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ACROSS

7  Traditional flower for this month
9  snow covered ground blends with white sky
10 Apparatus in which heat is generated
11 Large, long-handled scoop for digging or scooping heavy material
14 Bed covering consisting of multiple layers
15 Cheerless, bleak or depressing
16 Cloudlike mass made up of tiny water droplets suspended in the air near the ground
17 Promise to change something in the future
20 Runnerless sled that is curved upwards

DOWN

1  Season of the year between autumn and spring
2  Heavy and widespread snowstorm of lengthy duration
3  Warm undergarments made of wool
4  Traditional January birthstone
5  Frozen form of precipitation that falls as ice crystals formed into flakes
6  First month of the year
8  Wood for cooking or heating
10 New Year's Day
12 Remain dormant over the winter in a den
13 Condition of abnormally low body temperature
16 Influenza
18 Coverings for the feet worn for protection
19 Warm outer jacket, often with a hood