

EIGHT-SQUARES IN WEBSTER'S SECOND

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*Editor's Note: The following set of eight-squares is the result of a computer search of the Air Force tape of Webster's Second Unabridged for eight-squares consisting solely of solid (unhyphenated) words, carried out by Eric Albert in 1989 and independently by Chris Long in 1992. The computer-generated list of 47 squares has been augmented by substituting -s or -d as endings of the eighth words, and (in one case) by changing *deedless* to *seedless* and *acetated* to *acetates*. Only one of these squares was previously known, an AGARICUS square constructed by Mrs. A.H. Burkholder and published in *The Enigma* of January 1927. If the Air Force tape had inferred forms and words from Webster's Third Unabridged, many more squares could be found.*

+ E D + C T O R	++ = BO	RA	V A S C U L A R	
E P I C H I L E	++ = OA	or AU	A L T A R A G E	
D I S C I T I S			S T O M A T A L	
+ C C + S I V E			C A M A T I N A	
C H I S E L E R			U R A T O S I S	
T I T I L A T E			L A T I S E P T	
O L I V E T A N			A G A N I P P E	
R E S E R E N E			R E L A S T E +	+ = R or D
A G A R I C U S			+ A T R I C A L	+ = I or M
G E N E R A N T			A I R E D A L E	
A N A C O N D A			T R I N E R V E	
R E C + N T E R	+ = A	or E	R E N T A L E R	
I R O N W O R T			I D E A T I O N	
C A N T O * A L	* = R	or N	C A R L I S L E	
U N D E R A G E			A L V E O L U S	
S T A R T L E #	# = R,	D or S	L E E R N E S S	
R E D I S P E L			U N M A S K E +	+ = R or D
E P I S C O P E			N O O N T I M E	+ = R or D
D I A L Y S I S			M O N T A N A N	
I S L E L E S S			A N T O N I N A	
S C Y L L I T E			S T A N D P A T	
P O S E I D O N			K I N I P E T U	
E P I S T O M E			E M A N A T O R	
L E S S E N E +	+ = R	or D	+ E N A T U R E	

RECREEDIT		OPPOSURE	
ETHOXIDE		POLLENED	
CHYMOSIN		PLOIMATE	
ROMES + OT	+ = H or C	OLIVILIN	
EXOSMOSE	++ = HN or CL	SEMITACT	
DIS + O + OR		UNALASKA	
IDIOSOME		RETICKET	
TENTERE *	* = D or S	E DENT A T +	+ = A or E
OUTTEASE		GROSSART	
UNWEANED		REVEALER	
TWIGSOME		OVERRI + E	+ = F or T
TEGUEXIN		SERJANIA	++ = FG or ST
EASEMENT		SARABAND	
ANOXEMIA		ALINASAL	
SEMINIST		RE + INA + E	
E DENT A T +	+ = A or E	TREADLE *	* = S or D
ESCALADO		ODONTOMA	
SCALIGER		DEVOURER	
CARABOID		OVERRIDE	
ALAMANNI		NORPINIC	
LIBATIION		TURICATA	
AGONIADA		ORINASAL	
DEINODON		MEDITATE	
ORDINAN +	+ = T or D	ARECALES	
APPETITE		RENEGADE	
PRENARIS		EPI TASIS	
PERSCENT		NIHILIST	
ENSCONCE		ETIOLATE	
TACONITE		GALLINAE	
IRENICUM		ASIANISM	
TINCTURE		DISTASTE	
ESTEEME +	+ = R or D	ESTEEME +	+ = R or D
LAMANISM		+ + + + A T E *	++++ UNAB ACET
ANODONTA		+ + + I N E N E	+++ = NOP or CAD
MOROCCAN		+ + + + T A T E	++++ = APOS or EDEN
ADOPTANT		+ I + + E R E D	+ ++ B ST T ND
NOCTURNE		ANTEHALL	
INCARIAL		TEARABLE	
STANNA + E	+ = N or T	ENTELLUS	* = S or D
MANTELET		* E E D L E S S	* = S or D
OSSICULE		CANAILLE	
SEASONAL		ALEUTIAN	
SA + ONITE	+ = X or P	NE + TONIC	+ = K or W
ISO * O * IC		AUTUNITE	
CONODONT	** = CL or TP	ITONAMAN	
UNI * O * AR	** = LB or PL	LINIMENT	
LATINATE		LAITANCE	
ELECTRET		ENCENTER	

+ + A T T E S T	++ = CO	or RE	R E P E A T E D	
+ + T R A N C E	++ = OU	or EN	E V E N M E T E	
A T T A R G U L			P E C T O S I C	
T R A C T * T E	* = A	or I	E N T R E S O L	
T A R T A R U S	** = AB	or ID	A M O E B U L A	
E N G * R * L E			T E S S U L A R	
S C U T U L U M			E T I O L A T E	
T E L E S E M E			D E C L A R E +	+ = R, D or S
I N T E R A C T			R E S E T T L E	
N E O M E N I A			E P I M E R A L	
T O X I C A N T			S I F A T I T E	
E M I T T E N T			E M A N A T I V	
R E C T O R A L			T E T A N I N E	
A N A E R O B E			T R I T I C I N	
C I N N A B A R			L A T I N I + +	++ = ZE or ST
T A T T L E R +	+ = Y or S		E L E V E N + +	++ = ER or TH
K I D N A P E R			F O R E C L A W	
I D I O S O M E			O + O G R A P H	+ = D or R
D I A N I L I D			R O L L I C H E	
N O N F A L S E			E G L A M O R E	
A S I A N I S M			C R I M I N A L	
P O L L I N I A			L A C O N I S M	
E M I S S I O N			A P H R A S I A	
R E D E M A N D			W H E E L M A N	