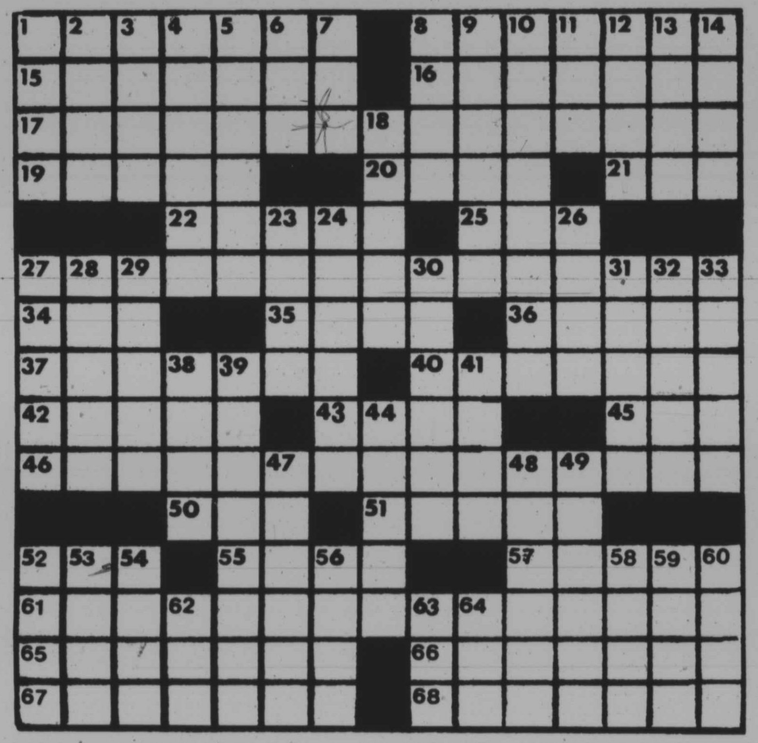
BLACK HISTORY CROSSWORD PUZZLE



ACROSS

1 — C. Bailey: blk. inventor of a folding cot (Pat. 1899)
8 Lewis H. —: blk. pioneer in the elec. lighting industry
15 Skill gained at Ophelia DeVore Mitchell's charm school: 2 wds.
16 Flora Lomax (blk. ace of tennis), e.g., nee 1912
17 Fredr. M. Jones, blk., invented this: — system — (4 wds.)
19 Done on gold which the Africans brought to Hispaniola pre-Columbus
20 Hiram B. Revels, 1st blk. U.S. Sen. was born on this day (1822)
21 Position for Brud Holland, nee 1915: 1st blk. on the "Big Red Gridders"
22 England was the — of black Queen Charlotte Sophia
25 'Nought' to 22A
27 Invention by Granville T. Woods, blk., 1856-1910: 2 wds.
34 Reference book of 22A: abbr.
35 —nach, Ger.: St. Maurice (Moor) is celebrated here
36 — Robinson, born 1929, Grambling football Coach
37 Area in India conquered by Ethiopian King Ganges: poss.
40 Manifestation of the Civil Rights Movement
42 —, NY: the 1930 census in this ST reveals that illiteracy was higher among non-blks.
43 'Prefix used by Dr. Delano Meriwether (leukemia researcher)
45 Predecessors of 'OU' as was taught in "The African Free School" of NY, 1787
46 Two — are accredited to 17A: 3 wds.
50 Curt cause of the slave-trade
51 Sixty-one Across helps to preclude this
52 Found on African's wealth (bovine)
55 Mrs. — Louise Parks: courageous blk. heroine of AL
57 Large oxlike African antelope
61 — light: inv. in 1923, by Garrett A. Morgan (blk.)
65 'Coffee', e.g.; 3 wds.: derived from the word 'caffa' in E. Afr.
66 — of —: dispensed by a witch doctor? (herbal potion)
67 Cross desecrators
68 Tenure of black Pope Victor: 2 wds.

DOWN

1 —la, Congo: this land became independent 1960
2 Biblical noun: probably black
3 Work by Ludwig van Beethoven (of blk. ancestry)
4 Descriptive of the race riot at East St. Louis, July 1917
5 When a white was put into a pit and stained (to be sold as a slave), he emerged — a —
6 Found in 18D (abbr.)
7 District Staff Officer in mini-form
8 These peoples have much Moorish blood: abbr.
9 Greeks' African goddess
10 Victor, Militades, and Gelasious; blks.: 2 wds.
11 —, Peru: blks. helped conquer this land
12 Ancient black
13 —, Peru; Pres. Sanchez Cerro (blk. ancestry) ruled here 1930-33
14 To teach a slave how to — was criminal
18 'Hazzard' works here: see 6D
23 Words which could've been spoken by Harriett Tubman (a TRUE blk. leader)
24 This girl, deemed black to be good luck
26 Degrees for 28D et al.
27 Scuppernong wine?
28 Jas. Augustine —: 1st U.S. blk. Rom. Cath. bp. (1875)
29 Pertaining to Norse poetry: Anne Brown, blk. sop. of NY wedded in this country
30 Osceola (of blk. ancestry) and Chief Oshkosh (blk. ancestry), so-called
31 — Pope: blk. musician
32 Club for Julia T. Siler, nee 1911, one of 1st blk. women to vie in U.S. Golf Assn.
33 Mythical beasts
38 "— LeRoy," by F. W. Harper 1892
39 Some blks. are offended when referred to as: 2 wds.
41 —, ID: in 1979, this ST had no blk. political office holders
44 "Negro National Anthem," e.g.: written by Jas. Weldon Johnson
47 Juan Garrido, blk., sowed 1st wheat seed in the new world to —: 2 wds.
48 Elijah McCoy, 1844-1928 ('The Real McCoy') inv. pumps for this
49 Africans aboard slave-ships were this: 2 wds.
52 "The Black — Line" was owned by UNIA: S-S Co.
53 Exclamation
54 Short denizen of Africa
56 Stuff for blk. inv. Norbett Rillieux' sugar refining system (1806-1894)
58 African-American: abbr.
59 Mountain in the black land of Borneo
60 Philip Reed, slave, erected the White House & the Capitol in this area
62 —ve L., Scotland: 48D was educated in this land
63 Fritz Pollard's acts (black Brown): born 1895
64 —, AR: in 1979 this ST had 12 blk. Mayors

Grandma Says...

Faint Feeling

Place cold compress to the back of the neck, forehead and on the wrists.

Intoxication

When someone has had too much to drink, drop icecubes inside their pants.

Blemishes

Rub cocoa butter over the blemishes.

Chapped Hands

Before going to bed at night, rub your hands with mutton tallow. Put white gloves on them and sleep with them on all night.

Athlete's Foot

Walk barefoot in cow manure.

Bug Bites

Boy, did I hate getting bit by a mosquito or some other bug. When I did I would run to the closest snuff dipper or tobacco chewer. They would remove some of the residue from their mouth and place it on the bite. There was something about the snuff paste or tobacco juice that drew the poison out and stopped the itching, swelling and soreness.

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