

ACROSS

- 1) Hairdos
- 6) Led off
- 11) Gridlock component
- 14) Alternative to bottled
- 15) Arctic dwelling
- 16) Feel regret over
- 17) Sellers of illegal alcohol
- 19) Hard to explain
- 20) Emulate a bunny
- 21) Snacked
- 22) "Dear" mister
- 23) Living in water
- 27) Grandeur
- 29) It's certainly not a show dog
- 30) "Happy" mollusk
- 32) Kind of food or mate
- 33) Vicksburg combatant, briefly
- 34) Old rail riders, stereotypically
- 36) Animal variety
- 39) It was Persia
- 41) Black-clad teens, often
- 43) Folklore monstrosity
- 44) 100,000 make a newton
- 46) Back-up sounds
- 48) Shoot the breeze
- 49) "Able to ___ tall buildings ..."
- 51) Edible tuber of Polynesia
- 52) Superlative suffix
- 53) Christmas tree sheddings
- 56) False fronts
- 58) Special-interest grp.
- 59) Crater creator, perhaps
- 60) Barely defeat
- 61) Compass reading, sometimes
- 62) In a disgraceful way?
- 68) A, in Berlin
- 69) Not just "no!"
- 70) Auto contract, sometimes
- 71) Knight or Nugent
- 72) Garbo of "Ninotchka"
- 73) "___ of Iwo Jima"

DOWN

- 1) Picnic discard, sometimes
- 2) Lady associated with the Beatles
- 3) "Am ___ believe ...?"
- 4) Jazzy Earl Hines' nickname
- 5) Large irregular spot
- 6) Above average in size
- 7) Coop ovoid
- 8) Faint flicker
- 9) Main arteries
- 10) Rhinoplasty
- 11) How Buddha sits
- 12) Attend a class for no credits
- 13) Remove more moisture from
- 18) Concluding speech (var.)
- 23) Bitter-tasting
- 24) Ask
- 25) Bit of modern folklore
- 26) One spelling for a meal on a skewer
- 28) 100 cents, somewhere
- 31) Short choral composition
- 35) Bundle of grain
- 37) Delete, as messages
- 38) Mortgages, e.g.
- 40) "No ___ to apologize"
- 42) Pounced
- 45) Preserving, as pork
- 47) Tea parties, e.g.
- 50) Author
- 53) Group of nine
- 54) A Muppet
- 55) Martin of comedies
- 57) Breathing problem for heavy sleepers
- 63) Allow
- 64) The-lower-the-better pitching stat
- 65) Thing acquired on a beach
- 66) "Acid" drug
- 67) "All right!"

FOUR-LEGGED RACE

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