Some Serious Courting

by Judge Victor Fleming

Across
1 Milan opera house, with “La”
6 The ___ Radio Hour
10 Crow call
13 Divvy up
14 Sandwichy cookie
15 “To a Mouse,” e.g.
16 Snacks for the dig-set-spike crowd? (2 courts)
19 Stuntman Knievel
20 Cottonseed product
21 Disruptive noise
22 Got an ___ (saw a lot)
24 Barnyard scratcher
25 Actor Waterston
28 Part of DJIA
29 Arlo, to Woody
30 Plant used to make poi
31 1960s justice Fortas
34 Main thrusts
36 Merchandizing events
37 Gourd veggie for the shuttlecock crowd? (2 courts)
40 Insurance investigator’s concern
41 American statesman Root
42 Bambi’s mother, for example
43 Shoe insert
44 “What did I tell you?”
45 Fink (on)
47 “Electric” fish
48 Home of the Braves, briefly
49 “… more than he could chew”
52 Hit the wrong button, say
53 Brooks who has won an Oscar, Emmy, Grammy and Tony
54 Collection of shops
56 Moldable mud for the hoops crowd? (2 courts)
60 “… Today”
61 Scorch on a grill
62 Yacht club site
63 Make use of snowy slopes
64 Answer with attitude
65 Rudder’s place

Down
1 Not squander
2 Garlic piece
3 See 46-Down
4 Dangled
5 Partook of
6 It merged with Exxon
7 Dentist’s kind of surgery
8 ___ Aviv
9 William of “Stalag 17” and “Network”
10 Ring-tailed critter
11 ___ Annie (“Oklahoma!” character)
12 Hitched
17 “I concede”
18 Five-dollar bill, in slang
23 Surround a with dense mist
24 Egypt’s Mubarak
25 Healthy lunch choice
26 Comeback to “Am not!”
27 Dayan or Arens
29 Ripped off
30 Fraternity letter
31 Taper off
32 Ballerina’s support
33 The “Ishtar” of cars
35 Superman’s makeup?
36 Diddly-___
38 Cohort of Curly and Larry
39 Unpleasantly penetrating
44 Accentuate
46 3-Down feline
48 Genesis vessel
49 Market pessimists
50 “… bear ___ witness against …”
51 Natural ability
52 Morales of “The Burning Season”

53 Dgs. held by Romney and Bush
55 “Coal Miner’s Daughter” singer Loretta
56 Clean tables
57 Put a question to
58 Crumpets go-with
59 Weigh-in abbr.

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