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ACROSS

1) Start for "lock" or "iron"
5) Temple VIP
10) Like a useless tire
14) Vegas competitor
15) Milky gems
16) Whip end?
17) Opposing
18) Cowboy Bill of legend
19) Catch a glimpse of
20) Spooky residences
23) "Bud" or "pal" kin
24) Brisk energy
25) ___-Wan Kenobi
28) Citi Field player
29) Jack of Sgt. Friday fame
33) Fixed portion
35) Fill with enthusiasm
37) Aardvark morsels
38) Dark, spooky place
43) Affirm
44) Agreeable
45) Composed
48) Desperately need a bath
49) Khan's title
52) Rubble maker, big-time
53) Chinese restaurant quaff
55) Consume heartily
57) Spooky thing on the water
62) Ready and willing go-with
64) Bus rider's "coin"
65) Indication of a voicemail
66) One not using his brain
67) Made mistakes
68) Sign for the superstitious
69) Healthy type of bean (var.)
70) Little darlings
71) Be literate, in a way

DOWN

1) Kind of cracker
2) File menu option
3) Read between the lines
4) Executing
5) Rodeo tool
6) Imitated at a zoo?
7) "Goldberg Variations" composer
8) Softly hit single
9) Producer of magazines or credit cards
10) Run away
11) Activity performed on a dude ranch
12) It could cause a death on the Nile
13) "___ will be done"
21) Namely
22) Place that exists to pamper
26) Not just this one or that one
27) "Meet Me ___ Louis" (1944 film)
30) Before, long before now
31) Arctic floating chunk
32) What a seller seeks
34) Shadow, in a whodunit
35) Common houseplant
36) French door part
38) Boss of a first lieut.
39) What one definitely isn't
40) Intellectually
41) Make it a new game
42) Emulating a newborn
46) In-flight info, for short
47) Not just dinged
49) Obeying a curfew
50) Kind of pig
51) Add supplementary material to
54) "O come let us ___ Him"
56) Noted fur trader John Jacob
58) ___ carotene
59) Item of Creole cookery
60) "... and ___ the twain shall meet"
61) Stopping points
62) Showstoppers?
63) "I don't like your performance!"

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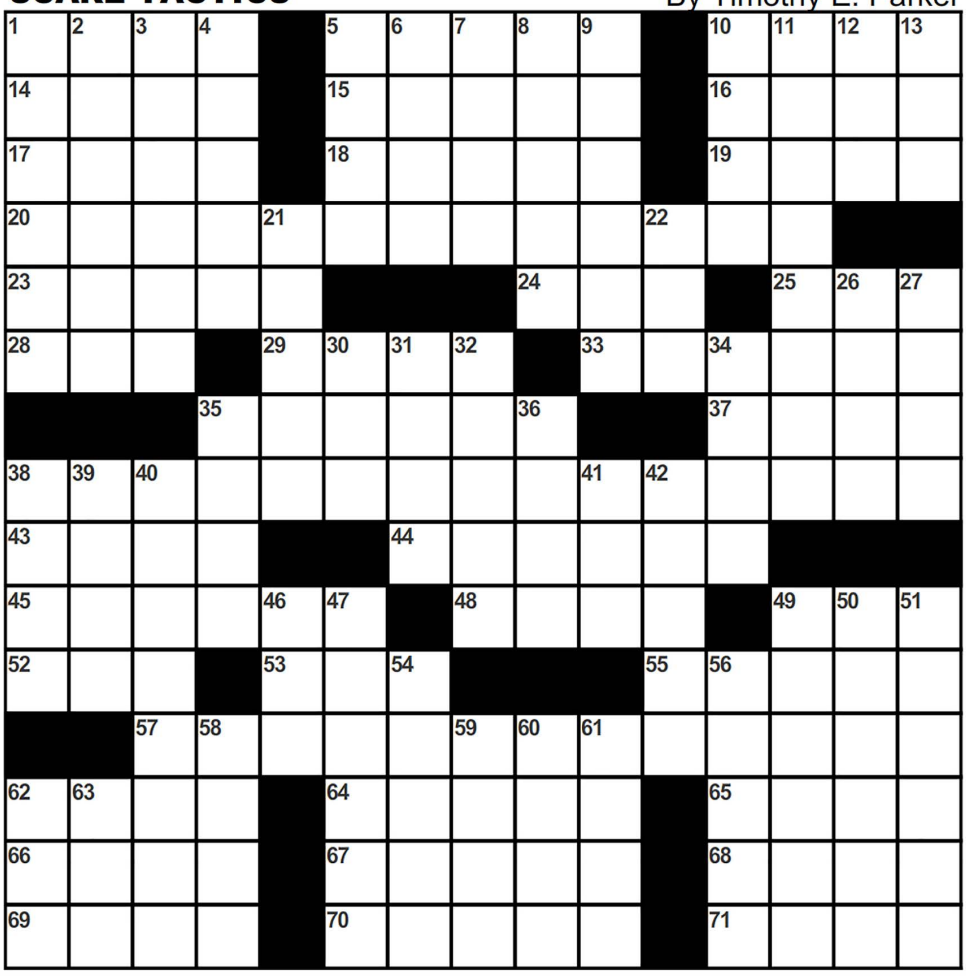
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