TEN-SQUARE WITH PLACE NAMES

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Although the words in the following square only score 36 out of 50 on my crude scale of merit (because of proper names and spaces), the square as a whole deserves better, as all names are places, and from the same source.

BACKSBACKA  Backsbacka, Finland, 63°27', 23°07'
ANHUMINHAS  Ribeirao Anhuminhas, Brazil, -22°53', -50°50'
CHAHARGALA  Chahargal'a-i-Wazirabad, Afghanistan, 34°33', 69°09'
KUHESHAHIN  Kuh-e Shahin, Iran, 35°24', 46°32'
SMASVALENE  Smasvalene, Norway, 60°58', 4°38'
BIRHASANAH  Bi'r Hasanah, Finland, 30°27', 33°46'
ANGALACANE  Angalacane, Mozambique, -22°28', 31°31'
CHAHENASIR  Chah-e Nasir, Iran, 27°43', 58°01'
KALINANINA  Kalinanina, Zambia, -14°23', 24°44'
ASANEHERAD  Asane Herad, Norway, 60°28', 5°25'

The following square is very nearly as good (actually preferable for hyphenophobics):

BAGANBATAK  Baganbatak, Columbia, 3°12', 99°40
ARBARRAML  'Arab ar Raml, Egypt, 30°31', 31°12
GARANYEMBE  Garanyembe, Zambia, -14°25', 26°56
ABAGKANALI  Abag Kanali, Azerbaijan, 39°11', 48°36
ANKUNSHAN  Nankunshan, China, 23°38', 113°53
BRYANTBANK  Bryant Bank, an undersea feature, 28°01', -92°28
ARENSBURGA  Arensburga, Estonia, 58°14', 22°30
TAMAHARBO  Tama Harbor, Japan, 34°28', 133°56
AMBLANGODA  Amblangoda, Sri Lanka, 7°00', 81°11
KLEINKARAS  Klein-Karas, Namibia, railroad siding, -27°34', 18°06

Nan-k'an Shan, Taiwan is a slightly worse substitute for Nankunshan

Only one location is given for a name: there may be more. Locations are given as latitude, longitude. All names are from NIMA, the National Imagery and Mapping Agency's database.

It is notable that there are no places from English-speaking countries.

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