The Fourth of July

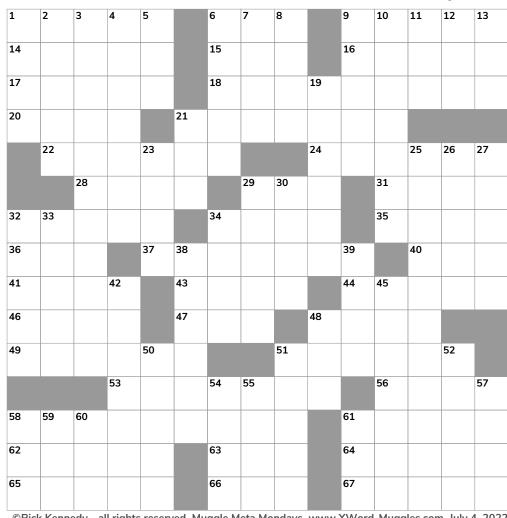
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- 1 Start of Fred Flintstone's yell
- 6 British record label
- 9 Scoundrel
- 14 Labor group
- 15 Racket
- 16 Saudi Arabia neighbor
- 17 Ticked off
- 18 Pizza topping
- 20 Posh Brits, slangily
- 21 Dubai resident
- 22 Desert plants with swordlike leaves
- 24 Scarecrow portrayer
- 28 Restaurateur Toots
- 29 Links org.
- 31 Wife of Jacob
- 32 '72 Olympics swimming star
- 34 Spotted
- 35 Crafts website
- 36 Write
- 37 Mexican peninsula
- 40 Clothes line
- 41 Clinches
- 43 Butter squares
- 44 Humiliate
- 46 Speak hoarsely
- 47 Pigpen
- 48 Senior moment?
- 49 Discounted
- **51** Li'l Abner's family
- **53** Eye liners of a sort
- 56 Hawaiian goose
- 58 Alan of the Fed
- 61 Storage medium
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- **62** Leavening agent
- **63** Deluge refuge
- 64 "SNL" alum Cheri
- 65 Words to live by
- 66 Part of CBS
- 67 Alpine refrain

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- 1 Chinese currency
- 2 Irk

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- 3 1988 Bette Midler/Lily Tomlin comedy
- 4 Ukrainian soup
- 5 "___ takers?"
- 6 Dutch cheeses
- 7 Short skirt
- 8 Enlargement: Abbr.
- 9 Former Japanese capital
- 10 Chamberlain, the British PM
- 11 French friend
- 12 Geese formation
- 13 Nav. rank
- 19 Cuba's capital, to Cubans
- 21 Corn unit
- **23** Snug
- **25** Be like the nail that sticks out in a Japanese proverb
- 26 Facilitates
- 27 Limerick feature
- 29 Earthy-tasting, as whisky

- 30 Understands
- 32 Richard's first veep
- 33 Pie nut
- **34** Jazz singing style
- **38** Surprise wins
- 39 Stoolie, to Brits
- 42 Most meager
- 45 Almost certainly will, after "is"
- 48 "The Gold Bug" author
- 50 Slow, in music
- **51** Jerks
- 52 Saw wood
- 54 Hoppy brews, for short
- **55** ___ a soul (no one)
- 57 Actor Jannings
- **58** Workout site
- **59** Classic car
- 44 1154 4 411
- **60** "Dig in!"
- 61 Demure