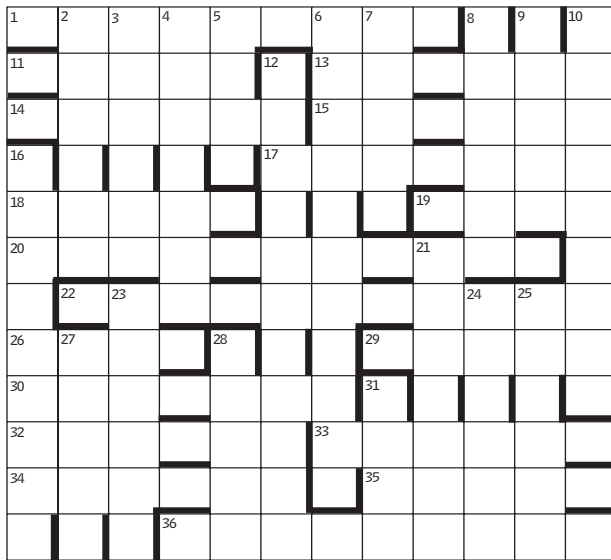


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ACROSS

- 1 An imposition, endless blinking lowly status for oldies (8)
- 11 Virus causing a leaf division to curl?(5)
- 13 Old dirge in death renewed (6)
- 14 Seed-case I found attached to Pacific tree, a palm (6)
- 15 Number in frilly drape, slightly wavy (6)
- 17 Those born in late spring acquire short skirts (certainly not long) (7)
- 18 Food containing minimum of taste, rank in France? More than one (5)
- 19 Old canto – it's bound in pink paper (4)
- 20 Dancing fourth reel with energy – it's used to get things in proportion (11, 3 words)
- 22 Church with little science put in hard stone that can decay but not fall off (11)
- 26 Poem that's upset one with depression (4)
- 29 See folly – such armorial shields! (5)
- 30 Nymphs etc head off for oracular shrine with cheers (7)
- 32 Silence following extract from *Für Elise*, a musical adornment (6)
- 33 Design augmented reality in flat (6)
- 34 Old octopus, say, lay gutted, devoured by ruff (6)
- 35 Name held by investigators recalled – when on this? (5)

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Across 7, dan(ger) & 2 meanings; 10, lin à deu(x); 14, o' r mall in NY; 15, E in anag.; 17, ye in Eng.; 19, i.e. pin ole; 23, hors era dish; 27, s(h)erry; 20, NZ in sea; ref. Kiri te Kanawa; 32, Audi tress.
Down 1, d + aunt; 3, ma in Penn; ref. US film actor; 4, 'you taxi'; 5, adult + anag.; 7, do + l(is); 8, rant in amah; 11, till (rev.) in aerated (qv); 15, anag. incl. N; 16, I in anag.; 18, I + anag. less E; 20, O + strea(m); 21, do is in it; 25, (he)arty.

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DESPERATE

- 1 Dr S. J. Shaw (1 Simfield Cottages, Langley Lane, Goosnargh, Lancashire PR3 2JS): Smash US TV series heaped woe for such housewives (*comp. anag. & lit.*).
- 2 R. J. Heald (Wakefield, W Yorkshire): Hairless? Hate being without one's wig (*desp(l's)e + rate*).
- 3 G. H. Willett (London SW19): At end of line? Fish in river has swallowed what's there (*ein sprat in Dee*).
- VHC D. & N. Aspland, M. Barley, Dr J. Burscough, Dr I. S. Fletcher, J. Grimes, D. Harris, R. J. Hooper, Mrs M. Janssen, D. F. Manley, T. J. Moore, C. J. Morse, D. Price Jones, P. A. Stephenson, P. L. Stone, R. C. Teuton, Mrs A. M. Walden, L. Ward (USA), R. J. Whale.

36 Teen party, dancing? Here's an attractive evergreen (9)

DOWN

- 2 Human kindness shown by repayment of debt, wad pocketed (6)
- 3 Practical lesson includes short section that's biting (6)
- 4 Lecturer getting keen about computer chip (7)
- 5 Strip of wood I cut off long stick (4)
- 6 Creates pets frolicking, a Lowry speciality? (11)
- 7 Survivor of flood ends with a declaration of faith (5)
- 8 Gathering includes American bird in close-fitting hat (6)
- 9 Meaningless question by fool (5)
- 10 Apple that may come from dark trees, grown wild (9)
- 12 Ecstasy displayed by four consecutive characters wandering in moorland flora (11, 2 words)
- 16 One mineral enclosing another hopper crushed round edge (9)
- 21 Peace-keeping measure shown by Brazilian diplomacy? (7, 2 words)
- 23 Handsome youth, No. 1 for ladies in a gypsy dance (6)
- 24 Place for chickens, to lay forming clutch that's dark brown (6)
- 25 Put a match to some boring list (6)
- 27 Concert hall to clean up? That takes yonks (5)
- 28 Seconds included among mock porcelain (5)
- 21 Some adore sleeping, having to get up otherwise (4)

The Chambers Dictionary (2011) is recommended.