

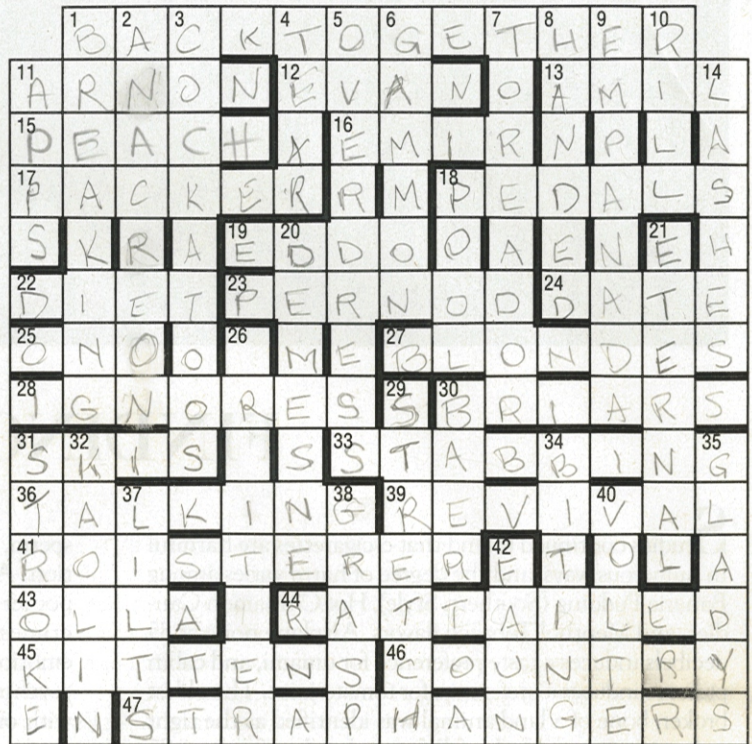
PUZZLE

RECONCILED

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The entry at 1A, "with" the thirteen other unclued entries, will create a group of words that have something in common. The title of the puzzle has some significance.

Clue answers include seven proper nouns. 11A, 19A, 32D and 40D are uncommon. As always, mental repunctuation of a clue is the key to its solution. The solution to last month's puzzle appears on page 77.



ACROSS

1. (see instructions—and the title of the puzzle) (4,8)
11. Italian flower gets name for French flower (5)
12. Man in the middle of St. Patrick's, doing a somersault (4)
13. Arab man returning from South American capital (4)
15. Cheap criminal, one bringing out the fuzz (5)
16. Frost recalled the title for "Prince of the Desert" (4)
17. (see instructions) (6)
18. (see instructions) (6)
19. Taro root, central to fodder, turned back (4)
22. What to eat when tide goes out? (4)
23. Cordial adjustment to ponder (6)
24. (see instructions) (4)
25. Lady of Rock announced. Not her! (3)
27. Some bombshells best docked outside, on leaving London (7)
28. Passes over developed regions (7)
30. Thorny situation for brother putting on airs, awkwardly (6)
31. Omits dropping the fourth pair of runners (4)
33. (see instructions) (8)
36. (see instructions) (7)
39. Renaissance makes English victory viral, circulating all around (7)
41. Unholy terrors, i.e., one raising a bit of hell (9)
43. On the outside, doctor can make a dollar from pot! (4)
44. Shot at, I'd alter having a lock at the back (9)
45. Small Siamese parts to be assembled, a number included (7)
46. (see instructions) (7)
47. Some commuters, finding roles reversed, they stay in the closet (12)

DOWN

1. (see instructions) (8)
2. No arcane deconstruction for this poet (8)
3. Fliers prepare to shoot a gun at nothing—so upsetting (9)
4. Get rent drop (4)
5. Show inappropriate habits? Cover Dre's solo entry (9)
6. (see instructions) (6)
7. _____ watch TV? Bedtime dilemma for man in ring! (8)
8. (see instructions) (6)
9. Dorothy's aunt and father receive nothing in turnover (8)
10. What dentists do doesn't begin with stream of water (4)
11. Downloaded things heard during recess (4)
14. (see instructions) (6)
18. Ring up Kitty (4)
20. Seed men spilled in place of the Lord (7)
21. Lasting through complete RNA labeling (7)
26. Upper-class item in chicken: more crackers (8)
29. (see instructions) (7)
30. He boxed naked, they say (4)
31. (see instructions) (6)
32. OK, nail disreputable china maker (6)
34. (see instructions) (6)
35. Good woman's name? (6)
37. Swings still moving (5)
38. Get to show gravity with a grating voice (5)
40. Love performing? Time to enter horse-show movement (5)
42. God, in the woods, is cooler after receiving a kind of turn (4)

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