

Solution to Puzzle #206 – August, 2018 "Naturalist II"

<b>A</b>	<b>L</b>	<b>E</b>	<b>X</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>N</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>E</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>O</b>
<b>D</b>	<b>Y</b>	<b>N</b>	<b>E</b>	<b>S</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>E</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>N</b>	<b>U</b>	<b>M</b>
<b>V</b>	<b>S</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>E</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>L</b>	<b>M</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>I</b>
<b>O</b>	<b>N</b>	<b>E</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>E</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>I</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>N</b>
<b>C</b>	<b>E</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>M</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>O</b>	<b>S</b>	<b>A</b>
<b>A</b>	<b>E</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>O</b>	<b>V</b>	<b>O</b>	<b>N</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>O</b>	<b>T</b>
<b>T</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>E</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>S</b>	<b>W</b>	<b>I</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>L</b>
<b>U</b>	<b>L</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>E</b>	<b>S</b>	<b>S</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>E</b>	<b>N</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>E</b>
<b>N</b>	<b>I</b>	<b>E</b>	<b>O</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>E</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>L</b>	<b>E</b>	<b>A</b>
<b>D</b>	<b>E</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>E</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>E</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>S</b>
<b>U</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>E</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>U</b>	<b>M</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>O</b>	<b>L</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>T</b>

The omitted letters (in parentheses in the list below) spell  
**NATURGEMÄLDE**

**Across**

- ALEXANDER**
- A(N)ODYNE
- STERNUM
- V(A)ST
- REAL
- MARIONE(T)TE
- RIDDANCE
- DRAMA
- ROSA
- AERO
- VON**
- ABO(U)T
- TRADER
- SWIRL
- ULCE(R)S
- STENT
- (G)ENIE
- OTTER
- LEADER
- CREATED
- SURE
- HUMBOLDT**

**Down**

- ADVOCAT(E)
- UNDULY
- SNEER
- LI(M)E
- RENTED
- RACER
- EXERT
- RODEO
- CHASE
- EAVES
- TRU(A)NT
- ARMOR
- STEM
- DELIAN
- STEA(L)
- BERM
- DRAWER
- TORNADO
- BIN(D)LE
- LAURA
- SORTED
- DOMINAT(E)
- LEAST

Kevin Wald solved the puzzle in 25 minutes.