AN OLYMPIC QUIZ, 1984 STYLE

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The August 1976 Word Ways carried a quiz of mine entitled "An Olympic Quiz". In it, I offered sixty words, each of which could be added to the letters of OLYMPIC, and then transposed to create a new word or term. For example:

COOPERS + OLYMPIC = POLYMICROSCAPE
SLATE + OLYMPIC = MYELOPLASTIC

Eight years later, and with the Olympic Games back in North America (remember, the 1976 Olympic Games were held in Montreal), I offer another Olympic quiz.

Again, here are sixty words and names. The letters of each can be added to OLYMPIC, and then transposed to make a new word or term. None of the words in the 1976 quiz is repeated here. See how many of my Olympic transformations you can identify, and then see how many additional ones you can generate yourself.

One of the words here can be combined with OLYMPIC to produce two different words, so, in all, there are 61 words and terms to be found. Forty of these are from Webster's Second and/or Third Editions; ten are from the Oxford English Dictionary Supplement; and another ten are from the Century Dictionary Supplement, Chambers Dictionary of Science and Technology, An Illustrated Encyclopaedic Medical Dictionary (by Frank Foster), and A Glossary of Botanic Terms (by Daydon Jackson). One word is an -lSE spelling of an -lZE verb that appears in the Oxford English Dictionary and Funk and Wagnalls New Standard Dictionary.

chlorate shoute orchat e gaul rapist
terminal shoute Enoch earshot e gaul rapist
rotulas chi throats he reps
lours sam horse teamer stator
cs retotal heron cothe styies
Eilat leal mohrs ret Hutter
artier ea lax mooter raped
hala rash star t reach
scalage hous teachy xi charley
arr soothe de oes rater
roosters rhos ditones ios salads
Edith corahs Andy hep chlorates

Answers can be found in Answers and Solutions at the end of the issue.