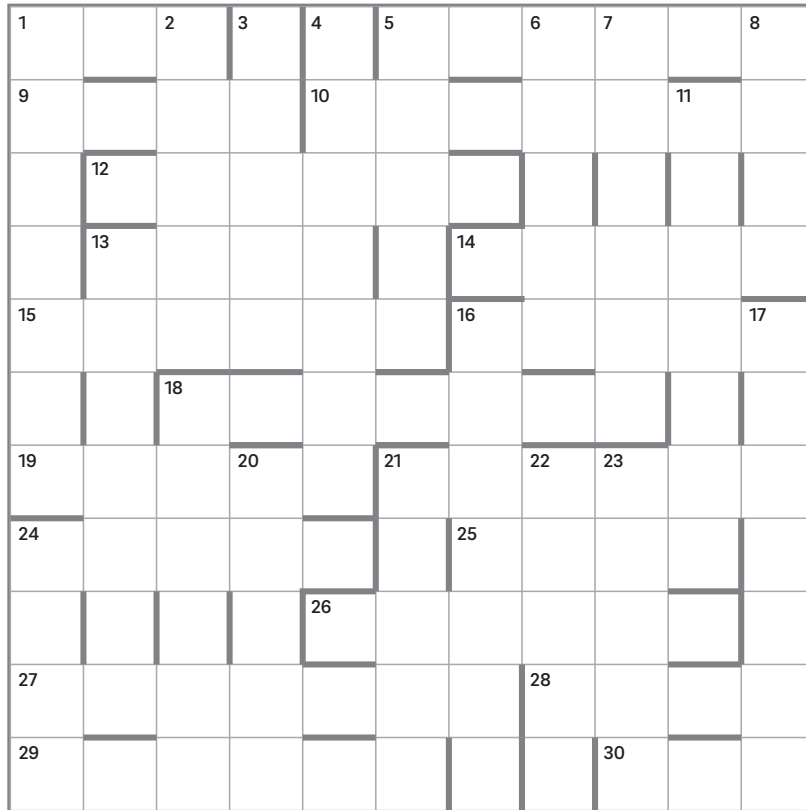


Rock Bands



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ACROSS

- 1. It's intrinsic to – gesundheit! – it's intrinsic to the helio-ophthalmic sneeze reflex (3)
- 5. Reported slaughterhouse product loss unfortunately happened (6)
- 9. 150 fiddlesticks are a bit much (4)
- 10. "The Bill of Rights protects this caliber type constitutionally" (7)
- 12. Caress lover's posterior parts to make things even hotter (6)
- 13. It makes a kiss feel fresh and pristine (4)
- 14. Boxed, effortlessly returned packages: a UPS competitor (5)
- 15. Heart repair operation after Rev. Spooner fills his mouth with pie (this fellow has a big mouth) (6)
- 16. Better armed with goal in mind? (5)
- 18. 12 answers in the puzzle fully comprise one of these units (7)
- 19. Retrospective spoils Fritz Lang movie *Fury* (5)
- 21. Rose, perhaps a tax evader in the Sunshine State? (6)

- 24. After the kickoff, didn't pass and fared poorly (5)
- 25. Send money from Iran back home (4)
- 26. Laborer returns to Northern California city (6)
- 27. Respects discussion of **1-ACROSS**, **19-ACROSS**, **29-ACROSS** and **30-ACROSS** (7)
- 28. Attendant to demonstration that "It's alive!" once Victor gets carried away! (4)
- 29. Spelling *Kansas* after *Arkansas* is triggering? (6)
- 30. It's seen from horizon to horizon in Southern Kentucky (3)

DOWN

- 1. Writes forecasts about Bitcoin's capitalization? (7)
- 2. Point out policy that's gratuitous? Just the opposite (2-3)
- 3. Actress Loy playing *Amy Hemming Nightingale Pledger* (5)
- 4. Principally fragments left on nasty moats! (7)
- 5. Engineering degree covers original supporter of US highway system in "Innovations of 19th Century Transportation" (5)

- 6. Contagion constantly taking out operating room (5)
- 7. Breaks down and redoes with improvements (6)
- 8. Wild animal found on dictator's golf course (4)
- 11. Plays with mode of thermostat and furnace (7)
- 13. Spiritual advisors relinquishing \$1,000 from my bonds (7)
- 16. As expected, cut for fear that it's boring to the max (7)
- 17. Happy to get hold of copper and silver metal (7)
- 18. Classic novel that's funny – it's written before *The Scarlet Letter* (6)
- 20. Direct, whether it comes up or not (5)
- 21. Paperwork of back rooms (5)
- 22. Rest area among prime contributors to road slippers? (5)
- 23. Headwear having no sides (5)
- 24. Cards found in case shuffled (4)

