

## Roman VIII

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Roman numerals are the key to this novel kind of cryptic crossword puzzle. Enumerations are withheld, but all answers are 1 and V. Clues are not given in the customary order. To assist the solver in entering the answers into the diagram, the sum of the Roman numerals in each row and column is given below. Definitions are normal, but subsidiary indications apply to the entire row or column. For example, for the hypothetical row ROMAN ■ I ■ C, the sum 1101 would be given, and a possible clue would be “Kind of numeral obtained by removing the center of a Greek letter? Crazy!” 1, V, and VIII are unclued and unsummed.

	I	II	III	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII	IX	X
1						■		■		■
2		■		■						
3						■		■		■
4		■		■						
5						■		■		■
6	■		■		■					
7							■		■	
8	■		■		■					
9							■		■	
10	■		■		■					

### Sums

**Across:** 2. 501 3. 1060 4. 1001 5. 550 6. 1050 7. 351 8. 1051 9. 650 10. 500

**Down:** I. 250 II. 1 III. 55 IV. 1100 VI. 551 VII. 0 IX. 3050 X. 2501

### Clues

A raid? One might be!

Beneath underwear, transvestite seeks halters?

Celica crashes around North Carolina — forget it!

Faith's question: “Am I AI's relative?”

First drop of vaccine, oral concoction, holds nurse's strength.

Iceland's last general, in treatment, is sour.

In front of mare, nobleman puts on airs.

Kind of sleep one dandy brought up in performance. He is silent.

Member of class is perverted male, Mama!

Obtuse (i.e.: Easter egg inside.) (NI2+ word in subsidiary indication.)

Orangeade: cadet has ten.

Poem, rewritten, pales in afternoon.

Put off umpire with penny instead of ruble from the East.

Radio regulators have real trouble with savage.

Rest from Rubinstein's initial test about musical note.

Some oak I chopped for Northerner.

Traveled regularly and turned spindle.