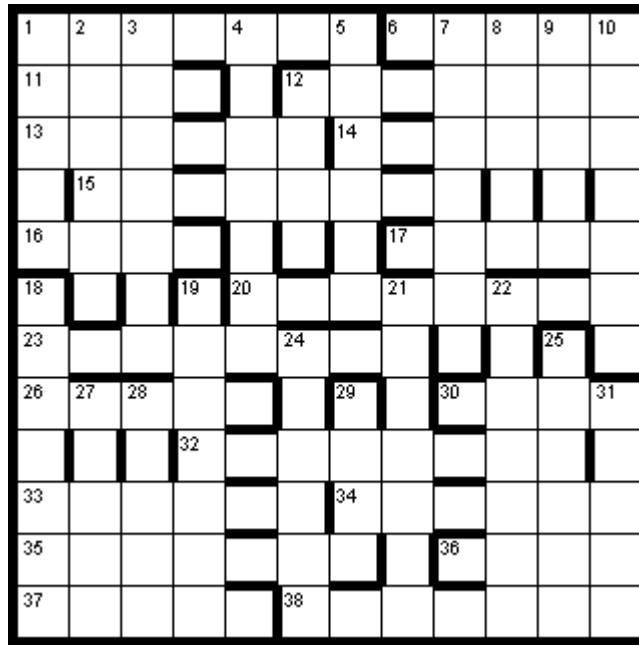


Exactly one-half (20) of the clues contain an extra letter, always in the definition.
 In clue order, these letters spell a five-word phrase.



Across

- 1 Had a particular attitude about it suggested (7)
- 6 Place fill-in operator (5)
- 11 Chopper circling gym's moist elevated location (4)
- 12 Drunk has an inexpensive source of metals (7)
- 13 Stay put in a new position, we hear (6)
- 14 Local dialect unusual to Pisa (6)
- 15 Per Rev. Spooner, kick back with a plop (4,4)
- 16 Pull an American League player (4)
- 17 Tapes remixed; hit heard (5)
- 20 Lied to Mr. Rocky with experienced tone (3-5)
- 23 Hint about ingredient in beer and unknown Chinese restaurant dish (4,4)
- 26 Vast emptiness holds allure (5)
- 30 Escaped agent has left (4)
- 32 Discussed a door, a stock-buyer's chute (8)
- 33 Ruin returning officeholder briefly chasing young woman (6)
- 34 In a way, disguise entrance to cafeteria in eastern junction (6)
- 35 Ring one of GPs enthralled by Ms. Shire's earache (7)
- 36 Surprisingly slow nocturnal hunters (4)
- 37 Scandinavians snore, unfortunately (5)
- 38 Fools clutching *Times* and pints (7)

Down

- 1 Normal limits for toy dog (5)
- 2 Aspiring soprano and top-notch salesman love musical dramas (6)
- 3 Slower part of a piano duet; having this, God is good? (7)
- 4 Tantalize initially by lifting black coat's mink decorations (7)
- 5 Bank announced poor grade in writing (6)
- 7 Get one board from nine rat chewed up (7)
- 8 Cries as iodine finally enters cuts (5)
- 9 First of patients runs in time to make a copay (5)
- 10 Roy sets out seafood appetizers (7)
- 12 Quilting party hosts British actress Neuwirth (4)
- 18 Raised drink at company's shapely figure? (7)
- 19 Insult father brought up describing lady's face is horrifying (7)
- 21 Tyrone directed New York's oppressive power (7)
- 22 Agnes heard Gibson is short (7)
- 24 Ushers at the entrance to Ms. Zadora's perfect palace (6)
- 25 Must have a couple of lengths for sewing kilt component (6)
- 27 Certain mouse's time to ... (5)
- 28 ...roam wildly, taking taste of leftover grinder (5)
- 29 Navy leaves battlefield zone (4)
- 31 Feature of lesser designer's rejected outfit for Marty? (5)