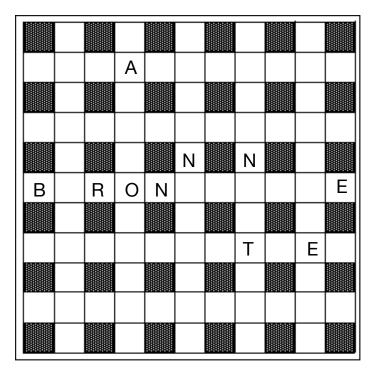
Crisscross Crunch

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This puzzle suffers a tight squeeze. The answer words read straight across or straight down, but they overlap by one, two, three, or four letters. For example, the answer "battLE" might overlap the answer "LEgs" by two letters and be entered as "BATTLEGS." The clues for Across and Down are in **alphabetical order** according to answers, and the word lengths are in parentheses. We've placed some letters to get you started.



ACROSS

Not dead yet (5) She returns to campus (6) British ballpoint (4) It comes in banks or sets (4) Playoff culmination (5) Ken with a Great Notion (5) Worth mentioning (7) Lennon mate (3) Glance over (6) Mortar partners (7) Records for the record (5) Arm bone (4) To some avail (6) Las ____ (5) Korean border river (4)

DOWN

Dickens's dodger descriptor (6) Watch brand (6) Abstaining from sex (8) Slippery swimmer (3) Newborn deer (4) Cager contingent (4) Hightailing it (7) Afghan city (5) Type of module or cycle (5) Pro league (3) Pleasant French locale (4) Greek endings? (6) Cowpoke moniker (3) E-smoker (5) Snake poison (5)