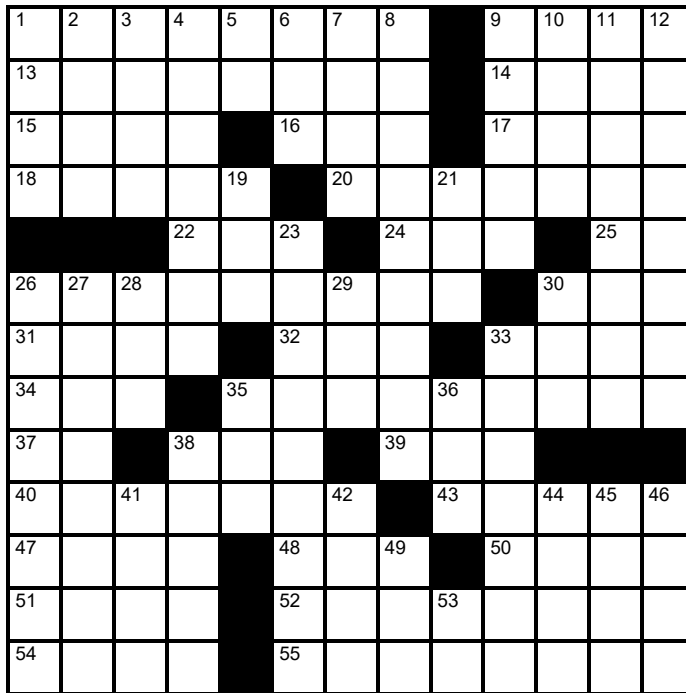


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**Across**

- 1. Temporary suspension
- 9. In the center of
- 13. Bartender's product
- 14. Rational
- 15. Cast aspersions on
- 16. Evil
- 17. Thin
- 18. Pass over
- 20. Crescent-shaped window
- 22. Santa \_\_\_ winds
- 24. Same old, same old
- 25. Not out
- 26. Duellists using epees or sabres
- 30. Work on a doily
- 31. Fish bait
- 32. Member of Cong.

**33. Kind of bag**

- 34. All the rage
- 35. Worried
- 37. Broadbent or Belfour
- 38. Word in many business names
- 39. Señora Perón
- 40. Cleaning aid
- 43. Furnish with a fund
- 47. Golden rule word
- 48. Common conjunction
- 50. Vaccines
- 51. When repeated, a 1997 Jim Carrey comedy
- 52. Felon
- 54. Raison d'\_\_\_
- 55. Prepare for combat

**Down**

- 1. Notre Dame niche
- 2. Cotton pod
- 3. Sewing case
- 4. Part of a spar
- 5. @
- 6. Bird's beak
- 7. Fossil fuel
- 8. Stamina
- 9. Black ink item
- 10. Type of vinegar
- 11. Get going
- 12. Insane
- 19. Armageddon
- 21. Convent dweller
- 23. Relative of alliteration
- 26. Agenda
- 27. Agatha Christie specialty

**28. Ump's call**

- 29. Rest room sign
- 30. Heavy weight
- 33. Word with mass or rapid
- 35. Police officer
- 36. Genesis name
- 38. Mall component
- 41. Celeb
- 42. Cliff's pal on "Cheers"
- 44. Job for a body shop
- 45. Spoken
- 46. Corduroy ridge
- 49. Barbecue offering
- 53. Bell or Barker

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