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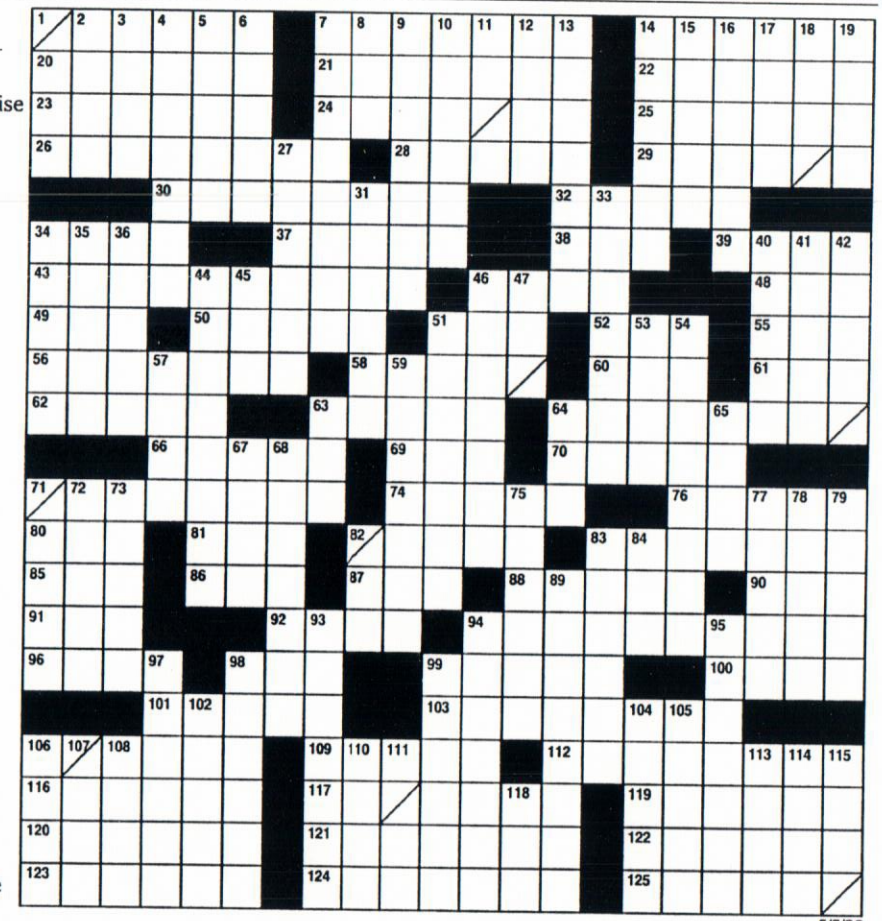

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1 Medical chart info
7 Jeans, restyled
14 Baseball's George and Ken
20 In error
21 Adventurously
22 Kind of photo
23 Pyle portrayer
24 Birthday party items
25 Without question
26 Screw-cutting apparatus
28 Neuters
29 Auto repair shop inventory
30 Ottawa hockey team
32 Clarifying words
34 Highest stage
37 Place to wear a fez
38 Fortune
39 "God's Little ——"
43 Policy of achieving a goal in steps
46 Take down ——
48 Be busily active
49 Elusive one
50 Common worker
51 —— bono (for whose benefit?): Lat.
52 Director Wenders
55 Onetime butterfly-bee analogist
56 Machine gun noise
58 Nasal sound
60 Seraglio room
61 Tree member: Abbr.
62 Tennis overhand
63 Pay —— goes
64 Child's delight
66 Symbol of mourning
69 New Deal proj.
70 Inactive one
71 Will Rogers trait
74 Of the back, anatomically
76 Gamut
80 Last poker bet, sometimes
81 Brillo rival
82 Exercises outdoors
83 Well-formed
85 O.T. book
86 Cable network
87 Sampras objective
88 —— Girl (Clara Bow)
90 Sorrow
91 Seventh in a series
92 On —— (anxious)
94 Political cause of the late 1800's
96 1978 Yankee hero
98 ——Star Pictures
99 Thick jar
100 English refs.
101 Bankrupts
103 Innkeeper
106 Part of a Rube Goldberg contraption
109 Northern highway, formerly
112 Not imitative
116 Mess up
117 Domestic fowl
119 Longtime Peter Lorre role
120 Woolen overcoat
121 Inhabiting elevated regions
122 Reach before
123 Extorts from
124 Made hard
125 Ray of light

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1 What a magician may wave
2 Actor Morales
3 Beatles' "Let ——"
4 Brought in
5 "The Luck of Roaring Camp" writer
6 Ring leader?
7 1988 Tom Cruise movie
8 —— de gato (Western shrub)
9 Chinese geometric puzzle
10 Most peculiar
11 Suffer defeat
12 Baretta's cockatoo
13 Attached by the base, botanically
14 Long-eared breed
15 Enlists again
16 Editor's compilation
17 Category
18 Report
19 Stallone and Stone
27 Mustang corral?
31 Haunt
33 Missouri's state tree
34 Certain paint processors
35 Word with puff or soda
36 It became independent on 9/21/64
40 One-named actress
41 School tool
42 Noted first name in literature
44 Rocket motion
45 Blue-and-yellow macaw
46 Golden
47 Cherry ——
51 Call together
53 Pastoral poem
54 Stylish Italian auto
57 Yiddish writer Sholem
59 Unpleasant
63 —— Lingus
64 Pop group —— Tuesday
65 Golf impediment
67 —— Goeth of "Schindler's List"
68 Private entrance
71 Treated to a night out
72 Divert, in a way
73 Arizona native
75 Houston pros
77 Chutzpah
78 Fixed on, with "to"
79 Intent watchers
82 Slovenly woman
83 Jason, e.g.
84 Greetings
89 Bullied
93 Wins over
94 Direct
95 Big name in TV production
97 Melancholy
98 1984 World Series champs
99 Pure
102 Lacking guidance
104 Extensions
105 White-plumed heron
106 Part to keep
107 It's collected at a booth
108 Subterfuge
110 1966 Joe Orton play
111 Word with sugar
113 Observe
114 Start of a cry of encouragement
115 Appear
118 Chemical suffix

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