

Solution to Puzzle #123 – August, 2011 "A river runs through it"

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

The omitted letters (in parentheses in the list below) spell
THE COLORADO

Across

1. FIAT
2. DOODLE
3. SACRED
4. (T)AMPER
5. PREAC(H)
6. ALGIERS
7. T(E)AR
8. BRIE
9. CRATER
10. PAEAN
11. EAGER
12. O(C)ARINA
13. SNORE
14. LIEN
15. TROT
16. STAIRS
17. STYLE
18. CORNEA
19. C(O)NDOLENCE
20. DRAGON
21. ANGU(L)AR
22. CLOVEN

Down

1. FARRAGO
2. SCENIC
3. ESTER
4. TONGA
5. (O)RATE
6. REAR
7. CUTE
8. CAROLINE
9. ADDER
10. PAIRED
11. ROAR
12. BA(R)RE
13. SARCOMA
14. REIN
15. SCALD
16. PLIANT
17. T(A)NGO
18. LEGEN(D)ARY
19. DOVE
20. RICE
21. SOLON
22. ESPERANT(O)
23. ELAN

Kevin Wald solved the puzzle in 30 minutes.