

Notes on Common Errors 3495 - 3545

(Error incidence : total error : total entry)

- 3495 Wise Men/Kings not reversed ('from the East') (661 : 662 : 786)
 (i) No adjustments; Wise Men not highlighted (386)
 (ii) No adjustments; Wise Men highlighted (132)
 (Highlighting was not required)
 (iii) Gifts reading (down) correctly; rest of Wise Men unchanged (97)
 (iv) Both Gift/Wise Men letters in intersecting squares (33)
 (v) Other options (13)
- 3496 AWAKEN for AWOKEN (38 : 149 : 724)
In a stop by a bad house aroused
 'In' superfluous; A + WO + KEN
- 3500 X (the extra bridge) misplaced (136 : 164 : 335)
 Of the three possibilities, only one square
 could be considered 'distinct', i.e. separate
- 3501 PROTHONOTARY/HELLEO for PROTHNOOTARY ('turn on')/HELLEN (31 : 65 : 742)
Thessalian King Henry and little Queen Elinor
 'Queen' superfluous; H + ELLEN
- 3504 Other than ARIONN (37 : 48 : 378)
 (i) ARSONN (27) (ii) Others (7 different) (10)
 LYDIAN; LYDIA (Kingdom) ? ARION ([Hercules'] horse)
- 3505 Errors suggesting theme not deduced (29 : 48 : 258)
 Checked letters defined full word, e.g. D EC EA SE D
- 3509 ? for ? (sigma: ? required for NI?SE) (50 : 120 : 330)
- 3512 OBJECT for ABJECT (50 : 83 : 629)
Throw away obsolete present; it has superseded old function
 'function' superfluous; A (=it) replacing O in OBJECT
- 3516 (i) Pathing/bump errors not involving down lights (32 : 72 : 342)
 (ii) Down (normal) light(s) incorrect, with resultant or
 causal pathing error(s) (23 : 72 : 342)
- 3518 Clockwise perimeter option selected (123 : 141 : 448)
 (i) Starting top row between 5 and 6 (96)
 (ii) Starting SE corner (27)
 Clues led to three different diagrams; preamble specified
 perimeter 'reading anti-clockwise'
- 3524 Coding errors

- (i) Miscounting code or letter position in word
- (ii) Subtracting not adding (letter position)

(74 : 134 : 754)

(44 : 134 : 754)

- 3529 (i) Perimeter (DERMATOGLYPHICS) not entered (143 : 174 : 273)
(ii) Orientation wrong (BUNGed not UP) (99 : 174 : 273)
(a) - 120° (anti-clockwise) (50)
(b) + 120° (clockwise) (46)
(c) mirrored (3)

- 3532 ASLANT for ASCA(U)NT (60 : 104 : 763)
For instance, on slope
AS + CANT, &lit. ('subsidiary' indications ignored U)

- 3537 Unsatisfactory outlining (or highlighting) (105 : 119 : 450)
Complete 'open book' outline/highlight, i.e. rectangle, required

- 3538 Faulty highlighting:
$$\begin{array}{c} W \\ I \\ T \\ C \\ H \end{array}$$
 required (91 : 112 : 403)

- (i)
$$\begin{array}{c} W \\ I \\ T \\ C \\ H \end{array}$$
 (31) (ii)
$$\begin{array}{c} I \\ W \end{array} T C H$$
 (23)

- (iii)
$$\begin{array}{c} W \\ I \\ T \\ C \\ H \end{array}$$
 (22) (iv) Others (15)

- 3541 Error(s) in enclosed 'initial' squares (73 : 99 : 342)
(i) \boxed{R} for \boxed{W} (OOZLE) (28)
(ii) Others (24 different) (45)

- 3542 623/222 for 613/212 (29 : 179 : 853)
Digit sum + digit sum = 15