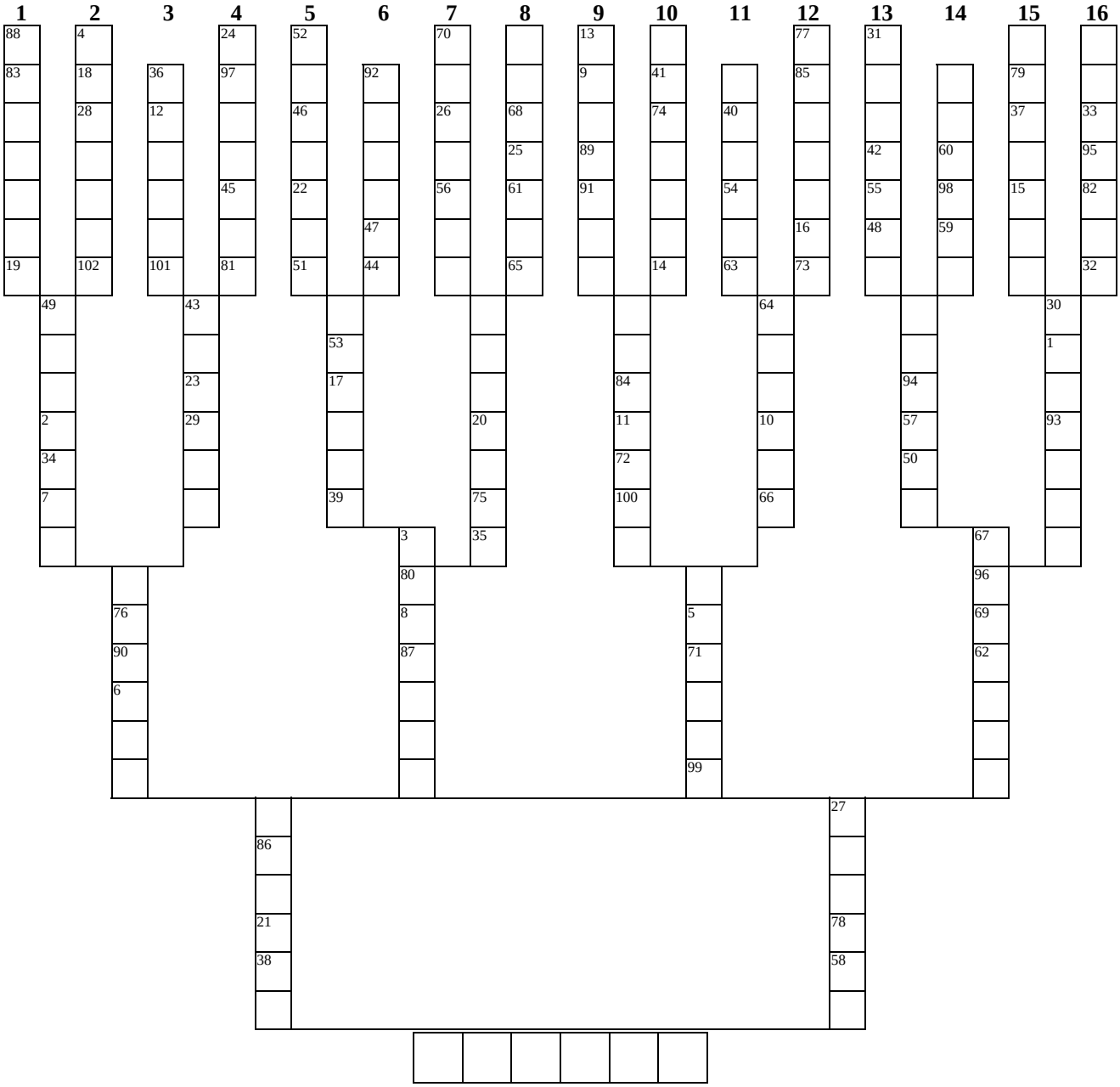
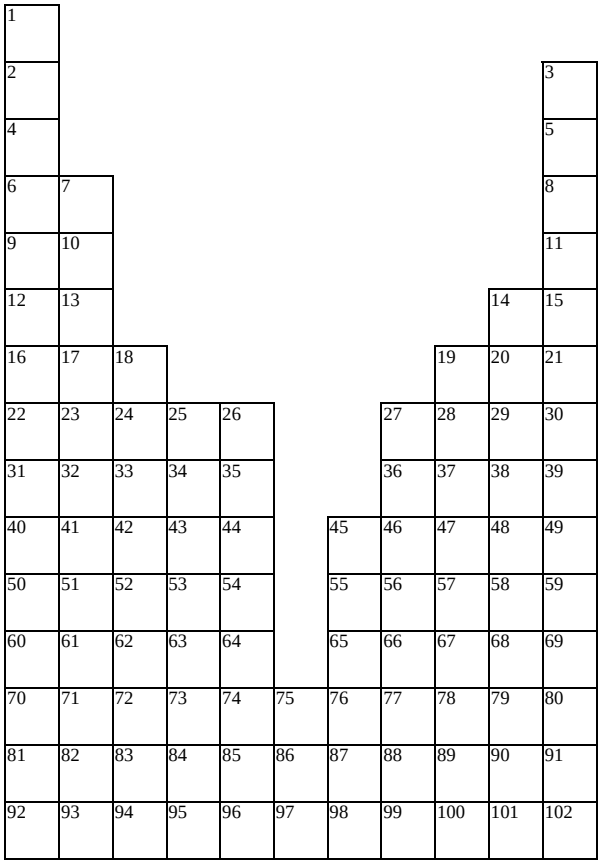
Instructions: Write the words defined by the numbered clues in the correspondingly numbered rectangles, one letter to a square. Letters that fall in numbered squares should be entered in the correspondingly number squares of the grid on the next page. Letters that fall in the blank squares of any two adjacent rectangles should be anagrammed to form a new word to be entered in the rectangle below them where, once again, letters that fall in numbered squares are to be entered in the grid on the next page, while those that fall in blank squares should be anagrammed to form a new word . . . and so on. Anagrammed words, all but the last, are defined by unnumbered clues in random order. Correctly completed, the lower grid will contain the names of entities sharing a characteristic specified by the last anagrammed but unclued word.





Clues:

1. Best team on deck
2. Utter gibberish about former appearance
3. Give authority to wearing a jacket
4. What blows in led astray by shrink
5. Notice six observe one being counseled
6. Girl and boy like nuts, for instance
7. Merge once IBM gets reorganized
8. Big slam fails as leveling device
9. Continue barking at alien weapon
10. Get after part of leg in celebration
11. Very small running toady
12. In speaking hinted embrace
13. Establishment against nuclear research center
14. Kind of racket that turns violation to profit
15. Marsh gas belies the name
16. Corrosive source giving up last spasm

Superficial glitter of satin selection
Last part of bride's small fortune
Pill can do from time to time
Stir up confusion after day begins
Air my taking back charitable gifts
Typographical mark or missile
Tin tearing veil prompts whine
New Gobelin base
Poetic form has boy at barrier
West holding talk device
Cloak with hood or game piece
Notices fake part
File newspaper story
Come to an end, but not quite dead, expand

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