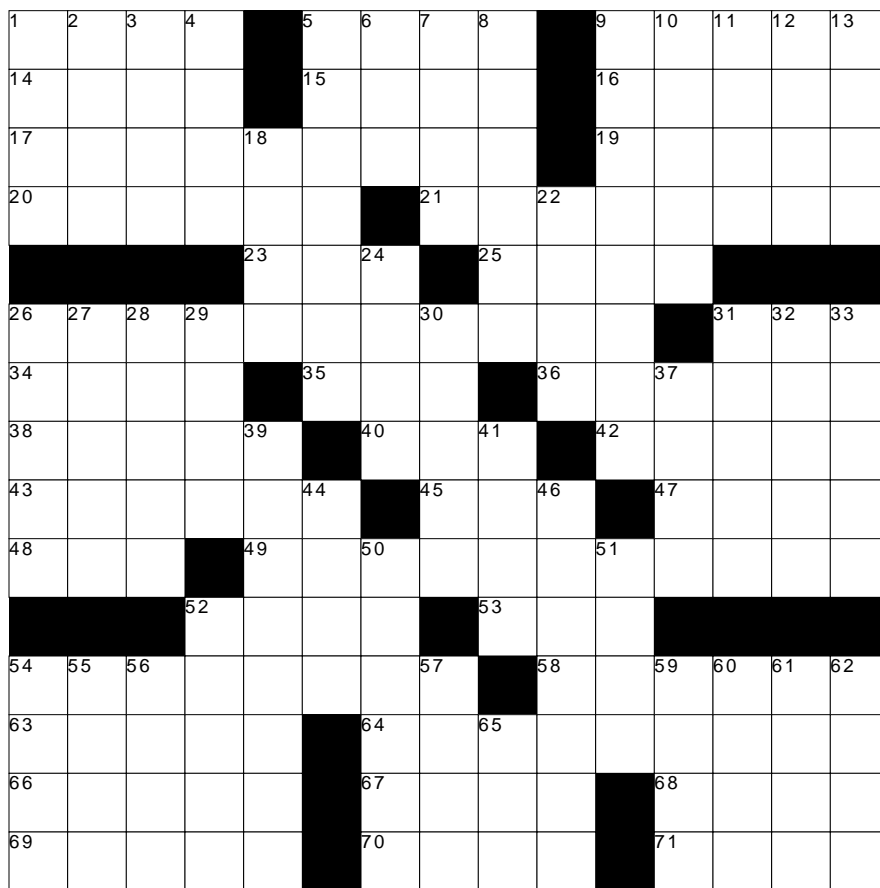


Across

- 1 Mountain lion
 5 Soil-breaking tools
 9 Is durable
 14 Grand story
 15 Dual-power, as an appliance
 16 Initial comment, for short
 17 With 64-Across, MAYo Clinic's headquarters
 19 Rug discoloration
 20 Prepares to be knighted
 21 Rainy-day accounts
 23 Height above sea level: Abbr.
 25 Pub orders
 26 Louisa MAY Alcott novel
 31 Title for some wives
 34 Clever thought
 35 Drain of energy
 36 Where a baseball team sits
 38 Joyous, as Christmas
 40 __ Lanka
 42 Black-and-white "giant" bear
 43 Country singer Dolly
 45 "You've got mail" Web company
 47 Proofreader's "don't delete"
 48 Crafty
 49 MAYtag kitchen appliances
 52 Penny
 53 Physician's org.
 54 Like a lucky clover
 58 Escaped from
 63 Happen next
 64 See 17-Across
 66 Direct an auto
 67 Novel's story line
 68 7-Down dweller
 69 Alphabetizes
 70 Works with needle and thread



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71 Fishing rod

27 Perfect example

60 Bygone flightless bird

28 Bathrobe fabric

61 Footnote abbr.

29 Sour-tasting

62 University of Notre

30 Media mogul

Winfrey

31 __ Carlo, Monaco

65 "Right away"

32 More impolite

33 Facts and figures

37 Deep cut

39 They sing in the Alps

41 Corn Belt state

44 Highest sudoku digit

46 Complains about

50 Postage purchases

51 Don't throw out

52 Salad dressing holder

54 __ up (admit the truth)

55 Not fooled by

56 Software customer

57 Manicurist's tool

59 Memo's "right away"

Down

- 1 Fringe benefit, for short
 2 Fully aware of
 3 Rodents that squeak
 4 Muscle soreness
 5 Major inconveniences
 6 Halloween mo.
 7 Genesis paradise
 8 Holler
 9 "Pay attention"
 10 Initial poker payments
 11 Male deer
 12 High school math class
 13 Daughter's brothers
 18 Israeli airline
 22 Snow vehicle
 24 "__ the night before Christmas..."
 26 Walks unsteadily