

ACROSS

1 Splendor

5 Clear the decks?

9 Gaiety

12 Beloved

13 Cab

14 Celestial altar

15 Sky-diving maneuvers

17 Trail the pack

18 Doomed

19 Bridge fees

21 Deduce

24 Eventful periods

25 Shed

26 Hiring manager's invitation

30 Gardner of film

31 Grand-mas, affectionately

32 Caustic solution

33 Feline comics villain

35 Law firm aide, for short

36 Wagers

37 Spud

38 Magna —

40 Bygone ruler

42 — Jima

43 Escaped

48 Totally fine

49 Actress Singer

50 Japanese noodle

51 Yucatan "Bravo!"

52 Revise

53 Sail support

DOWN

1 Adobe file format

12 Klutz

2 Poetic contraction

3 Astronaut Jemison

4 Car radio button

5 Baseball's Musial

6 Pedestrian path

7 Rocker Rose

8 Casual eateries

9 Bombs, as a joke

10 Russia's — Mountains

11 Kvetches

16 Bear hair

20 Klutz

21 Apple desktop

22 PBS science show

23 Penniless

24 Abba of Israel

26 Toast toppings

27 Stop — dime

28 Literary Jane

29 Bring up

31 Significant

34 Drench

35 French fragrance

37 Inventor's monogram

38 Pisa farewell

39 Military no-show

40 Actress Spelling

41 "SNL" segment

44 Scepter

45 Vitamin stat

46 Dawn goddess

47 Sinusitis doc

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CRYPTOQUIP

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Yesterday's Cryptoquip:

SHOP THAT SELLS

MANY DIFFERENT KINDS OF GADGETS FOR

SPYING ON PEOPLE: A SNOOPER-MARKET.

Today's Cryptoquip Clue:

H equals L

Solution time: 22 mins.

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Yesterday's answer 12-30