## PUZZLES



MEGACROSSWORD

ACROSS

1. Enduring (storm)
2. Grumpy
3. Liberate
4. ... \& starts
5. Actor, Gene ...
6. Tribal chief
7. Decrease
8. Minor fact
9. Minor fact
10. Virtuoso
11. Honked (horn)
12. We ... not amused
13. Tennis stroke
14. Obstacle
15. Collection
16. Rope
17. Burden 33. Famous English school
18. Famous English sch
19. Deed
20. Cake, Swiss ...
21. Pea shell
22. Bangkok native
23. Receive as salary
24. Continue doggedly
25. Arm bone
26. Secrete
27. Pencil rubbers
28. Hoodwink
29. Hunt
30. Tightly packed
31. Berate
32. Olympic Games body ( $1,1,1$ )
33. You (poetic)
34. Fish egs
35. Bubble b
36. Craving
37. Forensic ID check,
... test ( $1,1,1$ )
38. Made rightful
39. Parties
40. Dirt-digging journalist
41. Retort
42. Water-garden fish
43. False perceptions
44. Diabetes preparation
45. Factor
46. Biblical tower
47. Faintness
48. Eyrie bird
49. Eyrie b
50. Plays
51. Play
52. Oyste
53. Ogle
54. Central American nation
55. Betting chances
56. Invigorate
57. Relinquishing (6,2) 98. Surveillance system (1,1,1,1) 100. Epigram
58. Zigzag (of yacht) 104. In other words (4,2) 105. Wait on
59. Ocean giant
60. Deerskin shoes
61. Behave in reply
62. Behave in reply
63. Change of design
64. Vienna is there
65. Expire
66. Most chic
120.... \& buts
67. Originator
68. Submersion
69. Iniquity
70. Thick steak
71. Thick steak
72. Worshipped figure
73. Song, Auld Lang
74. Beaker
75. Craze
76. Forbidden (2-2)
77. Missing in action (1,1,1)
78. Human trunk
79. Refashion
80. Maxim
81. Ruminant's food
82. Signor \& ...
83. Scrap
84. Delicate
85. Film star, Kevin ... 152. Cambodia's neighbour 154. Discharge
86. As easy as
87. As eas
88. Ajar
89. Ajar Avocado, alligator ...
90. Hawaiian-born

US president
160. Female voice
160. Female voice
162. Burlesque actress
164. Phone comp
165. Burgle
165. Burgle
167. Impassive (countenance) 169. Beautiful young woman
171. Inflation measure (1,11)
173. Mar
174. Contractual stipulations
175. Pupils' environment
177. Aft
178. Feed
179. Expos
179. Expose
180. Alike, the
181. Black-heartedness
181. Black-heartedness
182. London Cockney
182. London Cock
district ( 4,3 )
183. Trapped (between)

Down

1. Float on breeze
2. Float on
3. Afoot
4. Tires out
5. Teeth
6. Pluckier
7. Snipers
8. Astronauts' travel zone $(5,5)$
9. Outback working
10. Pirate cry ( $2-2-2$ )
11. Pirate cry
12. Glorify
13. Lounge seat
14. Touches
15. Wane
16. Viewed speculatively
17. Hot under the collar
18. Slender
19. Support
20. Willing
21. Scatters
22. Peeled (of paint)
23. Mimicked
24. Web-footed mammal
25. Fable writer
26. Italian sparkling wine
27. Nephews' sister
28. International
29. International
finance dynasty
30. Asks
31. Flavour enhancer
32. Clarifies
33. Lone
34. Rigorously trained
35. Rigorously trained
36. Timber fasteners
37. Incident
38. Cipher
39. Affable
40. Doped
41. Afghan city
42. Aids illegally
43. Handic
44. Saps
45. Saps
46. Desperate
47. Desperate
48. Subtleties of meaning
49. Major blood vessel
50. Diversity
51. Computer key
52. Clergyman's short title
53. Fresh
54. Club's yearly meeting ( $1,1,1$ )
55. Choose
56. Medico
57. Sounded like crow
58. Partial exchange ( $5-2$ )
59. Stirring from nap
"Now is
the time to
understand
more so we may fear less."

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- Marie Curie
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103. Large hawks
104. Scary
105. Thumb tack $(7,3)$
106. Urban
107. Architect
108. Architect
109. Freezing (3-4)
110. Freezing (3
111. Adequate
112. Adequate
113. Very high heel
114. Infrequency
115. Challenged (to)
116. Musical piece
117. Honey liquo
118. Token
119. Move fe
120. Move feebly
121. Best part
122. Best part
123. Waltz
124. Moreover
125. Boils off
126. Dithering
127. Antidote
128. Pressure line on map
129. Pressure line
130. Spruced up
131. Spruced up
132. Dispel fears
133. Fleeing justice $(2,3,3)$ 150. Chat programme $(4,4)$ 151. Ages
134. Concur
135. Established principle
136. Asian fruit
137. Eventuated
138. Eventuated
139. French saint, Joan ... $(2,3)$
140. Overlooks
141. Overlooks
142. Bumps into
143. Cook in simmering liquid
144. Tie for place
145. Tie for pla
146. Lusfful
