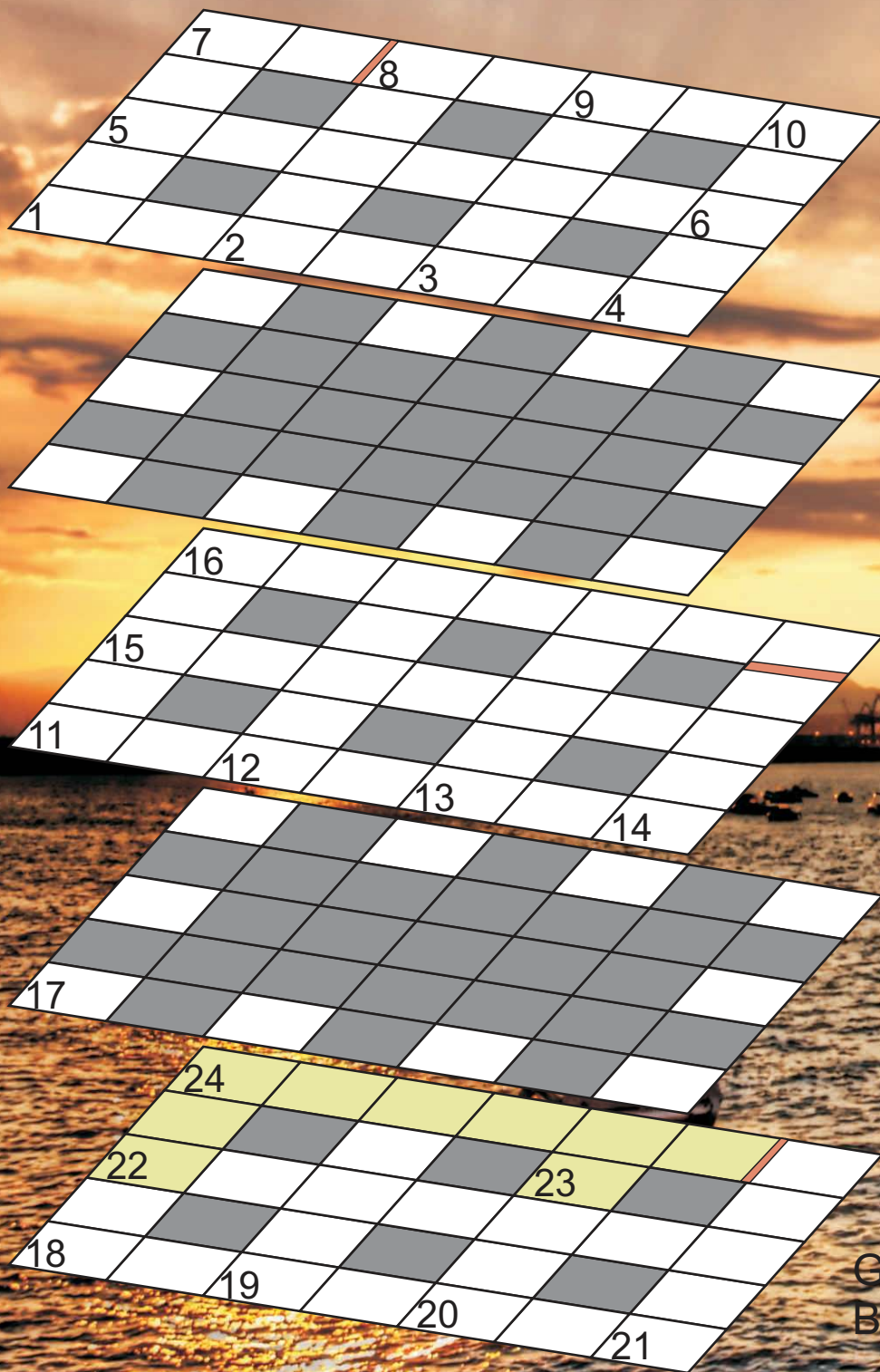


April 2012 Arachne



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This puzzle notes the 20th anniversary of a death. Clues are arranged in alphabetical order of their solutions

MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT	SUN
						1 ^{13aw} Noisily getting introductions to Ammonia and Ludicrus, knockabout couple (5)
2 ^{3d} Astonish Master, returning with street map covering southernmost part of Rome (5)	3 ^{3aw} Use item of clothing worn by Vestal Virgin, reportedly (5)	4 ^{20aw} Catapult Lincoln forward to see 21 st century version of 2d?	5 ^{6d} Message from Julia: Messalina's upset! (5)	6 ^{2d} Pro sticking last bits of urn together in Roman marketplace (5)	7 ^{2ac,4aw,10d} "Hark, friend! Woe!" cryptically conjures up comic actor (7,6)	8 ^{2aw,11aw} Night disguises what happened on the way to the 2d (5,5)
9 ^{16ac} Letter contains money for Nelson, a man of great rank (7)	10 ^{21aw} Was lazy and guided by basic instincts (5)	11 ^{7d} Wearing short toga, falling over in bar (5)	12 ^{15ac} Sad adios to artist and dancer (7)	13 ^{4d} Some Gurkha kit is this (5)	14 ^{1d} Soldiers finding butter became happy (3,2)	15 ^{9d} Beaver digs openings to left of dam, going eastward (5)
16 ^{1ac-5} Flipping earful, off lead, for Scotty dog (5)	17 ^{1aw,7ac-2} Listen! Hang about! I ought to be a 2ac,4aw,10d character! (6)	18 ^{19aw} Anthem encountered in books? On the contrary (5)	19 ^{22ac} To be advised to take part in girl's game? (7)	20 ^{18aw} Grape crop in Otago's Central Region (5)	21 ^{5d} Rule 8, 2aw, is in force (5)	22 ^{12aw} Restriction is beginning to rile airlines' trade group (5)
23 ^{5ac} Student nature unfortunately is not to be on time (3,4)	24 ^{11ac,14aw-4} It surfaces when drinkers return in little hours of the morning (10)	25 ^{24ac,23aw,22aw} Enter totty? I cheekily come out with 2ac,4aw,10d catchphrase (6,2,3)	26 ^{17d,18ac} Opium pipe, carousing and orgies got a mention in this 2ac,4aw,10d TV series	27 ^{8d} 100% barmy and locked up as yet? (5)	28 ^{8ac,10d-2} What a coward is, and what he might too easily do? (6)	29
30	31				Alphabetical order is judged by the first word in a solution so that 'a xylophone' comes before 'an oboe'.	April 2012