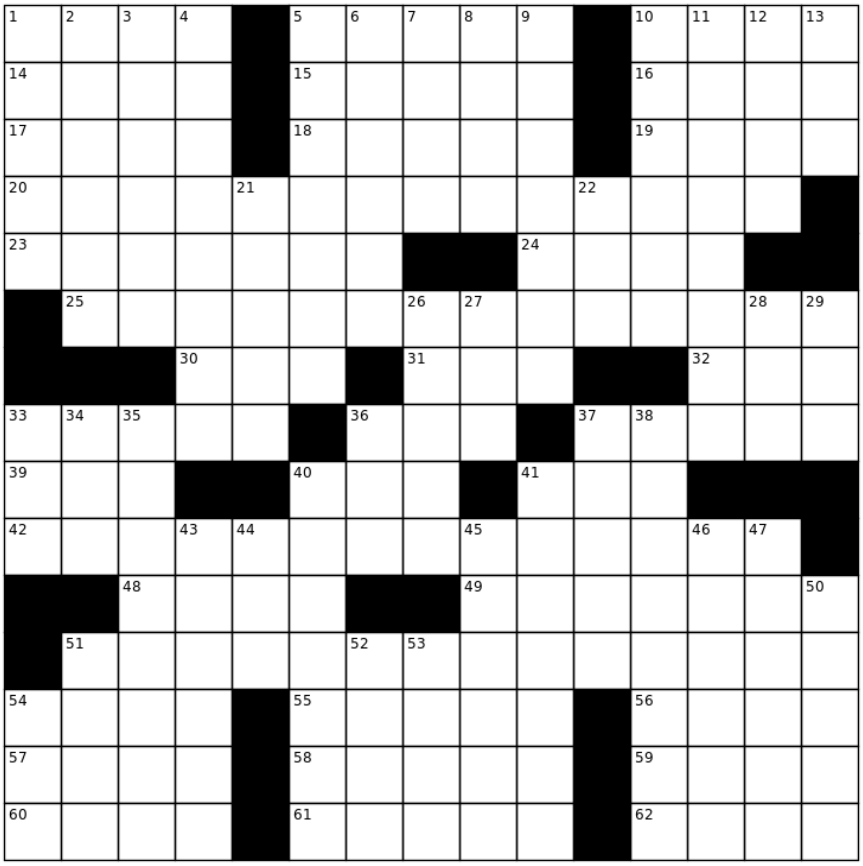

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Across

1 Surgeon's signature?
5 Skillfully make, or a description for trendy beer
10 Recipe amt.
14 Mocking "now I get it"
15 Bob Dylan asks you to say this if you see her
16 Congers
17 Shorthand for Crescent City
18 "Like Jean Genet or Arthur Rimbaud, ___ these mean streets like a villain, a vagabond, an outcast" : Patti Smith
19 Cronus consort
20 Plaintiff in landmark case meets lawyer who wrote "Presumed Innocent"
23 Omniscient, in one sense
24 Cruciverbalist's favorite Melville novel
25 Director of "Malcolm X" meets star of "The Klansman"
30 Tigers on scoreboard
31 Many now employ LCDs
32 Modern prefix to friendly
33 Avian singers, usually
36 Fidel comrade
37 "Do you lack anything?" reply
39 Old Pacers and Spurs org.
40 UNABOM case agency: Abbr
41 One in it for the money
42 Oxford-educated author of children's fantasy meets Oxford-educated author of children's fantasy
48 Nerve fibre
49 Slangy "cocktail ___": small appetizers not really from Austrian capital
51 "Rocket Man" singer meets rocket man
54 One may be a giant or a dwarf
55 Greek column style
56 Mexico City to Veracruz direction
57 Hawaiian coffee district
58 Mink ___
59 Ado
60 Common conjunctions
61 Snowshoes of the North
62 Convinced

Down

1 Famed hotel/casino and Rat Pack hangout
2 Duties
3 A bad way to be at the wheel
4 Place before rest, attraction or pizza
5 Certain candy-coated piece of gum
6 Throw again at the 1-Down
7 Tons
8 Paint finish
9 Pair for Ringo
10 Abject fear
11 Compels; necessitates
12 Boatload
13 Non-commercial spot: Abbr
21 Kaiseki potent potables
22 Actress Thurman
26 Moral code
27 Our common ancestor, Mitochondrial ___
28 George R. R. Martin's "A Song of ___ and Fire"
29 Oft contracted negation
33 What a Penny Lane banker never wears in the rain (in song)
34 Makeup of a six-pack, in brief
35 Los Angeles and/or where those divorced from reality live
36 Airer of CSI and spinoffs
37 Tag text at discount clothier: Abbr
38 Darkest night characteristic
40 Like Jean Sibelius or Osmo Vanska
41 William, Harry and others
43 Reportedly, 300,000 were used in "Gandhi"
44 Romance
45 Nonspecific timespan
46 Is untruthful with
47 Type of soup for which Esau sold his birthright
50 Bergen's Mortimer ___
51 School for William and Harry
52 Letter in Spanish alphabet or a type of Spanish dance music
53 "Your whereabouts ___ about July 25?"
54 Reggae predecessor