



Across

- 1 Industrial city and port in southwestern England near the mouth of the River Avon (7)
- 5 Peninsula extending northward from the Arabian mainland into the Persian Gulf (5)
- 8 1999 film set in the slums of Rio, directed by Carlos Diegue (5)
- 9 King of Athens who killed the Minotaur (7)
- 10 British violinist (born in the United States) who began his career as a child prodigy in the 1920s (6,7)
- 11 United States film actor who frequently plays tough characters (2,4)
- 12 Frightened in Shakespeare's day (6)
- 15 Ability to recognise the exact property of a sound (8,5)
- 18 Combustible developed from organic matter (7)
- 19 A felt hat that is round and hard with a narrow brim (5)
- 20 Father in A Midsummer Night's Dream (5)

Down

- 1 Small tropical gannet having a bright bill or bright feet or both (5)
- 2 City in central Iran; former capital of Persia (7)
- 3 Cumulonimbi (13)
- 4 The taking of all territory north of the Rio Grande for Spain in 1598 (2,4)
- 5 Black lady (5,2,6)
- 6 Uniform projections on a gear (5)
- 7 Treated with resin (a violin bow, for example) (7)
- 11 Yorkshire born English novelist, biographer and critic (7)
- 13 Ancient Phoenician goddess of love and fertility (7)
- 14 British statesman and leader of the Labour Party who instituted the welfare state in Britain (6)
- 16 Perthshire home of the stone of destiny (5)
- 17 Prolific Austrian composer who influenced the classical form of the symphony (5)

21 British sculptor (born in the United States) noted for busts and large controversial works (7)