Harvard Puzzle "Namesake"

Parentheses around a clue mean that a letter must be omitted from the answer word before it will fit in the grid. Numbers in parentheses indicate lengths of answer words, and an asterisk * indicates a capitalized word.

Across

- 1. Hamlet's not back to cover Washington's inauguration (4)
- *(Parents holding an inverted hat) (6) 2.
- 3. (Grant for every Cambridge college) (6)
- 4. (Discharge from school within a certain time) 4. (Disqualify and reemploy about 100) (6) (8)
- 5. (Lover's small wagon) (5)
- 6. Bird in warbler nest (4)
- 7. Guard making father first of prisoners to hang (6)
- 8. (Renegade carelessly drops end of pipe bomb) (7)
- 9. Chalcedony from Les Ardennes (4)
- 10. Clare gets sick eating one pastry (6)
- 11. Victor exchanges note for excellent sausage (6)
- 12. **Mystery entry* (7)
- 13. (Don't start to toy with Johnson, for one) (5)
- 14. Wanted to have a stake (4)
- 15. (First recalibration of median) (6)
- 16. Horrid Ruth returned with a piece of excrement (4)
- 17. Hinged part of lock holds head of pin (4)
- 18. Sign is reversed in metonymy (4)
- 19. Bird leading fish (8)
- 20. Wheel obediently, keeping fold penned in (4) 20. Tobogganing without large weatherboards,
- 21. *(Milton Marx put mullet's head into soup instead of bass) (5)
- 22. (Creator disassembled power generator) (7)
- 23. (Permanently attached trim is less attractive finally) (7)
- 24. University membership expanded without resistance (4)

Down

- 1. (Maintain position around end of outer beach (6)
- 2. (Story about English cheer) (5)
- 3. I'm bored silly with banality (7)
- 5. Start to soar, fly, move rhythmically (5)
- 6. Conversation about Robinson's first map (5)
- 7. The grammatical classification of certain nouns is reflected in inferred negatives (6)
- 8. Carol and Audrey own a covered carriage (6)
- 9. (Perish freely, letting one become earth and sky) (6)
- 10. *(Bart Hurley takes in a Steve Gordon movie) (6)
- 11. Fabricate a flavor (4)
- 12. Artless Ivan traveling east (5)
- 13. (Medieval song's included as well) (4)
- 14. Planet's passage (4)
- 15. (Imagine 500, a very large amount) (5)
- 16. Generator installed in Ennis, Ireland (4)
- 17. . . . produced crazy expectations at first (4)
- 18. Cover with blame (4)
- 19. Deny being born to carry a gun (6)
- maybe (6)
- 21. Ape, being tailless, has energy to contend (4)
- 22. (Father Walter, the essayist) (5)
- 23. Fool's point about beginning of life (4)
- 24. (We initially shot bird from the Pacific side of the Mississippi) (7)
- 25. (Improbable onset of swag) (7)