

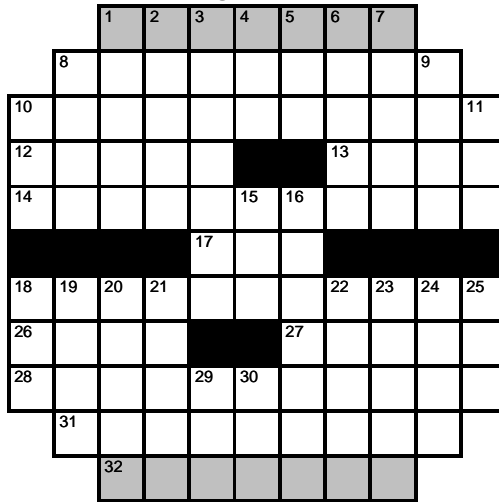


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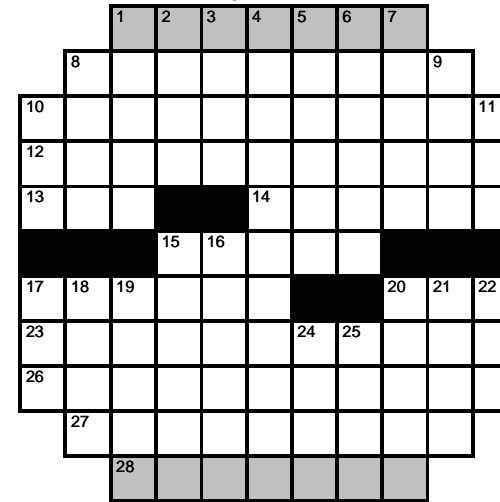
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## PUZZLE A



## PUZZLE B



### PUZZLE A

**Shaded** (The two shaded Across entries - 1A, 32A - in random order)

- Takes turns?
- Flying object on the cover of the Jefferson Airplane album "Thirty Seconds Over Winterland"

### Across

- 8** Historic opening of 1869  
**10** She played one of the "wisegirls" in "WiseGirls"  
**12** IOU from Uncle Sam  
**13** Pro wrestling champ-turned-actor John  
**14** Whisky a Go Go locale  
**17** Touching response  
**18** Singer in D.A. Pennebaker's "Monterey Pop"  
**26** True  
**27** Baptist of Leif Ericson  
**28** Parts of the British Empire until 1946  
**31** Jedi, e.g.

### Down

- 1** Stadio Olimpico locale  
**2** \_\_\_-de-boeuf (oval windows)

- 3** Arboretum collection  
**4** Madrasah, e.g.: Abbr.  
**5** It's not in a corner  
**6** Perform  
**7** Not around so much  
**8** "Black Narcissus" actor  
**9** Propagandist for Adolf  
**10** About 24% of the earth's landscape: Abbr.  
**11** Trap  
**15** Persian for "crown"  
**16** Strafe, say  
**18** Jeremy Renner's Oscar-nominated role in "The Town"  
**19** "There never was \_\_\_ of such deceitfulness and suavity": T.S. Eliot  
**20** King, for short  
**21** \_\_\_-Abyssinian War  
**22** Stereotype, e.g.  
**23** Parts of lobster pots  
**24** Oscar winner for "The Big Country"  
**25** Onetime Balkan capital  
**29** Bob Dylan's "Not Dark \_\_\_"  
**30** Hercule Poirot's birthplace

### PUZZLE B

**Shaded** (The two shaded Across entries - 1A, 28A - in random order)

- One who kneads people?
- Subject of Holbein and Dürer portraits

### Across

- 8** What leaders direct  
**10** Operating-without-a-license operation  
**12** Nigh  
**13** "The Girls Next Door" nickname  
**14** TIA component  
**15** Person of a controversial race  
**17** Cleaning lady, in Brit slang  
**20** Letters for bringing a man home  
**23** Lawsuit with limited venue  
**26** Cowgirl competitions, typically  
**27** U-tube device for measuring pressure

### Down

- 1** "Honest plain words best pierce the \_\_\_ grief": Shakespeare  
**2** Maritime arms  
**3** Blind alternative

- 4** Nerves  
**5** Who says "What a dump!" in "Who's Afraid of Virginia Woolf?"  
**6** Sundance regular, often  
**7** Saloon, in London  
**8** Burn  
**9** Wild spot in Minnesota?  
**10** Scenic drive out West, briefly  
**11** Has more than enough  
**15** \_\_\_ Letters (cuneiform tablets dating to the 14th century B.C.)  
**16** They're over when one is standing  
**17** Senior Circuit and Junior Circuit, for short  
**18** Range  
**19** "Make like the wind and blow!"  
**20** OXO product  
**21** Great Trek migrant  
**22** Ties  
**24** They are Nehilawe, in their own language  
**25** Pop duo from Russia