



Process of Discovery | *a cryptic puzzle by Emily Cox & Henry Rathvon*

To discover the grid's central word, follow the cryptic process indicated by the seven shaded entries, in the order of their clues.

Across

- 1 Came wandering around city's foremost tourist magnet (5)
- 5 A poet having nothing on (6)
- 10 Crescent-shaped bananas ruin meals (9)
- 11 Tree has nuts in May, e.g. (7)
- 13 That's funny about a vehicle for delivering cigar (6)
- 16 Clean the rest of Elmer Fudd? (5)
- 17 School's primary timeouts or breaks (5)
- 19 Small gull's poop sites (6)
- 20 Margaret, with a great start? (4)
- 21 Mayberry man is brownish blond with head shaved (4)

- 23 Southwest native with a passing pain (6)
- 26 Canadian native with near-failing faith (5)
- 28 Section of Bangkok or eastern Asian land (5)
- 29 Set aside satisfactory tool's handle (6)
- 31 A saint and his twin, oddly (7)
- 32 Invoice containing a time period on both sides (9)
- 33 Pounding at hot mug (6)
- 34 Opulent chief of police, drunk (5)

Down

- 1 Unverified stories of my town high school (5)
- 2 Fuel for leader of England and leader of Scotland (6)
- 3 Alternative care for "Juno" actor (4)
- 4 A Saks department's mass communications? (5)
- 6 Homer, maybe, while stuffing sandwich (5)

- 7 Endure longer than a tour we revamped (7)
- 8 Nightclub party with new rapper of verse? (5)
- 9 Operation in doctor's club for edema (6)
- 12 Germ officer communicated orally (6)
- 14 Fancy silver among change (6)
- 15 Ruins trees of the olive family (5)
- 18 In reverse, run top Indy vehicle (4,3)
- 20 Ma, bake crackers for Miriam (6)
- 22 Hockey team from south was returning (6)
- 24 Assume interest in column (5)
- 25 Must a host put out? (3,2)
- 26 China problem about Republican tweet (5)
- 27 Study chapter with "Skyfall" actress (5)
- 30 End of a series returning after 11:00? (2,2)

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