Costly

A dozen answers become new words before entry.

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Across

- 1 Fixate on ring Bess gets Sunday
- 6 Starting after first of January working at home?
- 11 Inquires nosily about despicable general's perks
- 13 Former Secretary of State's survey involving our group
- 15 Don eats Ann's brand of yogurt
- 17 Fulminate against providing drink
- 18 Son insinuating desire did not exist
- 19 Stories of general breaking alphanumeric display components
- 21 Hurt most unusual rodents
- 23 Discussed minor problem with certain fabric
- **24** Chilled, a mud wren shivers
- 26 Moving in a mass of loot, including trimmed ermine
- **27** Coffee servers initially upset nurses
- **28** Claims a shelf is mentioned
- 31 That girl's beginning to bother Ginger, among others
- **32** Unfluctuating feature of muzzle velocity
- 34 Confederate general carries gun for ambassador
- 36 One hands out cards with goals
- **37** Believes in supporting device holding ton
- **39** Margaret and Susan nearly backing a horse that really took off?
- **40** Tightens up verb forms
- **41** Retro gym ran a mortuary section for centurions, et al (2 *wds*)

Down

- 1 C in C enthralled by brief opportunities to use power unjustly
- 2 Pal Rob freaks out
- 3 Tied actress Campbell up
- **4** Tell the authorities about one lieutenant adding dirt to a riverbed
- 5 Element of exotic isle menu
- **6** On the way back, spots unsatisfactory stamp found on some meat (*acronym*)
- 7 Father and staff upset former airline
- 8 Multitudes of African predators consuming half of eggs
- **9** Net near to fancy aquarium fish (2 wds)
- 10 Tabloid recalled NY baseball team receiving new attire
- 12 Unfavorable criticism about wife, a potential queen?
- 14 Just passing soldier wearing small shoe
- **16** Awareness of policy expert turned up large advantage
- **20** Speak with difficulty about Republican braggart
- 22 Towels off baby birds
- **24** Experience shifting ground around start of earthquake
- 25 Ed's busy working with composer Claude
- 28 Chicken Little, having wings, is in Montana
- **29** Closes up aquatic animals
- **30** Rightfully, girl admitted to wild yell
- 33 Described haughty streak
- **34** Poisonous snakes beheading stinging insects
- 35 Sticky stuff found around a U.S. territory
- 38 Fanatic raised alcoholic container