

Books and Literature Crossword

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To complete this literary-themed crossword, you need to fill in an additional 6 black squares. In each case the black square will appropriately replace an entire word (the same word throughout the puzzle).

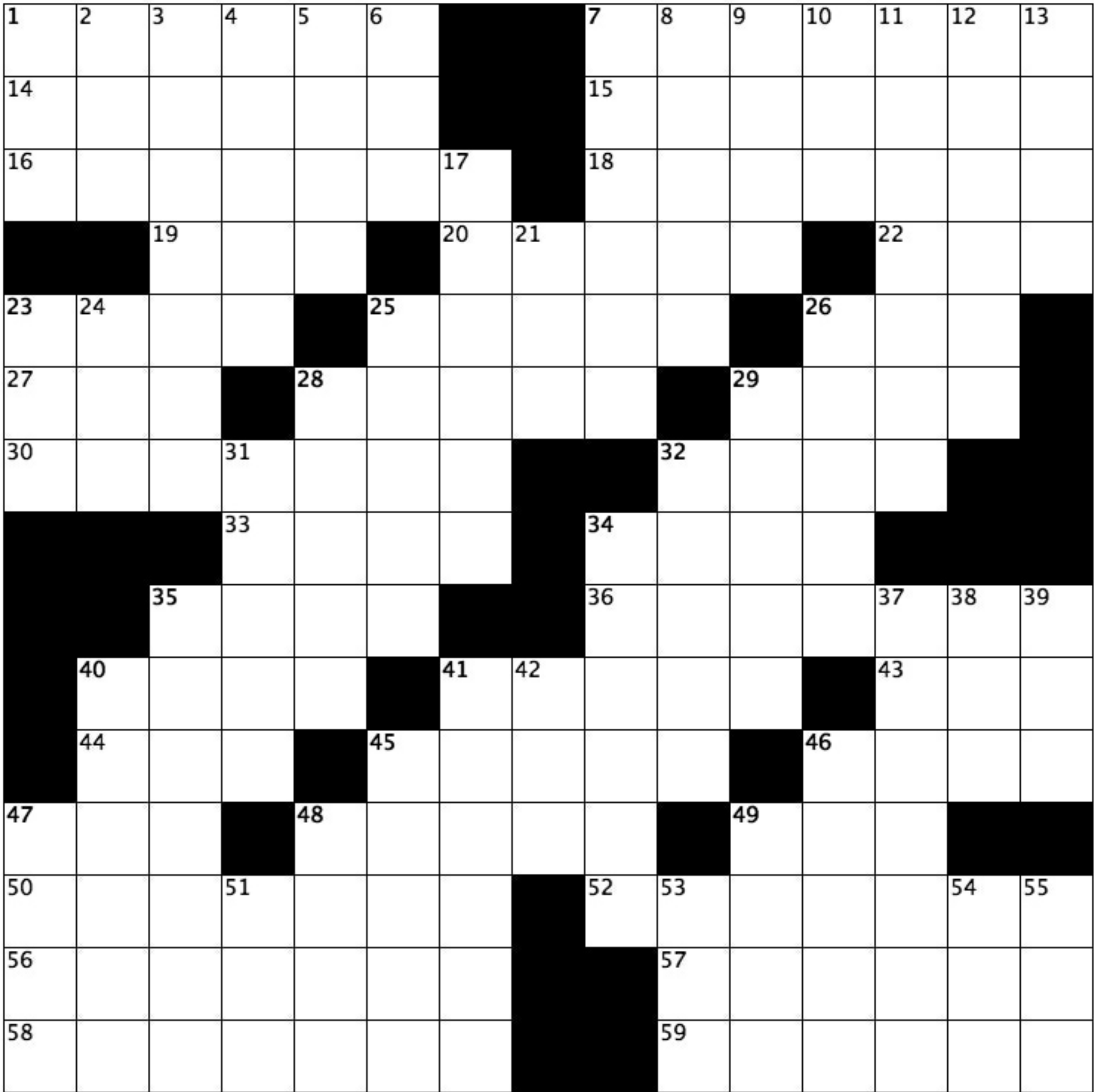
ACROSS

- 1. Puzzle setter's novel
- 7. Sewell's stallion
- 14. Max Perkins, for example
- 15. Sun rooms
- 16. Theodor Giesel
- 18. More disorderly
- 19. Smidgen
- 20. French wine valley
- 22. Creature of habit?
- 23. Particle
- 25. Stones man
- 26. "Treasure Island" document
- 27. Walter Scott, say
- 28. Bundle
- 29. Dahs' partners
- 30. Peeping Tom's vantage point
- 32. Driver's hazard
- 33. Old name for mascara
- 34. Mind's creation
- 35. French ailments
- 36. Gallery abstracts
- 40. "The Death of Bunny Munro" writer
- 41. Pacific prisons?
- 43. Greek seventeenth
- 44. Good source of iron?
- 45. George Eliot river
- 46. ABC sitcom
- 47. Write
- 48. Soft leather
- 49. Brief afterthoughts
- 50. Androgynous
- 52. King of literature
- 56. Like some professors
- 57. John Williams novel
- 58. Tolkien's ring-wraiths
- 59. Kazakhstan's capital

DOWN

- 1. Darkened
- 2. Might be burned: Abbr.
- 3. Subject for Bennett's boys
- 4. Elite squadron
- 5. "Extremely ___ and Incredibly Close" (Foer)
- 6. ___-One, rapper
- 7. Joe Gargery, for example
- 8. Afrikaans speakers
- 9. Otherwise
- 10. Small power sources
- 11. Micturate
- 12. Rush hour snarls
- 13. It's a long story
- 17. Deep purple?
- 21. Non-prescription: Abbr.
- 23. Seek clarification
- 24. Overtime's cause
- 25. Dylan Thomas' birthplace
- 26. Bible book prophet
- 28. "Slumdog Millionaire" director
- 29. Waist removal systems?

- 31. Ho partner?
- 32. Ian McEwan novel
- 34. Murdoch and Krasnow
- 35. Dirty drink?
- 37. Hare follower
- 38. Astonished gasps
- 39. Fifth note
- 40. "The Last of the Mohicans" author
- 41. Loses color?
- 42. Lightning attractor
- 45. More entertaining, loosely speaking?
- 46. "Treasure Island" bad omen
- 47. Inky
- 48. Arid
- 49. Class favorites
- 51. Ruminant's chew
- 53. Bag-checkers: Abbr.
- 54. Poets' dark hours
- 55. Many-armed org.?



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