Crossword: December 22nd

Across **26** Sedated **51** Tedium 28 Shamus **54** Crew tool 1 Soupçon **29** Baby shoe 55 Approach 4 Feedbag feed **31** Nabisco cookies **58** Swellings 8 Tennis's ___ Cup **34** Masterstroke **60** Visibly shocked 13 Fr. summer 62 Journalist Alfred 35 Cuts off **14** Recipe direction Alistair ___ 38 Calendar square **16** Discharge **64** Rascal **39** Lush **17** Greek vowel **65** Town ___ 40 Water tester **18** Complex unit **66** Copier need **41** From the start **19** Madagascar ___ cat **67** Camel hair fabric 43 First-rate **20** Authoritative **68** Revolution orator **44** Noodles declaration 69 Rocky peaks **22** Life of Riley 46 Ought to **70** Relations 24 Wine holder **48** Fortify 25 Texas cook-off dish **49** Comeback

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- **1** Exploit
- 2 Loft
- 3 Sandy spot
- **4** Sponge parts
- **5** Type of energy
- 6 Ring count
- **7** Marquis de ____
- **8** Overpower
- **9** Give it ___
- **10** Albs and cassocks, e.g.
- 11 Matter of debate
- 12 Put up with
- **15** Bygone bird
- **21** Former Yugoslav leader
- 23 Range
- 27 Golfer's concern
- 29 Spring
- **30** Yorkshire river
- **31** Harem room
- 32 Dashed
- **33** Computer workers problem
- **34** Refrigerate
- **36** Musical symbol
- **37** Expanse
- **39** Recipe direction
- 42 Reporter's question
- **44** Overly gratifies
- 45 Green Gables girl
- 47 Obstinate
- 48 More docile
- **49** Kitchen pest
- **50** Tidal bore
- **52** Eskimo boat
- **53** Poets' feet
- **56** Be in a cast
- **57** Dig like a pig
- **59** Pair of oxen
- **61** ___ annum
- 63 Musician Yoko

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