

CRYPTIC CROSSWORDS: COMMON ABBREVIATIONS

a	A	hard	H	power	P
about	A, C, CA, RE	has	S	pressure	P
abstemious	TT	hearts	H	queen	R, ER
ace	A	height	H	quiet	P
adult	A	henry	H	race	TT
against	V	heroin	H	race	TT
answer	A	horse	H	resistance	R
are	A	hospital	H	right	R
bachelor	B	hot	H	ring	O
bishop	B	hour	H	river	R
black	B	hundred	C	road	RD
Bob	B	husband	H	rook	R
book	B	is	S	run(s)	R
born	B	island	I	sailor	AB
bowled	B	Jack	J	saint	S
breadth	B	Judge	J	seaman	AB
British	B	key*	A to F	second(s)	S
brown	BR	King	K	see	V,C
bye	B	king	R	shirt	T
caught	C	kiss	X	silver	AG
century	C	knight	K, N	singular	S
chapter	C	lake	L	son	S
church	CE, CH	learner	L	south(ern)	S
circle	O	left	L	spades	S
clubs	C	Liberal	L	square	S
city	EC, LA, NY	line	L	stone	ST
cold	C	litre	L	street	ST
Conservative	C	love	O	succeeded	S
current	AC DC	maiden	M	Switzerland	CH
daughter	D	male	M	tango	T
departs	D	mark(s)	M	temperature	T
diamonds	D	married	M	tenor	T
died	D	masculine	M	tense	T
doctor	DR, MO, MB	mass	M	thousand	K, M
duke	D	mile	M	time	T
East(ern)	E	million(s)	M	ton(s)	T
ecstasy	E	minute	M	united	U
energy	E	monarch	ER	universal	U
engineers	RE	Monsieur	M	university	U
English	E	motorway	M, MI	upper-class	U
female	F	name	N	versus	V
fifty	L	new	N	very	V
fine	F	newton	N	volume	V
first person	A	noon	N	vote sign of error	X
five	V	North(ern)	N	weight	W
five hundred	D	note*	A to F	west(ern)	W
following	F	nothing	O	wicket	W
forte	F	nought	O	wide	W
France	F	old	O	width	W
frequency	F	one	A, I or UN	wife	W
gallons	G	page	P	with	W
Germany	G	pawn	P	women(s)	W
good	G	penny	P	yard	Y
graduate	MA, BA, MBA	piano	P	year	Y
grand	G	posh	U	yen	Y
gunners	RA	pound	L	zero	O

*NOTE or KEY can be
,B,C,D,E,F,G

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