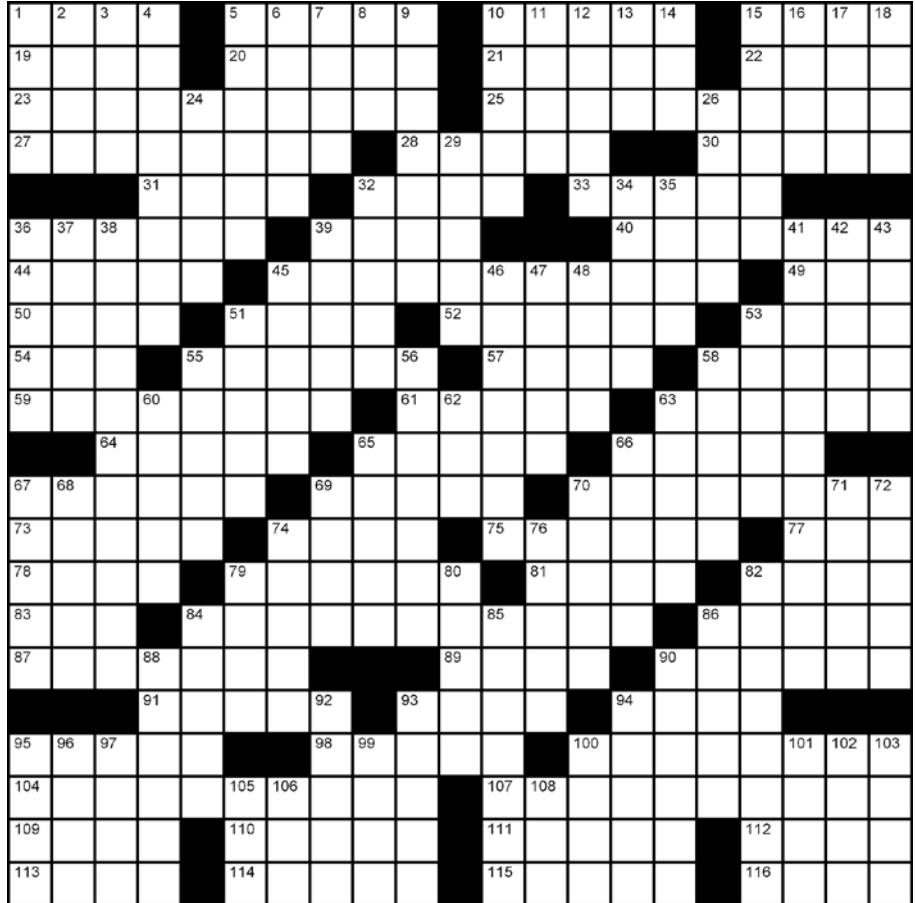


**ACROSS**

1. Mendicantes
5. Ceremonial meal
10. Entangled
15. Symbols of pharaonic power
19. News notice, for short
20. Young heroine
21. Perfumery odorant
22. Prostrate
23. ...CMH
25. ...SAN
27. Automata
28. City in Germany
30. Hearten
31. Been there, \_ that
32. Vishnu avatar
33. Black Sea resort
36. Respect
39. Little bit
40. Chair of a kind
44. Light fabric
45. ...PNS
49. Brew
50. Confederate
51. Blocks
52. Hale and hearty
53. Muse of history
54. Farm animal
55. Burns
57. Used to be
58. With \_ breath
59. Dissertation
61. Musical beat
63. Leatherneck
64. Mount Narodnaya's range
65. Ike's wife
66. " \_ Secretary"
67. Market section
69. Teutonic god
70. Carnival game: 2 wds.
73. Cousin to exempli gratia: 2 wds.
74. Pole
75. Form of alternative rock
77. Pi follower
78. Pindarics
79. Talks back to
81. Celtic language
82. Cachet
83. Seabird's cry
84. ...ANC
86. Headword
87. Of proclamations
89. Trumpet part
90. Whodunit event
91. Storms
93. \_ asinorum
94. Approach
95. Wheel-like object
98. Flourless cake
100. Relation anagram
104. ...HNL
107. ...SAV
109. Word of agreement
110. Dahomey, at present
111. Stupid
112. Condemn
113. Soldiers' meal
114. Valuable bar
115. Bottom-line factor
116. River in Ireland

4. In a resolute way
5. River in Texas and Louisiana
6. Sidestep
7. Treat with disrespect
8. Kind of tourism
9. Microwaves
10. \_ brevis
11. Dies \_
12. Cox the actor
13. Goal
14. Agnus \_
15. Long-haired dog
16. Blackthorn fruit
17. Speed
18. Nova
24. Dudley or Demi
26. Outer, in anatomy
29. Aspersion
32. Salon solution
34. Diminish
35. Portside
36. Stop!, at sea
37. Poet's grief
38. ...MKE
39. Amalgamate
41. ...BWI
42. Completely different
43. Hollow rock
45. Clamdiggers
46. Jet engine cover
47. Far too heavy
48. Enticement
51. Onion roll
53. Weight unit for gems
55. Kickoff
56. Pattern of drops
58. Insignia
60. Salad plant
62. Genus of lizards
63. Pooch's problem
65. Direction in music
66. Belarus capital
67. Region defined by climate and plant life
68. Summed
69. Laundry
70. Part of RFD
71. Something unfortunate
72. \_ plexus
74. Twin crystal
76. Bobbins
79. Catch
80. Rigid footwear
82. Wooer's song
84. To any degree: 2 wds.
85. Origin
86. Flux unit
88. Sings softly
90. Des \_
92. Smarted
93. Write like a schoolchild
94. Big bird
95. Impostor
96. Apple or pear, e.g.
97. Singles
99. The Buckeye State
100. Racetrack shape
101. God of thunder
102. Greek contest
103. Crippled
105. \_ supra
106. Deighton or Cariou
108. Santa \_

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**DECEMBER 2017**

<p><b>Fancy Nancy</b> Splendiferous Christmas Circa 21 Dinner Playhouse Tue, Dec 5, 10am - 12pm</p> <p>holiday-themed musical comedy featuring the beloved children's-book character, directed by Andrea Moore; \$9.50-10.50; for tickets and information, call 309-786-7733 extension 2</p>	<p><b>Elf: The Musical</b> Circa 21 Dinner Playhouse Wed, Dec 6, 1:30 - 2:30pm</p> <p>musical-comedy adaptation of the hit film; holiday comedy, directed by Ann Niemann; Fri., Sat., Wed., and Nov. 8 &amp; 9: 6pm buffet, 7:15pm pre-show, 7:45pm show; Sun., 4pm buffet, 5:15pm pre-show, 5:45pm show</p>	<p><b>Elf: The Musical</b> Circa 21 Dinner Playhouse Wed, Dec 6, 7:45 - 9:45pm</p> <p>musical-comedy adaptation of the hit film; holiday comedy, directed by Ann Niemann; Fri., Sat., Wed., and Nov. 8 &amp; 9: 6pm buffet, 7:15pm pre-show, 7:45pm show; Sun., 4pm buffet, 5:15pm pre-show, 5:45pm show</p>	<p><b>Christmas with the Quad City Singers</b> Lavender Creek Winery Sat, Dec 9, 7 - 9pm</p> <p>reserve by Dec. 1 for Dec. 8 &amp; 9 concerts; this year's holiday concert will feature an exciting mix of classic and contemporary Christmas favorites with the local ensemble under the direction of Curt...</p>	<p><b>Moeller Nights: Katy Guillen &amp; the Girls</b> Triple Crown Whiskey Bar &amp; Racoon Motel Sat, Dec 9, 7 - 9pm</p> <p>concert with the Kinest City-based roots rockers! \$8</p>	<p><b>Doublewide, Texas</b> Richmond Hill Barn Theatre Sat, Dec 9, 7:30 - 9:30pm</p> <p>Southern comedy by Jesse Jones, Nicholas Hoek, and Jamie Wooten, directed by John VanDerWalt; \$12; Thu., Sat, 7:30pm, Sun 3pm; for tickets and information, call 309-944-0244</p>
<p><b>Moeller Nights: High Up</b> Triple Crown Whiskey Bar &amp; Racoon Motel Thu, Dec 7, 7 - 9pm</p>	<p><b>Blue Christmas: A Rock 'n' Roll Holiday Extravaganza (1pm)</b> Circa 21 Dinner Playhouse Thu, Dec 7, 1 - 3pm</p> <p>Olivia Presley hits and holiday favorites performed by Robert Shaw &amp; the Lonely Street Band; 11:45am doors, noon seated lunch, 1pm show; \$46.50; for tickets and information, call 309-786-7733 ext. 2</p>	<p><b>Tomboy</b> Hudson W. Olsen Center for Educational Technology Auditorium - Augustana College Thu, Dec 7, 7 - 9pm</p> <p>a screening of Céline Sciamma's film in the annual French Film Festival; for information, contact Kristine Rosnick at kristinakosnick@augustana.edu</p>	<p><b>The 25th Annual Putnam County Spelling Bee</b> The Black Box Theatre Sat, Dec 9, 7:30 - 9:30pm</p> <p>Tony-winning musical about a grade school bee composed by William Finn, directed by Becca Meunier Johnson; Thu., Sat, 7:30pm, Sun, 2:30pm; \$16; for tickets and information, call 863-284-2350</p>	<p><b>La Divina: The Last Interview of Maria Callas</b> Brunner Theatre Center, Augustana College Sat, Dec 9, 7:30 - 8:30pm</p> <p>one-woman show written and performed by Dralery Cooper; inspired by the life and work of the 20th Century opera singer Callas; \$5; for tickets and information, call 309-794-7306</p>	<p><b>Joseph &amp; the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat</b> Corvillie Centre for the Performing Arts Sat, Dec 9, 7:30 - 9:30pm</p> <p>the City Circle Acting Company of Corvillie presents Andrew Lloyd Webber's and Tim Rice's biblical musical; Fri. &amp; Sat, 7:30pm; Sun, 3pm; \$12-27; for tickets and information, call 319-248-9370</p>
<p><b>Doublewide, Texas</b> Richmond Hill Barn Theatre Thu, Dec 7, 7:30 - 9:30pm</p>	<p><b>Blue Christmas: A Rock 'n' Roll Holiday Extravaganza</b> Circa 21 Dinner Playhouse Thu, Dec 7, 7:15 - 8:15pm</p>	<p><b>John Patti's Calypso!</b> The Best of the Best Thu, Dec 7, 7:15 - 8:15pm</p>	<p><b>The Nutcracker</b> Adler Theatre Sat, Dec 9, 8 - 10pm</p>	<p><b>Elf: The Musical</b> Circa 21 Dinner Playhouse Sat, Dec 9, 7:45 - 9:45pm</p>	<p><b>musical comedy adaptation of the hit film</b></p>

**DOWN**

1. \_ Raton
2. Black
3. Overlay with gold