## Main Courses <br> by Ucaoimhu

Offering two main courses for one Thanksgiving dinner is much easier when you can just make a couple of tweaks to one to get the other - just (1) make it a bit warmer at the start, and (2) chop it correctly. In this puzzle, ten answers must each be altered both ways before entry (altered entries include a hyphenated word and an archaism).

In each of twenty other clues, one word has had a letter changed or set of letters added to compensate for one of these changes, of type (1) or (2) respectively; this change must be undone before solving. If the altered word is the $n$th word from the start or end of the clue (for type (1) or (2), respectively), circle the $n$th letter from the start or end of the clue (respectively). These circled letters, in clue order, will say more specifically what tweaks (1) and (2) do.

The one remaining clue (which works normally) provides a dessert, and a suitable response to the rest of the puzzle.

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## ACROSS

1. This is shot, literally? Right! ( 2 wds.)
2. Onan misspelled a word that Artemis put before Domini
3. Distillery almost blocks English court mandate
4. Skewed leaps forming geometrical figure
5. Ready to ransack bathroom furniture
6. Goon hoarding selenium thus gets no reward ( 2 wds.)
7. Typhoons brought to ruin by one egg or less ( $2 w d s$.)
8. Ate cooked leech? Dunno
9. Neatly pitched lint confused grasping Oscar (hyph.)
10. Hostess offering water buffalo's tail ( 2 wds.)
11. Country of Queendom's author rushed
12. Parisian is interrupting 27,000-page show online
13. Must informally rotate some bassinet together
14. Emperor's almost Napoleonically elevated in elaboration
15. Territory-poor states repeatedly use bits of Al's den

## DOWN

1. Eats hot dish containing what clips are made of
2. As a tribute to (or for) Yoko, Logan's outside India, somersaulting ( $3 w d s$.)
3. Chanted about origin of lobbyist's grit
4. With droopy sense organs behold fruit Molly had (hyph.)
5. Youngish one born near Troy is heading towards leaven
6. A shortening of Dress-Sense's title is Getting Hydrogen Off The Cuff (2 wds.)
7. Dorothy and Bob's fifth destination in Films With

Breeding Juxtaposed With True Anarchy
8. Silly crepe sloe trees, say, are part of this
9. Emperor that resembles sledding cottoid ( 2 wds.)
16. Blue, penniless Montoya, who held onto a lilt
18. Auto's unit destroyed Utah mountains
19. Loam-banked, very twisty African river is looking good
21. Device that makes dowels rusty and soapy
22. In comparison to light brown boxes west of ledge
23. Dance hall's last place to get flapjacks containing no dysprosium (2 wds.)
24. Cuban bears oreads repeatedly

