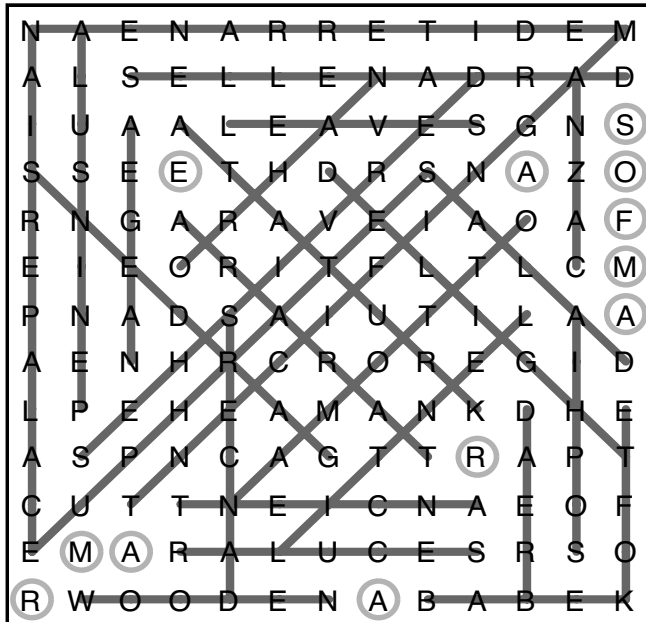


TURKEY

Work out all the words needed to complete these phrases which you might associate with Turkey. The letters left over will spell out the name of a stretch of water linking the Black and Aegean Seas.



SOLUTION:

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| 1. ... Sea | 15. ... Empire |
| 2. ... Troy | 16. ... Rugs |
| 3. ... Cove | 17. Pide ... |
| 4. Battle of the ... | 18. ... State |
| 5. Belly ... | 19. Shish ... |
| 6. Fattoush ... | 20. Suleiman the ... |
| 7. Gallipoli ... | 21. Tigris and ... |
| 8. Hagia ... | 22. Topkapi ... |
| 9. Lamb ... | 23. Tulip ... |
| 10. ... Soup | 24. Turkish ... |
| 11. ... Cruise | 25. Vine ... |
| 12. Mount ... | 26. Whirling ... |
| 13. Mustafa Kemal ... | 27. ... Horse |
| 14. ... Pamuk | |

SCRIBBLE SPACE:

CRYPTIC

Use the cryptic clues below to solve this crossword with a twist.



ACROSS

- Characters with a leaning to the right (7)
- Send Ira off to get little one from school (7)
- Conduit for TV station (7)
- Track down slightest amount (5)
- System used when communication is flagging (9)
- Golf clubs for Jeremy (5)
- Mobster relocated on palace (2,6)
- Certain saint is most trusted (6)
- The leading witch is a jerk! (6)
- Extra ingredient sent majority of diet into a dive (8)
- Cooked steak or fish (5)
- India incorporated one's other country (9)
- Somewhat browbeaten when devoured (5)
- No turning back in cycle of hurricane (7)
- In the direction of hospital rooms? (7)
- Family members with a habit (7)

DOWN

- Strange instances that seem never-ending (9)
- It makes you wake up in panic (5)
- South Africa is ahead 55-0 in this round (5)
- Model cheats to get tiny food packet (6)
- Revenge sought when part of redistribution goes missing (11)
- We're repairing small pitchers (5)
- Pacino is on one, on his own (5)
- Fluffy wire used for making drain more hygienic (4,7)
- Get admiral to reveal expected arrival time (1,1,1)
- Generates corrupt adolescents (9)
- Inappropriate way to stir paint (5)
- Choir clues left hole in big top (6)
- Kind to go with William and talk (5)
- Dodges zeros (5)
- Result of game is movie music (5)