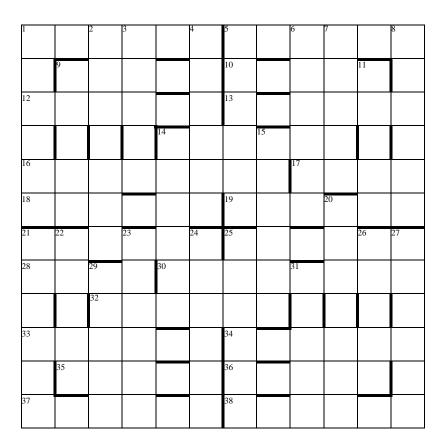
Puzzle by John de Cuevas

"If you took the same course at Harvard, you'd pass it."

Instructions: Answers to the cryptic clues, which include three proper names, are to be entered in the diagram normally. Heavy bars indicate word endings. When the diagram is correctly filled in, solvers should find a hidden answer (not bound by the heavy bars) a clue to which is the title of the puzzle.



Clues:

Across

- 1 Once again isn't able to take back
- 5 A word (or two) for a bird
- 9 Wrote off loom
- 10 Entangled by a hen hearing
- 12 Place where company turns in after hours
- 13 Sort of consonant with no trump in card distribution
- 14 Disquiet of tuners when off key
- 16 Bring limo around to provide (temporarily) a lot of dates
- 17 Is the Gaulois surrounded by water?
- 18 Timid about mistake in wine
- 19 Dress right—on a platter
- 21 The French Fever Association
- 25 Disturb, please, or rather don't if in this condition
- 28 Winglike in structural arthrosis
- 30 Former tennis star holds tip of fragrant flower
- 32 Fellows expressed hesitation at Old Faithful, for instance
- 33 Best leads of nine entries in closed hand
- 34 Curtis renewed, like in the countryside
- 35 Ground cover at southern rim
- 36 Eat us scrambled or fried
- 37 Advocate starting Wednesday in stratum
- 38 Frames, as in fish

Down

- 1 Slicer cut up remains
- 2 El Chaco disturbance a feature of hearing
- 3 Article: articles of the same kind with it
- 4 Fashionable essay has finish
- 5 Cloth from Tamil Nadu
- 6 Lymphoid tissue dissected in lots
- 7 Jeff's partner's dogs
- 8 Counter recounter
- 9 Body of literature to cheer
- 11 Spoon of salad lettuce
- 14 Every other burner outlay difficult to control
- 15 Remover takes R & R with ease
- 20 Sentinel is a star in Paris
- 21 Fifty! Terrible, but allowed
- 22 The King of Rock lives!
- 23 Grand, grassy, grasping
- 24 Lily island
- 25 Against a line
- 26 East Lake is weird
- 27 Summary isn't quite exact
- 29 Spiro once more with head of government
- 31 Sun is churning with effort

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