## Duck Soup

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## Across

1. Itsy-bitsy bits 6. Comic strip "Pickles" character 10. Barely beat 13. Fergie, formally 14. Secretary, at times 16. Wee morning hour 17. Doable 19. Bug, e.g. **20.** They hang around the house? 21. Massage target, at times 23. Beast of burden 26. Anderson's "High 27. Touch up, as makeup **29.** Rodriguez of golf **31.** Cop's coup 32. A Cook book? **33.** This puzzle's theme 35. Famed Giant? 38. Absorbed **39.** Ice or Stone, for instance **40.** Alpine transport 41. Totally **42.** Haunt 45. Hollywood's Jessica **46.** Father of geometry **48.** In need of company 50. Places with 20A **52.** Laughing matter? 53. Enero, e.g. **54.** Dreadlocks wearer **55.** Nom de guerre 57. Lawyers' assn. 58. Doable **64.** Bird's beak 65. Floor it 66. High nest (var.)

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67		1			68					69			1	1

67. One way to end a sentence68. Break, in a way69. Arrive, as darkness

## Down

- 1. Nasty little biter
- 2. Half a popular cocktail
- **3.** Digger's goal
- 4. Defensive spray
- 5. Unbelted dress
- 6. Bid
- 7. Short shots?
- 8. Per
- **9.** Albanian capital
- **10.** Doable
- 11. As a whole
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- **12.** Full of energy

- 15. Flea market deal
- 18. Not perfectly round
- **22.** E-file preparer
- 23. Gold Coast port
- 24. Sandbar
- 25. Doable
- **27.** Court wear
- **28.** Add-on
- **30.** Sylvester or Garfield
- **31.** Behind bars
- **34.** Desert sight
- **36.** Put off, as a motion
- **37.** Cafeteria needs
- **40.** Shade on the beach?
- **42.** Scads
- **43.** Short order, for short
- **44.** Done in, as a dragon
- **47.** Final (abbr.)

- **49.** Siouan speakers
- 50. Construction site sight
- 51. It's hard to break
- 52. Coast
- 55. "Beg pardon ..."
- **56.** Eye affliction
- **59.** Decide not to do, with "out"
- **60.** Afternoon affair, for many
- 61. Crumb
- **62.** Junior's junior?
- **63.** Olympic gymnast's goal