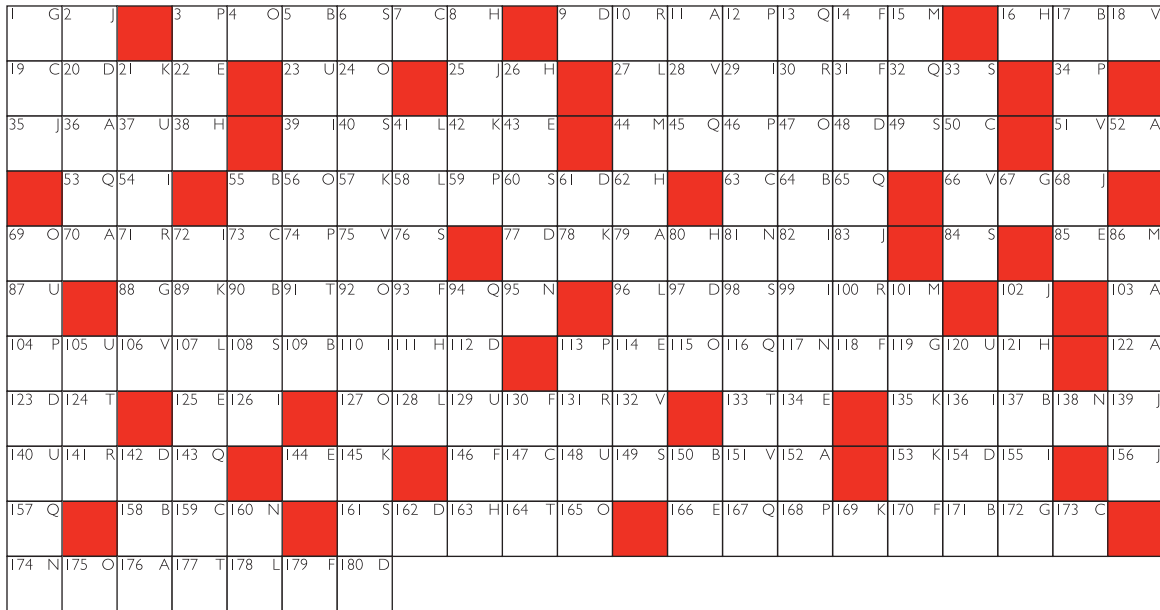


ACROSTIC ALBERTA NO. 26

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Solve the clues and fill in each solution's letters over the numbered blanks. Copy the letters to the diagram. The letter in the upper right corner of each square corresponds with the clue that solves that square. When completed, the diagram will contain a quote from a work by an Alberta author. The first letters of the answers to the clues will spell the author's name and/or the title of the work.



A soliloquy

70 176 122 52 79 36 103 11 152

B severance

17 109 90 137 158 55 5 150 64 171

C proper

7 73 50 159 19 63 147 173

D preface; launch

20 61 180 162 142 77 154 9 112 48 123 97

E village SE of Wainwright

43 85 22 114 134 125 144 166

F *A Nation Too Good to Lose* author (both names)

146 170 93 179 130 118 14 31

G anticipate

1 67 172 88 119

H information

38 111 163 16 80 8 121 62 26

I inoperative (3 words)

126 29 155 99 39 54 72 136 110 82

J African country, capital Gaborone

25 68 156 83 35 139 2 102

K germinal, rudimentary

135 89 153 145 57 78 21 169 42

L burst

41 178 27 58 96 107 128

M wave; influence

101 44 86 15

N believe, receive

81 117 138 160 174 95

O ___ Coliseum (Oilers' home 1974-98)

56 24 175 92 127 47 69 4 115 165

P ten contests

113 3 74 34 168 59 46 104 12

Q excessive

45 94 157 65 53 116 143 167 13 32

R sign, warning; detect

100 10 131 141 30 71

S "horse-piss; at which my nose is in great ___"

(The Tempest, Act IV)

98 49 33 60 161 108 84 149 6 40 76

T "I ___ tip-toe upon a little hill" (Keats)

164 124 91 133 177

U sham, parody

140 37 129 105 120 148 23 87

V fit, sporting

75 51 132 28 106 66 18 151

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