

Loplop Cryptic #006 [15×]

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Across

- 1** Organized state such as MS! (13) [MASSACHUSETTS](#). &lit (STATE SUCH AS MS)*
- 9** Heads of yarrow and rose distinguish some gardens (5) [YARDS](#). Yarrow And Rose Distinguish Some
- 10** The French general's diary contains no one famous (9) [LEGENDARY](#). LE + GEN + D[i]ARY
- 11** Most legitimate half of Senate yields property (4,6) [REAL ESTATE](#). REALEST + [sen]ATE
- 12** Newspaper: "A Return for Desert Culture?" (4) [AGAR](#). (RAG + A)<
- 14** Trump or Biden, say, ineffectual: accommodating retreating soldiers (4,4) [LAST NAME](#). LAME containing (ANTS)<
- 16** Tattered drapes treated with kindness (6) [SPARED](#). (DRAPES)*
- 18** Complain about flying game (6) [GROUSE](#). Double definition
- 20** Student lacking in self-control (8) [DISCIPLE](#). DISCIPL[in]E

- 24** No, international relations makes [bleak](#) fiction (4) [NOIR](#). NO + IR
- 25** [Twisters](#)/rocks ruined groups of sailors (10) [CORKSCREWS](#). (ROCKS)* + CREWS
- 28** Use and reuse place's building blocks [unaccompanied](#) (1,8) [A CAPPELLA](#). Letter bank of PLACE
- 29** A greeting coming and going! (5) [ALOHA](#). &lit (A + HOLA)<
- 30** Possessing absinthe meant I'm entertained while waiting (2,3,8) [IN THE MEANTIME](#). absINTHE MEANT I Mellowed

Down

- 1** After springtime, examination of a city official (7) [MAYORAL](#). MAY + ORAL
- 2** Best almost certain to not fail (7) [SURPASS](#). SUR[e] + PASS
- 3** A key row (5) [AISLE](#). A + ISLE
- 4** Super Bowl event left him a drunk (8) [HALFTIME](#). (LEFT HIM A)*
- 5** On a podcast, mentions of [worthwhile venues](#) (6) [SIGHTS](#). "cites"
- 6** Surrender military vehicle (4) [TANK](#). Double definition
- 7** Show off cocktail of raw eggs (7) [SWAGGER](#). (RAW EGGS)*
- 8** Trustworthy bridge supports [eco-friendly car](#) (6) [HYBRID](#). trustworthy BRIDGE
- 13** Incredible online photo (4) [EPIC](#). E + PIC
- 15** Regularly kneels at home (4) [NEST](#). kNeELs at
- 17** Handle kindergarten extremely enthralled by renovated cinema (8) [NICKNAME](#). K[indergarte]N contained in (CINEMA)*
- 18** Gracious rejection starts with something different (6) [GENIAL](#). [d](G)ENIAL
- 19** Am I chasing original [paperwork](#)? (7) [ORIGAMI](#). ORIG + AM + I
- 21** Uninitiated ascetic diving under wharf for [dumpling](#) (7) [PIEROGI](#). PIER + [y]OGI
- 22** Being sent every now and then over live [trap](#) (7) [ENSNARE](#). bEiNg SeNt + ARE
- 23** Dog noisily tearing in half cauliflower (6) [COLLIE](#). "collie" flower (phonetic deletion)
- 26** Chinese tea in group of hotels (5) [CHAIN](#). CHA + IN
- 27** Locate small cooking container (4) [SPOT](#). S + POT