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| <b>ACROSS</b>                    |                            | 71 Dislike                  | 139 Fine material         | 6 One from Thailand              | 69 Capers as a horse                      | 132 Knocked back |
| 1 Front of advancing army        | 73 Building material       | 141 Germinating agent       | 7 Mine entrance           | 72 Deviates                      | 133 Snakes                                |                  |
| 14 See in advance                | 74 Boxes                   | 143 A fastener              | 8 A sport                 | 73 Former overseas telegram      | 134 Practise                              |                  |
| 19 A monotreme                   | 78 Desert animals          | 144 Headwear                | 9 Worrying situation      | 75 Large stems                   | 136 An artist's stand                     |                  |
| 20 King with Golden Touch (myth) | 79 Chestnut colour         | 146 Experienced person      | 10 Teaching body          | 76 Celestial body                | 137 Paddlelike organ                      |                  |
| 22 Not knowing                   | 80 Biblical vessel         | 147 Combine                 | 11 Rear body parts        | 77 Takes a chance                | 140 Spoil plans                           |                  |
| 24 Choices                       | 83 An alloy                | 149 Small fish              | 12 Look intently          | 79 Words for a play              | 142 Drain energy                          |                  |
| 25 Fossil fuel                   | 86 A gemstone              | 150 A passage               | 13 A lure                 | 81 Horse neck hair               | 143 A jury                                |                  |
| 26 A young horse                 | 88 Angel's headwear        | 152 Close colleague         | 14 A festival             | 82 Capital of Italy              | 145 Window glasses                        |                  |
| 27 Australian plant (3-4)        | 89 A brown pigment         | 156 Lawman                  | 15 Act in answer          | 84 Sales by lots                 | 148 Make hotter                           |                  |
| 28 Maker of garments from yarn   | 92 Play happily            | 157 Petrified remains       | 16 Intriguing collectable | 85 Cleanse thoroughly            | 151 Mechanic's tool                       |                  |
| 30 A word picture                | 94 Calls a meeting         | 159 Place for movies        | 17 Become bigger          | 87 Saddle's boothold             | 153 Movies                                |                  |
| 31 A builder's stand             | 96 To discharge from body  | 161 Rowdy protesters        | 18 A cure-all             | 89 Canvas bags                   | 154 British currency                      |                  |
| 33 Physically intolerant         | 98 A false name            | 164 A citrus fruit          | 20 Damage                 | 90 Breakfast food                | 155 Small wager (coll)                    |                  |
| 36 Baby's carriage               | 99 Iterate                 | 167 Chaste                  | 21 Distress signal        | 91 High structured hairdo        | 158 Struck down                           |                  |
| 38 Critique                      | 100 Cutting tools          | 168 Noon                    | 22 Warhorse               | 93 Gem measure                   | 160 Flowers of narcissus group            |                  |
| 40 Equally balanced              | 101 Ocean current          | 169 Type of dog             | 23 Quiver                 | 95 Of sound mind                 | 162 A goad                                |                  |
| 41 Grinding instrument           | 103 Bottle stoppers        | 171 Lacking diplomacy       | 29 Put away a sword       | 97 Lovers' meeting               | 163 John, Paul, George and Ringo, the ... |                  |
| 43 Give out                      | 104 Short period of work   | 175 Circumspect             | 32 A refuse conduit       | 99 Is regretful                  | 165 Sang softly                           |                  |
| 46 A herb                        | 105 Girl's name            | 182 Perch                   | 37 Fewer                  | 102 Military decorations         | 166 A meal course                         |                  |
| 47 Surgical instrument           | 106 Fabric colours         | 184 Become better           | 39 Choosing for oneself   | 104 Hillsides                    | 172 A necklace part                       |                  |
| 48 In profound sorrow            | 109 Part of a shoe         | 188 A non-professional      | 42 Act of pulling         | 106 Dispirit                     | 173 Minimum                               |                  |
| 50 Angular material insert       | 112 Types of money         | 189 Eager                   | 44 Declines in power      | 107 Group of fish                | 174 One from Stockholm                    |                  |
| 52 Tree-lined streets            | 113 Armistice              | 190 Female sheep            | 45 Kept silent            | 108 Capsize                      | 176 Angry                                 |                  |
| 57 Tells tales                   | 114 One who tends sheep    | 191 Greed                   | 49 Keep in store          | 110 Queen's Counsel (coll)       | 177 Egyptian city                         |                  |
| 60 A lock of hair                | 116 Old Dutch explorer     | 192 Carve in metal          | 51 A type of ring         | 111 Good soil                    | 178 Medical procedure                     |                  |
| 61 Forestry workers              | 118 Group of chasers       | 193 Vagrant (coll)          | 53 An emblem              | 112 Wheedle                      | 179 Greek god of war                      |                  |
| 63 An invited visitor            | 120 Amount of bread        | 194 Slender pieces of wood  | 54 Amount wagered         | 115 Fortune card                 | 180 Parts of toothed wheel                |                  |
| 64 Withdraw from enemy           | 122 Small-sized restaurant | 195 Very clean              | 55 Of the chest           | 117 Suffers from oppressive heat | 181 A sports group                        |                  |
| 66 A child                       | 123 Bullock                | 196 Abstaining from alcohol | 56 A river vessel         | 119 A principal feature          | 182 A bright colour                       |                  |
| 67 A craze                       | 126 Fondle                 |                             | 58 Keepsakes              | 121 Sheep's covering             | 183 A pair                                |                  |
| 68 Masterstroke                  | 128 A moss-like plant      |                             | 59 Weep convulsively      | 124 Bullseye                     | 185 A bucket                              |                  |
| 70 Deferential esteem            | 130 A sea channel          |                             | 61 Act against            | 127 A chasm                      | 186 Do as told                            |                  |
|                                  | 135 Wind instrument        |                             | 62 Vassal                 | 129 False action                 | 187 A direction                           |                  |
|                                  | 138 Boldness               |                             | 64 Uncooked               |                                  |   |                  |
|                                  |                            |                             | 65 Entertain heartily     |                                  |   |                  |

**DOWN**

- 2 Coral island
- 3 Water reptile (coll)
- 4 Garlic mayonnaise
- 5 Office table