

ACROSS

- 1) Lockable fastener
- 5) Hue fit for a duck
- 9) Toyota of old
- 14) "... happily ___ after"
- 15) Continental cash
- 16) Judge, at times
- 17) Big name in building blocks
- 18) Indeterminate long time
- 19) Crosswise to a ship's middle
- 20) Accepts a proposal
- 23) Telling sign
- 24) Buddhist discipline
- 25) Scratch, as furniture
- 28) Persevere
- 31) Cobbler's need
- 34) Belittle
- 36) Basker's quest
- 37) Skin lotion ingredient
- 38) Unwanted welcome
- 42) Like Mr. Claus' cheeks
- 43) Profit ender?
- 44) Implant snugly
- 45) Vein glory?
- 46) Involve deeply
- 49) Recognizes
- 50) Royal flush card
- 51) Lifted, as an anchor
- 53) Things issued before peoples' "big day"
- 61) Ferric ___ (rust)
- 62) Connect
- 63) Turn over ___ leaf
- 64) Icicle sites
- 65) Clarinet kin
- 66) Pepsi, for one
- 67) Nobody's fool
- 68) "Ahem" alternative
- 69) Cookbook abbr.

DOWN

- 1) "SOS!"
- 2) Affirmatively allege
- 3) Lily variety
- 4) Trailer, briefly
- 5) Relative of 4-Down
- 6) Oregon city
- 7) "Iliad" deity
- 8) Type of cause
- 9) Pollen-bearing organ
- 10) Like city residents
- 11) Dock
- 12) Raise, as young'uns
- 13) Private organization?
- 21) Move forward
- 22) Ultraviolet index factor
- 25) Computer shortcut
- 26) Dislike, and then some
- 27) Aggressive poker bet
- 29) Metric unit of volume
- 30) Bunt that moves one along, briefly
- 31) Accused's need
- 32) Courted
- 33) Advances
- 35) Using trickery
- 37) Where to get your balance
- 39) Aden's country
- 40) Sleep cycle acronym
- 41) Annoy
- 46) Superlatively slippery
- 47) Thick-skinned behemoths, briefly
- 48) Bulb's place
- 50) Snake that puts two and two together?
- 52) Legislate
- 53) Travails
- 54) Academic challenge
- 55) Opera star
- 56) Hardly haute cuisine
- 57) Ad ___ (improvises)
- 58) High-hatter
- 59) Congers
- 60) Cashless deal

BLISS?

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