Logical

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Across

- 1. Bearded, as grain
- **6.** Grace period?
- 10. Speech problem
- 14. Excel
- **15.** Copter's forerunner
- 16. "Beetle Bailey" dog
- 17. Seems logical
- 19. Mountain pool
- 20. Eyeball benders
- 21. Shade of purple
- 22. Annual meteor shower
- 25. Certain hotel amenity
- 27. Alkaline liquid
- 28. Rustic retreat
- **29.** Bro's counterpart
- **31.** "Hi" or "bye" in Polynesia
- **33.** Photo finish?
- **35.** Floral arrangement
- **37.** Lip
- 40. Character
- 41. Biblical verb ending
- 42. Ancient
- 43. Tournament ranking
- 44. Test version
- 45. Discomfit
- **46.** Get on
- **48.** Notwithstanding
- **50.** Application
- **51.** One of us?
- 53. Dawn to dusk
- **54.** Running mate, so to speak
- **56.** Didn't dawdle
- 58. Light lunch
- 60. Rents
- 61. Seems logical
- **66.** New Mexico art colony
- **67.** Assortment

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- **68.** Wheel alignment
- 69. Writer Rice
- **70.** Teller's partner
- **71.** Sound asleep?

Down

- 1. BBQ residue
- 2. Horton heard one
- 3. Zilch
- **4.** ___ a high note
- **5.** Loathes
- **6.** Biology lab supply
- 7. Catcher's catcher?
- 8. Afore
- 9. Negative connector
- **10.** Auctioneer's initial offering
- 11. Seems logical

- 12. Digress
- 13. Puerto Rican seaport
- **18.** Dry riverbed
- 21. Asian language
- 22. Bar stock
- **23.** Related maternally
- 24. Seems logical
- 25. Walk nonchalantly
- 26. Carry on
- **30.** One-time Alka-Seltzer pitchman
- **32.** "S.O.S.!"
- **34.** list
- 36. Slugger Mel
- 38. "Silly" birds
- **39.** Key in
- **42.** Survives
- **44.** Source of support?

- **47.** Total
- **49.** Sushi ingredients, often
- 51. Black Sea resort
- **52.** Continental divide?
- **55.** Ancient Greek theater
- 57. To be, to Caesar
- **58.** Scrape, as the knee
- **59.** Long, long time
- 61. Finish, with "up"
- **62.** Pub pour
- **63.** New beginning?
- **64.** Polite address
- 65. Chemical suffix