Hints for Harvard Puzzle "Coach"

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

Across

- 1. (Clever George might have an edge) (5)
- 2. Numb and heavy with 500 instead of 50 (6)
- 3. Temperature dial going haywire with ups and downs (5)
- 4. Determined to trap stoat (6)
- 5. Cut part of press litter (4)
- 6. (Property includes registered claim) (6)
- At a central point, colt perhaps eats head of cabbage (5)
- 8. There, surprisingly, is what Michelson & Morley proved didn't exist (5)
- 9. Party item's scratched patina (6)
- 10. Beginning to change course (6)
- 11. (Viscous fluid from core of passion fruit) (5)
- 12. **Mystery entry* (3, 6)
- 13. Raised price before mother could get one (7)
- 14. (Wasteland's dead trees burned) (6)
- 15. New unfinished piece is a long poem (4)
- 16. *Arabic name is half right (5)
- 17. Frame cancelled lease (5)
- 18. *Moses crossing river (5)
- 19. *Name of adult insects (5)
- 20. (Dope is abused with ecstasy in one part of series) (7)
- 21. Very small note found inside bomb (6)
- 22. (Track bird) (4)
- 23. Some victims at the center might be put out (5)

Down

- (Break instrument at end of performance)
 (7)
- 2. Deliver evil curse with energy (6)
- 3. I deal in trouble, with time to expand (6)
- 4. (Talk about teen failing to get in) (9)
- 5. Expression about one figure of speech (6)
- 6. Fleet coming back loaded with fish (3)
- 7. Very small, ragged coat covers only half of Mimi (6)
- 8. Passed wrong cards (6)
- 9. Decayed matter and rotten mush will engulf you at the end (5)
- 10. Rosie's blooming willow (5)
- 11. (A bit of sweet English spirit or liquid)(5)
- 12. Some mothers might take note (4)
- 13. Injured male rod is not as mobile (5)
- 14. (Heart of artichoke crushed and beaten)(7)
- 15. Revise error uttered in French (4)
- 16. (Energy's captured by enzyme) (6)
- 17. Number observed: about five (5)
- 18. Carnivorous mammal in tree embracing female (6)
- 19. Maine outlawed an organic compound (5)
- 20. Lyon, rebuilt, is in a class by itself (4)
- 21. Turned on again by century survivor (6)
- 22. Child of phony parental generation (5)
- 23. Color containing a contaminating mark (5)