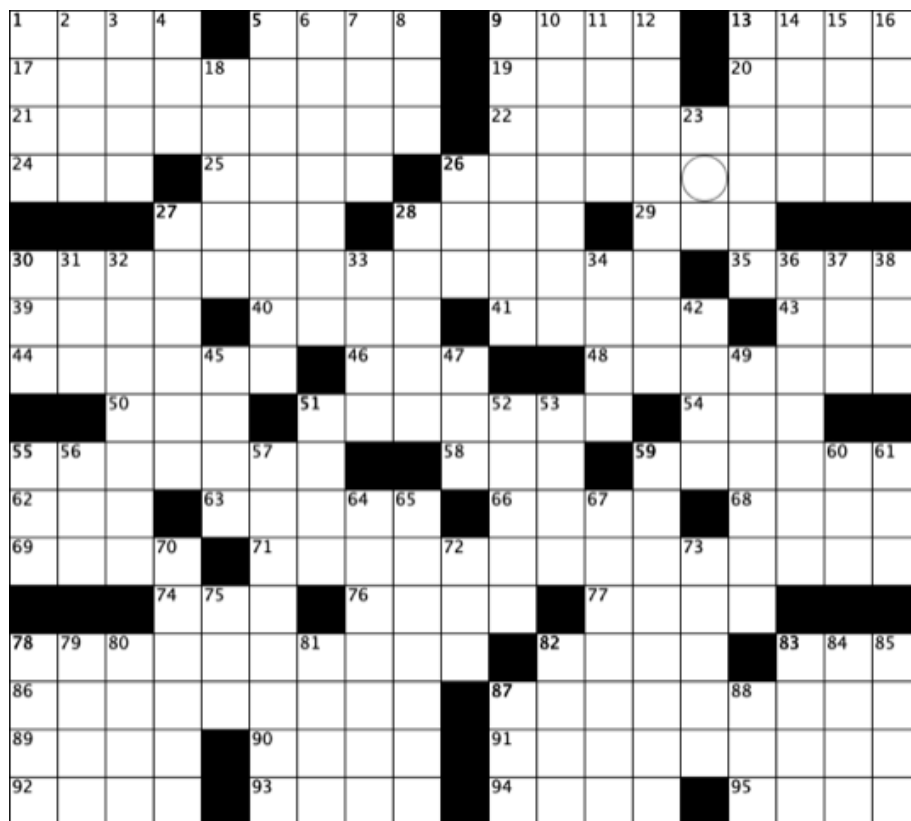




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ACROSS

1 Ingrid's "Casablanca" role
5 "___ All That" (1999 rom-com)
9 Words after run or split
13 Finish filming
17 Suspenseful sounds
19 Bonkers
20 City east of Wichita
21 *Music-dance show that began its 35-year run on October 2, 1971*
22 One who gets top billing
24 Antonym (abbr.)
25 Feels lousy
26 *With 78-Across, a music-skit show that debuted August 1, 1971***
27 Italian automaker
28 State north of Missouri
29 Leaves for a drink?
30 *After a three-month run in early 1971, this sitcom reappeared September 18, 1971, and held the #1 ratings spot for five years straight*
35 Ship of 1492
39 Cocktail garnish, often
40 Brontë's Jane
41 Split to join?
43 Aykroyd or Quayle
44 Straighten out
46 Procure
48 "Hush!"
50 Broke a fast
51 *Crime drama with a shambling detective that debuted on September 15, 1971*
54 Article in El Mundo
55 Sweet Italian wine
58 Earth: prefix
59 Consternation
62 U.N. workers' agcy.
63 ___ Gorda, Fla.
66 Suffix for million or frigid
68 Singular German article
69 Minor bumper damage
71 *Star of 30-Across*
74 Sturdy tree
76 Comply

77 Roosevelt successor
78 See 26-Across
82 Zilch
83 General on a Chinese menu
86 They sink ships, per a wartime slogan
87 *Star of 51-Across*
89 Book before Nehemiah
90 Grammy winner India. ___
91 Helpful kitchen alert
92 Intersect
93 Cubs' homes
94 Pain in the neck
95 "And there you have it!"

DOWN

1 "Should that be the case..."
2 Aerobatics feat
3 Salad alternative
4 Falcons, on scoreboards
5 Streaked
6 In fine fettle
7 Like Bush Sr., religiously
8 I.R.S. ID
9 "Here, I'll get that"
10 It may be clipped and filed
11 Open ___ of worms
12 Ectomorph, e.g.
13 Certain neopagan
14 Type of I.R.A.
15 Sunburn soother
16 Henry VIII's third Catherine
18 Cleaning concern
23 "Biography" channel**
26 "___ guy walks into a bar..."
27 Boneless cuts
28 "It's my opinion..."
30 "The Simpsons" immigrant shopkeeper
31 Quarterback Dawson
32 Bygone Chrysler
33 Therefore
34 Western wolf
36 1970s despot
37 Dundee denial
38 Six-legged hill-builder
42 Prefix with distant or lateral

45 Kind of tide
47 Yank
49 Like draft emails
51 Where Jesus turned water into wine
52 Granular
53 More than simmer
55 Central: prefix
56 Boxing champ known as "The Greatest"
57 Fortunate little guy in Glasgow, say
59 Immorally lavish
60 Year in Yucatán
61 "Quit ___ bellyachin!"
64 Enter steadily, as a platoon
65 Eponymous works by photographer Diane
67 Revolves
70 Charges toward
72 Anthem contraction
73 Work ___ (museum piece)
75 Citrus drink suffix
78 Skelton's Kadiddlehopper
79 Move like molasses
80 "Encore!"
81 Bring on board
82 Campbell of "Scream"
83 "Slaves of New York" author Janowitz
84 Winter glider
85 Gumbo vegetable
87 Really catch the eye
88 In good shape

** The answers to 26-Across and 23-Down both require a common symbol in the circled square.

