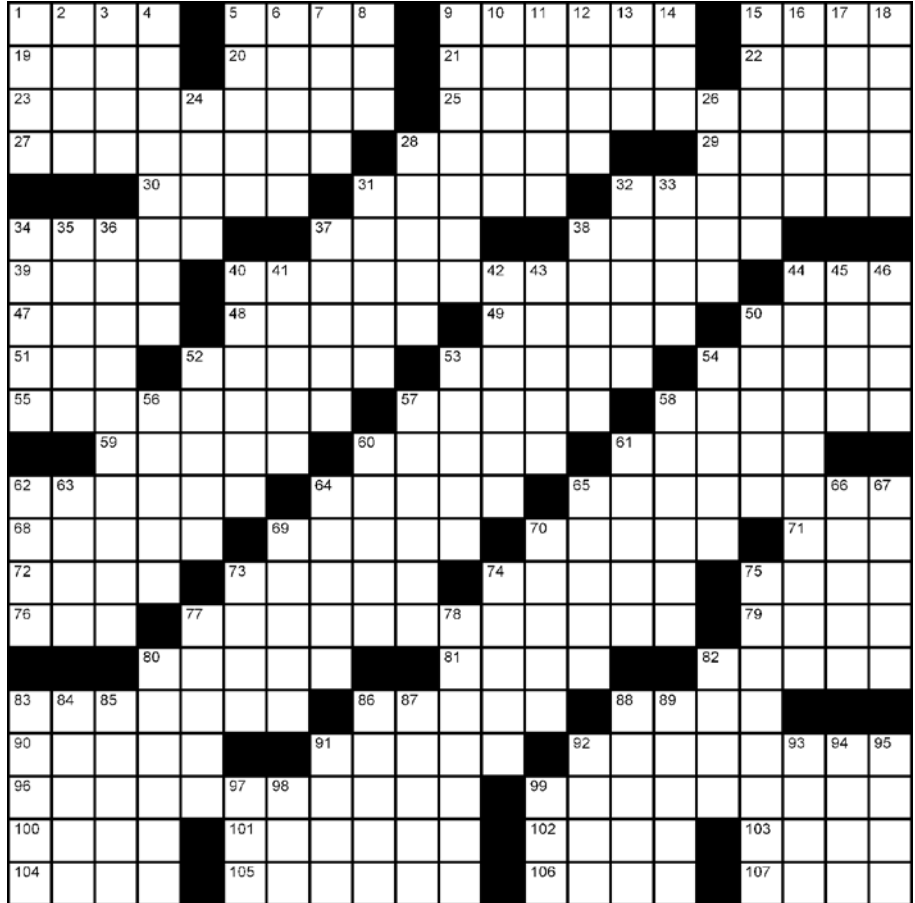


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1. Maximum
5. Ice crystals
9. Glib talk
15. Island territory of the Netherlands
19. Baseless
20. The Great or The Terrible
21. Scrape
22. Muscat and _
23. Pyrite: 2 wds.
25. Katherine Anne Porter novel: 3 wds.
27. No-duty region: 2 wds.
28. In union: 2 wds.
29. Engaged: 2 wds.
30. Fluctuate
31. Capture
32. Part of FHA
34. Tractor-trailers
37. Profit
38. Revamp
39. Landlocked place in Asia
40. Acts unwisely: 3 wds.
44. Depression-era org.
47. Diminutive suffix
48. Wash
49. Of a cereal
50. "The Love _"
51. Spitchcock
52. Special language
53. Weeds of grain fields
54. Tantalize
55. Place of business
57. Pooch
58. Stun, in a way
59. Gold rush area
60. Bewitched
61. Troubadour's love song
62. Ameliorate
64. Cube or cone
65. Droning way of speaking
68. Bitter _
69. Blemish
70. Bowl
71. Mauna _
72. Walk with effort
73. Get a point
74. Pavilions
75. Floating ice mass
76. _ ammoniac
77. Fiscally imprudent: Hyph.
79. Gaelic
80. Like kale
81. Spotted rodent
82. Stratrum
83. Circler for the head
86. A cosmetic
88. Crystal-gazer
90. Circa
91. Eat
92. Cure-alls
96. Fruitless effort: 2 wds.
99. Rash
100. If not
101. Mental attitude
102. Hotel chain
103. Agent: Hyph.
104. Venue
105. Judo teacher
106. Skin
107. Idem

2. Reputation
3. Blackthorn fruit
4. Show a show
5. Exactitude
6. Off-white color
7. _ liquor
8. Tip
9. Shown walking, in heraldry
10. Scorn
11. Threefold
12. CD predecessor
13. Tokyo, formerly
14. Ump's cousin
15. More willingly
16. _ propre
17. Light wood
18. Adams the photographer
24. Springs
26. Name meaning "faithful"
28. Aromatic herb
31. Authority: Hyph.
32. Ice masses
33. English school
34. Shuteye
35. Trencherman
36. Entertainer at court: 2 wds.
37. Bands
38. In the style of
40. Cooler
41. Of flux
42. Tricked, in a way
43. _ seal
44. Nonsense
45. Smoke an e-cig
46. Abbr. on an envelope
50. Brute
52. Preferences
53. Snake venom
54. Mortise and _
56. Made softer
57. Credence
58. Breakfast item
60. Pile up
61. Budgetary concern
62. Enervates
63. _ podrida
64. Lacking expression
65. Nine days' wonder
66. Scandinavian
67. Hungry
69. Racing shell
70. Eructation
73. Bird found in marshes
74. Cook, in a way
75. Binturongs
77. Kicks
78. Controversial church prelude: 2 wds.
80. Dry streambed
82. Wife of Jacob
83. Estaminets
84. Coins of ancient Greece
85. Perch
86. Coffee and cocoa
87. Old weapon
88. Lyon's river
89. Sumerian god
91. She was "The Nanny"
92. Fruit type
93. Writer Bombeck
94. West or Sandler
95. Dec. 31st word
97. Curve shape
98. Itinerary: Abbr.
99. Coxcomb

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<p>Fancy Nancy Splendiferous Christmas Circa 21 Diner 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</p>	<p>E!E: The Musical Circa 21 Diner Playhouse Wed, Dec 6, 1:30 - 2:30pm</p> <p>musical-comedy adaptation of the Wis Fenees holiday comedy, directed by Ann Niemann: Fri., Sat., Wed., and Nov. 8 & 9: 6pm buffet, 7:15pm pre-show, 7:45pm show; Sun., 4pm buffet, 5:15pm pre-show, 5:45pm show</p>	<p>E!E: The Musical Circa 21 Diner Playhouse Wed, Dec 6, 7:45 - 9:45pm</p> <p>musical-comedy adaptation of the Wis Fenees holiday comedy, directed by Ann Niemann: Fri., Sat., Wed., and Nov. 8 & 9: 6pm buffet, 7:15pm pre-show, 7:45pm show; Sun., 4pm buffet, 5:15pm pre-show, 5:45pm show</p>	<p>Christmas with the Quad City Singers Lavender Creek Winery Sat, Dec 9, 7 - 9pm</p> <p>reserve by Dec. 1 for Dec. 8 & 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>Moeller Nights: Katy Guillen & the Girls Triple Crown Whiskey Bar & Raccoon Motel Sat, Dec 9, 7 - 9pm</p> <p>concert with the Quad City-based roots rockers: \$8</p>	<p>Doublewide, Texas 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 Vandewoestyne: \$12, Thu., Sat, 7:30pm, Sun 3pm; for tickets and information, call 309-944-0244</p>
<p>Moeller Nights: High Up Triple Crown Whiskey Bar & Raccoon Motel Thu, Dec 7, 7 - 9pm</p> <p>concert with the Oriana-based ensemble led by sisters Christine and Gracia Fric: \$10</p>	<p>Blue Christmas: A Rock 'n' Roll Holiday Extravaganza (1pm) Circa 21 Diner Playhouse Thu, Dec 7, 1 - 3pm</p> <p>Elvis Presley hits and holiday favorites performed by Robert Shaw & 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>Tomboy Hawkins 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>The 25th Annual Putnam County Spelling Bee The Black Box Theatre Sat, Dec 9, 7:30 - 9:30pm</p> <p>Tony-winning musical comedy about a grade school bee composed by William Finn, directed by Becca Meunann Johnson; Thu., Sat, 7:30pm, Sun, 2:30pm; \$16; for tickets and information, call 863-284-2350</p>	<p>La Divina: The Last Interview of Maria Callas Brunner Theatre Center, Augustana College Sat, Dec 9, 7:30 - 8:30pm</p> <p>one-woman show written and performed by Dralyn 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>Joseph & the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat Corvillie Center 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. & Sat, 7:30pm; Sun, 3pm; \$12-27; for tickets and information, call 319-248-9370</p>
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