

Hints for Harvard Puzzle "Where the Trees Stand Still"

Parentheses around a clue mean that a letter must be omitted from the answer word before it will fit in the grid. Numbers in parentheses indicate lengths of answer words, an asterisk * indicates a capitalized word, and a raised ^f a foreign word.

Across

1. (Not normal for vicar to get loud and rebellious) (7)
2. Popular guys in show produce a document (10)
3. Essentially zany, throaty, and lean (7)
4. (Projected essay about New England) (8)
5. Meal is about over (6)
6. (Gas enveloping dad in a prostrate position) (7)
7. Model talks with mouth (5)
8. Bird loses head for beau (5)
9. One defeated pitcher gives up 100 (5)
10. Waited to signal (4)
11. Ruff's mate seen in treetop (3)
12. Linger and tell about end of plot (4)
13. *Passed on westward around seaport (6)
14. *(King of the Gods ravaged a town) (5)
15. Assassin eats stewed fruit (4)
16. Leonard's age (3)
17. Got drunk back in station (5)
18. Get old ragged rein around pony's head (5)
19. *(Actor Peter's learning about role's origin) (5)
20. (Mild and tempered interior) (7)
21. (Seed cases inside of wax pouch) (5)
22. Finally had private meal (6)
23. (Put container in front oven) (7)

Down

1. (Long-lasting bad rule overthrown) (7)
2. Troubled Maine holds off social instability (6)
3. (Has someone coming up with a bryophyte) (4)
4. Club displaces Faith's union meeting (5)
5. Corrupt court upholds outrageous fine (6)
6. A pig started drumming on base (6)
7. Opening up with an odd number (4)
8. Flock has begun learning to walk slowly (4)
9. Mum is back weeks before Easter (6)
10. Wear out in zero degrees (5)
11. Plain craft is within range (7)
12. (Managed a line of poetry in Old English when finished) (8)
13. High quality device that stabilizes energy (4)
14. Copper's only embracing a woman, maybe (6)
15. Nag eats end of wooden stopper (4)
16. Challenge prosecutor with note (4)
17. ^fPlan on having a year in Spain (3)
18. Insecure nurse is sacked right after starting up (6)
19. (Fared well backing shows with more indecency) (6)
20. (Clattered and jabbered after losing lead) (7)
21. (Removal from hazardous territory) (6)
22. Fight with energy in a bad situation (6)
23. (Impressed by excellent flight) (8)