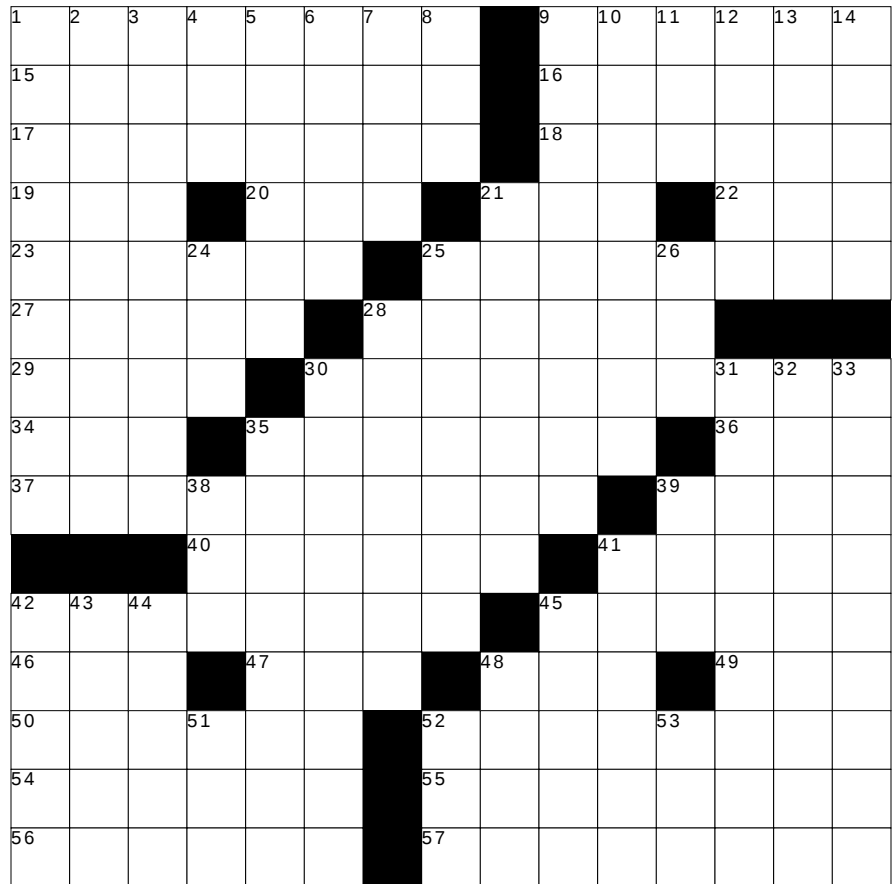


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Across

- 1 Where tiles may be put down
- 9 Comey successor as FBI director
- 15 Grease principal portrayer
- 16 Searches or schmoes
- 17 Mattress support
- 18 Last of the Oldsmobiles
- 19 Malaprop, for one
- 20 Legal ___
- 21 Article in El Mundo
- 22 Outdoor elevator
- 23 Very sharp
- 25 Hill diggers for dinner
- 27 Simulations
- 28 Informal forecast
- 29 Conversation stopper
- 30 Already addressed
- 34 "Reward us, ___ we think or write!": Carroll



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- 35 Disneyland ride since Opening Day
- 36 Long shots, briefly
- 37 Destination for relaxation
- 39 First with transatlantic jet service (1958)
- 40 Washed-out
- 41 Monarca britanico
- 42 Savory pork product
- 45 Cuba's first vice president (1976-2008)
- 46 Beeginning?
- 47 Nativity scene staple
- 48 Pine product
- 49 Exciting, these days
- 50 It's NW of Virginia City
- 52 Have a great fall
- 54 Aerial self-portrait
- 55 Potter title partner
- 56 Ecclesiastical

- councils
- 57 They make wake-up calls

Down

- 1 One with site might
- 2 Compromise yourself, perhaps
- 3 Ballotpedia.com depictions
- 4 Very small portion
- 5 Barley minus hulls
- 6 Aesop fable conclusion
- 7 Insignificant
- 8 What a halo hasn't
- 9 Western novel (1918) highly praised by Mencken
- 10 Sicily's closest neighbor
- 11 "Waltz for Eva and ___"
- 12 It extends down to the abdomen

- 13 Loud fan
- 14 Pair of sixes
- 21 Live in the '50s and '60s
- 24 "Quentin's muse"
- 25 Oregon's oldest city
- 26 Urban FD division
- 28 All
- 30 Vegan Thanksgiving entrees
- 31 It borders Pennsylvania
- 32 Where beluga sturgeon spawn
- 33 Segway Ninebots, e.g.
- 35 Tick or mite
- 38 Mani gel brand
- 39 What MIT doesn't confer
- 41 Soft touch
- 42 They're in your hand
- 43 Silly business

- 44 Blame for
- 45 First graphing calculator (1980s)
- 48 Leaf blower brand
- 51 PEACE is POWER artist at the Nobel Peace Center
- 52 BBC news broadcaster
- 53 Very small portion