

5th January

ACROSS

- 1 Convex or zoom
- 5 Desire
- 9 Baseman's bane
- 14 Dies __
- 15 Kuwait VIP
- 16 Get the suds out
- 17 It could be floppy
- 18 Places
- 19 Wax eloquent
- 20 The Tramp
- 23 Gist of a matter
- 24 Believer: suffix
- 25 Some
- 26 Great clown of the silents
- 32 Japanese statesman
- 33 Precious

- 34 Grating
- 38 Baby talk
- 40 Truck stop
- 43 Party-pooper
- 44 Pottery fragment
- 46 Quick try
- 48 Broadcast
- 49 Slapstick troupe
- 53 Fitting
- 56 Fast flier
- 57 AL, FL, GA, VA, et al.
- 58 Stars of "Blockheads"
- 64 Relatively far-removed
- 65 Trim
- 66 "West Side Story" Jet
- 68 Parade feature
- 69 One not to be

- believed
- 70 Story
- 71 Painters' aids, for short
- 72 Pollster Roper
- 73 Watched carefully

DOWN

- 1 Cover
- 2 Severeid
- 3 "The Rainmaker" playwright
- 4 Line meeting a curve
- 5 Raised properly
- 6 Mine, to Marcel
- 7 Pleasant
- 8 A Nixon
- 9 Maker

Slapstickers

- 10 Drooping
- 11 __ Gay
- 12 Miss Duke's ex
- 13 Very small
- 21 Regretted
- 22 FDR's successor
- 26 Auction nods
- 27 Bryce Canyon is here
- 28 Fountain treat
- 29 Trombonist Winding
- 30 Surrealist painter Max
- 31 Capture
- 35 Fair
- 36 Support
- 37 Hedge shrubs
- 39 Refuge
- 41 DDE's area of command
- 42 Mexican animal farmer
- 45 One might get them, just
- 47 __ me mucho
- 50 Designer's initials
- 51 Fastener
- 52 A martial art
- 53 Into the air
- 54 Actress Prentiss
- 55 Special teacher
- 59 Harvest
- 60 Many a picture-hanger
- 61 Small amount
- 62 Low, sturdy cart
- 63 Streep's alma mater
- 67 And so to __

