

Solution to Puzzle #67 – December, 2006 "O What Fun"

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| R | A | V | O | L | I | C | A | T | A | T |
| A | C | A | S | T | N | E | T | S | L | I |
| N | E | N | S | E | N | N | E | T | E | R |
| D | E | N | U | D | E | I | N | E | M | A |
| M | M | A | P | O | R | C | L | A | I | N |
| J | I | N | G | L | E | B | E | L | L | S |
| U | N | A | N | I | M | I | T | Y | T | A |
| M | E | S | A | V | E | N | H | E | S | S |
| E | C | A | R | I | N | G | E | N | T | I |
| R | E | L | B | E | D | S | A | T | U | N |
| P | A | T | O | R | S | T | R | A | N | G |

The omitted letters (in parentheses in the list below) spell  
**IN A ONE-HORSE OPEN SLEIGH**

**Across**

1. RAV(I)OLI
2. CA(N)TATA
3. CAST(A)NETS
4. LINEN
5. SENNET
6. ER(O)DE
7. NUDE
8. (N)INE
9. MAMMA
10. PORC(E)LAIN
11. **JINGLE BELLS**
12. UNANIMITY
13. TAME
14. S(H)AVEN
15. HESSE
16. CARING
17. ENTIRE
18. L(O)BED
19. SATU(R)N
20. PA(S)TOR
21. STRANG(E)

**Down**

1. RAND(O)M
2. JUM(P)ER
3. P(E)ACE
4. EMINE(N)C E
5. (S)AVANNA
6. NASAL
7. TOSSUP
8. GNAR(L)
9. BOLTED
10. OLIVIER
11. INNER
12. EMEND
13. SCENIC
14. BING(E)
15. STATE
16. (I)NLET
17. HEART
18. STEAL
19. YENTA
20. (G)ALE
21. MILT
22. STUNT
23. IRAN
24. SAS(H)ING

Kevin Wald solved the puzzle in 45 minutes.