It's Not You, It's Me

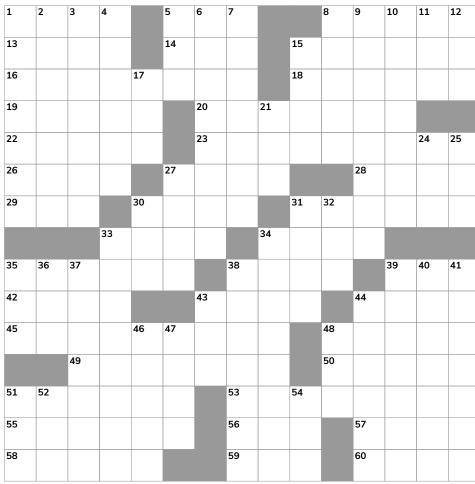
ACROSS

- 1 Unit of power
- 5 Part of a geisha's attire
- 8 Antagonist of AMC's "Hell on Wheels," with "The"
- 13 Blue shade
- 14 Split
- 15 Brings together
- 16 "Florida room," essentially
- 18 Start of many Hope and Crosby movies
- 19 Fork features
- 20 Singing contest in which everyone loses
- 22 States as fact
- **23** ___ Special
- 26 Some toothpastes
- 27 Losing streak?
- 28 Start to man or maiden
- 29 MDs and RNs work there
- 30 Minnesota ____
- 31 Imposing residences
- 33 In pain
- 34 Called
- 35 The old college try
- 38 This, for one
- 39 "This one's on me!"
- 42 #1 on the Mohs scale
- 43 Female lobsters
- 44 Parts company
- 45 Company parts
- 48 Marine ___
- 49 Mosquito-borne disease
- 50 Writer Norton, called the "Grande Dame of Science Fiction and Fantasy" (who I thought, for too many years to admit, was a grand guy...)
- 51 Plod
- 53 Rodin, for one
- 55 "May you live 100 years!" in Poland
- **56** See 39A
- 57 Drift away
- 58 You can't ignore them...
- 59 ...because these guys won't ignore you
- 60 Piece of mind?

DOWN

- 1 Gradual dissipation
- 2 Agog with anticipation
- 3 Does a boring job?

The answer to this meta is a singer/songwriter



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- 4 Dies out
- 5 That hockey guy again...no! Sheena Easton's birthname
- 6 Talk about people when they're not around
- 7 Takes a breath
- 8 "___ John B.," Beach Boys song
- **9** He was always getting sand kicked in his face in a series of Charles Atlas ads
- 10 Makes beloved
- 11 "Silent Spring" subject
- 12 Paul Anka hit, "___ Beso"
- 15 Scottish hillside
- 17 CIA forerunner
- 21 "A Hard Day's ___," fictional parody album featuring Eric Idle and Neil Innes
- 24 Nighttime table leg locator
- 25 Naval rank (abbr.)
- 27 Take off suddenly
- 30 Not against
- 31 Pin cushions?
- **32** ___ Popovic, hot Serbian blues singer/guitarist

- 33 Comfortable in a crowd
- 34 Business trip expense
- 35 Hot time in Paris
- 36 Website's information booth

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- 37 Bewilder
- 38 Pieces of cartilage
- 39 Car roof style
- 40 Give the okay to
- 41 Cast the deciding volts
- **43** Spike Jonze movie about a man in the final stages of his divorce
- 44 Amateur
- **46** Appeals (not a kangaroo word, but definitely a letter bank)
- 47 K follower
- 48 James' "East of Eden" role
- 51 W.W. II craft: Abbr.
- **52** Actress Hagen, from "The Other" (adapted from Tom Tryon's incredible debut novel)
- **54** Delivery company, and a hint to solving this meta