

ACROSS

- 1) Swampy areas
- 5) Dele undoer
- 9) Atomizer outputs
- 14) Not intravenous
- 15) Spa treatment, for short
- 16) Milo of "Ulysses"
- 17) Girl in a Beatles title
- 18) Copier insert (Abbr.)
- 19) Seaweed, e.g.
- 20) Similarities in series of events
- 23) Sales rep's advantages
- 24) Needing darning
- 25) Stylish
- 29) Dr. Leary's turn-on
- 30) Gossip, slangily
- 34) Gold-related
- 35) Brownish tone
- 37) Prefix with "natal"
- 38) Where many items are assembled
- 41) Sleep cycle letters
- 42) Campaign verb
- 43) Sweet filling, in ads
- 44) "Pronto!"
- 46) Highest minor league
- 47) Went at it
- 48) Hippocratic Oath word
- 50) Pine-__ (cleanser brand)
- 51) Fender or Gibson necessities
- 57) Rich kid in "Nancy" comics
- 58) Has markers out
- 59) Kirkuk's land
- 61) 1998 Robert De Niro thriller
- 62) Time to give up
- 63) Jot down
- 64) Rickman's role in "Harry Potter" movies
- 65) Gives the green light
- 66) Left speechless

DOWN

- 1) Gift tag word
- 2) Former Attorney General Holder
- 3) Albania joined it in 2009
- 4) Insult, slangily
- 5) Enamored, in a silly way
- 6) Fork-tailed fliers
- 7) Do copy work
- 8) Predicament
- 9) Gloomy Gus
- 10) Christmas or Easter
- 11) Source of roe
- 12) Till stack
- 13) Did nothing
- 21) Billiards blunder
- 22) "The Kiss" sculptor
- 25) "It's a Wonderful Life" director
- 26) Angler's boxful
- 27) Diner's enticement
- 28) Tom Sawyer's half-brother
- 29) Digilux camera maker
- 31) Word before "strength" or "city"
- 32) Summons from the boss
- 33) Washed outdoors, perhaps
- 35) Totally crush
- 36) High-pH compound
- 39) Bow of the silents
- 40) Sales rack abbr.
- 45) Elizabeth II's husband
- 47) Bottom-of-the-barrel stuff
- 49) Make amends
- 50) Surgeon's insert
- 51) Hockey thug
- 52) Radius neighbor
- 53) __'Pea (Popeye's kid)
- 54) One of a 15th-century trio
- 55) Spring up
- 56) Fill to the gills
- 57) Four Monopoly properties (Abbr.)
- 60) End-of-proof letters

LEARNING THE ROPES

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