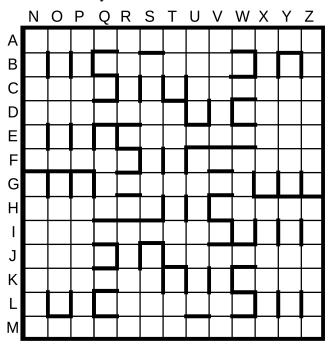
## **Slightly Damaged**

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Answers are intact, but all clues are slightly damaged, in one of four ways:

- a) normal definition, one superfluous letter is clued in subsidiary indication;
- b) normal definition, one letter of answer is ignored in subsidiary indication;
- c) one extraneous letter in definition, normal subsidiary indication;
- d) one letter missing in definition, normal subsidiary indication.

Each type of damage occurs 11 times. In some cases, spacing has been altered to cover it up. Clues 3 to 42 are ordered by the length their answers, starting with the shortest ones. In each case, the superfluous, ignored, extraneous, or missing letter indicates the row or column where the answer is to be entered.

## Clues

- 1. Resort to cities in FL -- bravo!
- 2. I guess "Slightly Damaged" was to be concealed
- 3. Greek character turns up with inside information
- 4. Voila! Oddly, it's pert
- 5. Bug: find it in cruddy extremities
- 6. Ban vase-breaking

- 7. Landing in University? Yes!
- 8. Oust from within, until tomorrow
- 9. Pound plus half-ounce in question
- 10. In trice, betrayed tradition
- 11. Born, brought up, levelled
- 12. Ail, starting when eczema erupts painfully
- 13. Ides revealing tragic lives
- 14. Defective brace used in Scottish spot
- 15. Television listing: Giant
- 16. Far range inverted in output estimate (two words)
- 17. One hat, tacks in mass, by the sound of it
- 18. Batch-processing: both ends of tableau serve as input (two words)
- 19. Liz sent bananas for Mum
- 20. One leg, no head, no arms, bent
- 21. So how is the definition incorporated in the center of one verb?
- 22. Group of three in ark? It got confused.
- 23. Go north-east
- 24. Fights about old blintzes
- 25. A role to conclude a performance (two words)
- 26. Unfair! Tax nine from birth
- 27. Killer's right after weapon's haft
- 28. For timeless stream, learn reorganization
- 29. Sexist, for example, has one good excuse in bed
- 30. Swatch to secure egg within
- 31. The Spanish set steersman up -- eight times
- 32. Sooty, broken gate under P.O. alternative
- 33. Ineffectively, it's my crib I'm copying
- 34. Layer of strings in cavity is on crown of tooth
- 35. Struggle to remove electrons, replacing the first one by another one
- 36. Delibes arranged Schumann's First, too
- 37. It calms anyone at sea
- 38. Freezing results from Boreus (misspelled)
- 39. Comet from inside? Give man a telescope!
- 40. Kind of emotion: picture me against the French in angry spite (hyphenated)
- 41. Thus, ancient Roman officer is chief law officer
- 42. Diversion of neater intent!
- 43. Hot to capture Nazis with army
- 44. To experience lounging, Arachne ran out