ACROSS
1 Lengthy story
5 Mumbai melody
9 Chip source
13 Bothersome goings-on
14 [Heavy sigh]
15 One of Africa's largest cities

16 Blender setting 17 Put in a cabinet

18 Nest-building primate 19 2000's UN head

22 Rinse or spin 23 Canyon feedback

25 Hectic hosp. hot spots

27 Phonograph inventor's monogram

28 Not just any

30 Wooden gap filler

34 Goggles, gloves, parkas,

37 City on the Hong River

39 Sit-___ (peaceful protests)

40 Efforts

41 Chair's ruling

44 Innermost area

45 L.A.-to-NYC dir.

46 IRA accrual

47 Lament loudly

49 Kid's wheels

51 Stereotypical good ol' boy nickname

55 Parts of some patios

60 Site of Mt. Ida

62 Gorgonzola feature

63 Penne ____ vodka

64 Tree with bananalooking fruit

65 President and Supreme Court justice

66 One of 60 billion in a min.

67 Carpenters, e.g.

68 Aussie runners

69 They're "parked" in the four longest Across answers

DOWN

1 Big bag

2 Extemporaneous

3 Ridiculous

4 Clear jelly

5 They make rapids transits

6 Got off a steed

7 Many a reception

8 Not at port

9 Timeless girl's name

10 Chamber music piece

11 Fancy vase

12 Track tenaciously

15 Designer's starting point

20 Brewed beverage

21 Tidal adjective

24 Very steep, as a cliff

26 Evade, as an issue

27 Stuns in an arrest

29 Besides that

30 It's around a foot

31 Visit again and again

32 Grab

33 Cow call

35 Ky. neighbor

36 Arrow trajectory

38 "Would love to help, but..."

42 What a cat and a cog have in common

43 Possible majority opinion writer

48 Pupil mover

50 I's in Ithaca

52 "Vin" designation

53 Spongy-textured wood

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54 More qualified

56 Repetitive practice

57 A mild cheese

58 Vegan ingredient

59 Anatomical pouches

60 Auditor, for short

61 Printed, as an article

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