

Reinstatement Solution

A	P	P	R	O	V	E	F	O	R	T	E	S
B	R	E	E	D	E	R	L	O	O	K	U	P
Y	O	M	G	O	N	E	A	R	B	Y	R	I
S	W	E	A	R	D	T	I	H	O	N	O	R
S	E	L	T	Z	E	R	L	O	T	S	P	A
E	S	O	T	E	R	I	C	N	O	V	E	L
S	S	N	A	D	O	P	T	E	E	E	M	S
I	S	S	U	E	C	O	M	E	D	I	A	N
N	L	Q	U	I	P	D	I	V	U	L	G	E
K	I	A	N	G	R	S	N	S	C	E	N	E
I	V	X	A	N	A	D	U	L	A	D	A	R
N	E	T	P	A	Y	S	T	A	T	U	T	E
G	R	A	T	E	S	J	E	W	E	L	E	D

This puzzle could be described as a **MIND GAME**.

Clue	Answer	Modified Word(s)	Explanation
1A	APPROVE	condone	AP + P + ROVE
6A	FORTES	Sumter	FORT + E + S
10A	BREEDER	flawed	RED BEER*
11A	LOOKUP	reference	K + U + POLO*
13A	NEARBY	crazy	N + (B in YEAR*)
15A	SWEAR	vow vile	WARES*
17A	HONOR	nohow	metRO NOHow<
18A	SELTZER	mineral	Z in LESTER*
19A	LOTS	Scads	2 defs
20A	ESOTERIC	cooked	COTERIES*
21A	NOVEL	put Xmas	NOEL around V
23A	ADOPTEE	taken	A + (DOPE around TE)
28A	ISSUE	Hanky's	[t]ISSUE
30A	COMEDIAN	con joker	MEDIA in CON
32A	QUIP	Bon mot	PIQU[e]*
35A	DIVULGE	Share	LUG* in DIVE
36A	KIANG	palace	[s]A[d] in KING
37A	SCENE	Behinds	[faultless]S [Potoma]C [provid]E [raftsme]N [seren]E
38A	XANADU	within	teXAN ADUlterated
39A	NET PAY	Amount	NAP YET*
40A	STATUTE	Law	STATE around U[nhealthies]T
41A	GRATES	Richest	R in GATES
42A	JEWELLED	onyx	J[acksonvill]E W[is]E L[aureate]E + D
1D	ABYSSES	crevasses	ASSES around BY
2D	PROWESS	mashed	POWERS* + S
3D	REGATTA	divided	AT in GREAT*
4D	ODOR	Second	tO eDitor dOcumenting cRisp
5D	VENDER	Denver	DENVER*
6D	FLAIL	Filial	fILIAL Festive<
7D	ROBOT	stem droid	B in ROOT

8D	EUROPE	continent	“you’re up”
9D	SPIRAL	Coil	S + APRIL*
12D	MELONS	solemn	SOLEMN*
14D	RHONE	Waterway	HERON*
16D	TRIPODS	Poems	OD[e]S after TRIP
22D	VEILED	ran hid	IVE* + LED
24D	DEIGN	orally	“Dane”
25D	EDUCATE	Chewy	E + CUD< + ATE
26D	MAGNATE	partner	MATE around (AG + N)
27D	SNEERED	forecaster	(SEER around N) + E + D
28D	INKING	extract	[hyperl]INK IN G[irl's]
29D	SLIVER	rev tad	SLI[m] + REV<
31D	MINUTE	Detailed	2 defs
33D	UNAPT	winks	NAP in UT
34D	PRAYS	salute	“praise”
37D	SLAW	dons dated	L in SAW