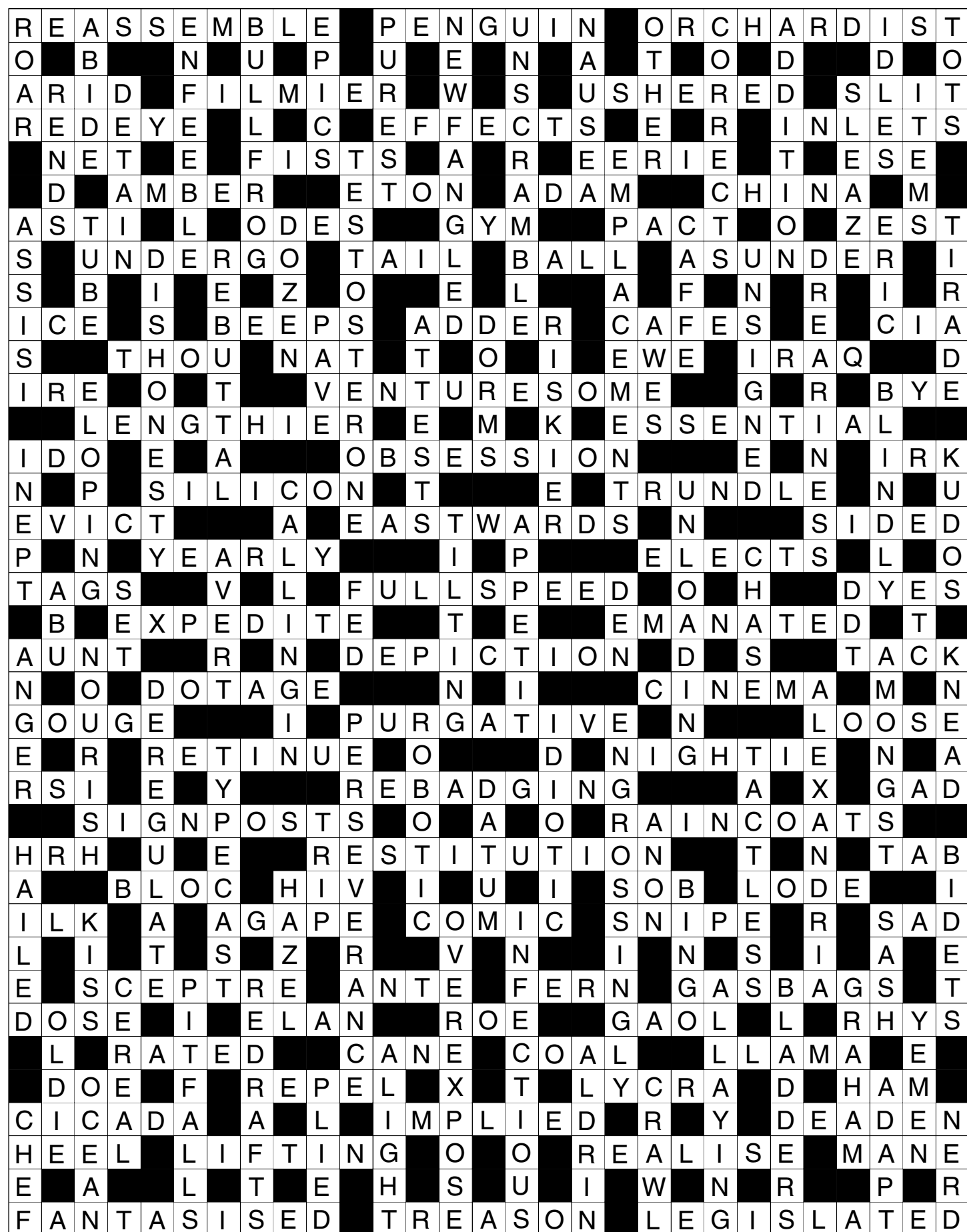


PUZZLES



MEGA CROSSWORD

ACROSS

1. Gather again
6. Waddling bird
10. Fruit grower
15. Parched
18. Hazier
19. Escorted
20. Aperture
22. Late-night (flight) (3-3)
23. Luggage
24. Fjords
25. After tax
26. Boxer's weapons
28. Weird
30. Compass direction (1,1,1)
31. Fossil resin
32. Exclusive English school
33. ... & Eve
34. Beijing is there
35. Italian sparkling wine
37. Dedicatory poems
39. Exercise club
40. Agreement
42. Zing
45. Suffer
48. What a dog wags
49. Dance
50. Separated, torn ...
53. Frozen water
54. Timer signals
56. Viper
59. Small restaurants
61. US intelligence agency (1,1,1)
62. You (archaic)
63. Crooner, ... King Cole
64. Ram's mate
65. Iran's neighbour
66. Wrath
68. Daring
69. Adieu!
70. More protracted
71. Vital
72. Nuptial vow (1,2)
73. Hang-up
74. Aggravate
76. Computer's ... chip
78. Move heavily on wheels
80. Turn out (tenant)
81. Away from west
84. Aligned oneself
85. Annually
87. Chooses (government)
89. Follows (along)
92. Maximum velocity (4,5)
94. Colorants

DOWN

96. Facilitate
97. Originated
98. Uncle & ...
100. Clear description
101. Change yacht's course
104. Senility
105. Theatre
107. Deep cut
108. Epsom salts treatment
112. Inexact (definition)
113. Entourage
115. Short for nightwear
117. Typist's ailment (1,1,1)
118. Renaming (product)
120. Gallivant
121. Indicators
123. Gaborone & Burberry
125. Royal title (1,1,1)
126. Compensation
127. Spacing key
129. Power group
130. Precursor to AIDS (1,1,1)
131. Cry
133. Ore vein
134. Type, kind
136. Wide open
137. Child's magazine
140. Carp
141. Blue, down
142. Regal rod
146. Poker stake
147. Fronded plant
148. Chatterboxes
152. Medicine amount
154. Energy, style
155. Caviar
156. Prison
157. Actor, ... Ifans
159. Adjudged, considered
160. Bamboo stick
162. Steamship fuel
164. Andes beast
165. Bunny's mother
167. Ward off
169. Cyclist's outfit
171. Sandwich meat
173. Noisy summer insect
174. Meant
175. Muffle
177. ... & toe
178. Improving
179. Catch on
180. Horse's neck hair
181. Imagined, ... about
182. Guy Fawkes' crime
183. Passed laws

DOWN

1. Lion's call
2. Tolerate
3. Devitalise
4. Large adult tadpole
5. Sagas
6. Most virtuous
7. Faddishly modern
8. Decode
9. Sick feeling
10. Different
11. Adjusts
12. Also, in ...
13. Lazes
14. Toddlers
16. Tears
17. Keep in custody
20. Corrupt goings-on
21. Single entities
27. Male hormone
29. Gun positions
35. St Francis of ...
36. Toothpaste container
38. A dime a ...
41. Coffee, ... latte
43. Troy actor, ... Bana
44. Diatribe
46. Unscrupulousness
47. Counter-argument
51. Not endorsed
52. Gloominess
55. Lay flagstones on
56. Affirms
57. Dormitories
58. Chancier
60. Daunts
67. Fleeing with lover
69. Recklessly
72. Clumsy
75. Brownie points
77. Dropping by (7,2)
79. Disburdening
82. Inclining
83. Enjoy!, Bon ...!
86. Forestall
88. Pursue
90. UAE state, ... Dhabi
91. Solidify
92. Sustained
93. Cosy or secluded room
94. Banned pesticide (1,1,1)
95. And so on
98. Rage
99. Foster
102. Amid
103. Massage

"I LIKE GOOD STRONG WORDS THAT MEAN SOMETHING."

JO (LITTLE WOMEN)

104. Remove restrictions
106. Nile delta city
108. Tenacity
109. Automated
110. Foolish
111. Absorbingly
114. Stereotyped
116. Gauche
119. Fact
122. Stumble
124. Unknown writer
125. Saluted
128. Small, low baths
130. Eye colour
132. Numbers game
135. Smooch
138. Reveal for too long
139. Viral
141. Waist ribbon
143. Corn or rye
144. Hazards
145. Reworks (script)
149. Relieving
150. Liquid-filled sacs
151. Evangelist, Billy ...
153. An ... but a goodie
158. Mideast nation
161. Dismount
163. Astronaut, 'Buzz' ...
166. Great sea
168. Worked at (one's trade)
170. Grovel
172. Bend to circumstances
173. Food professional
176. Geek