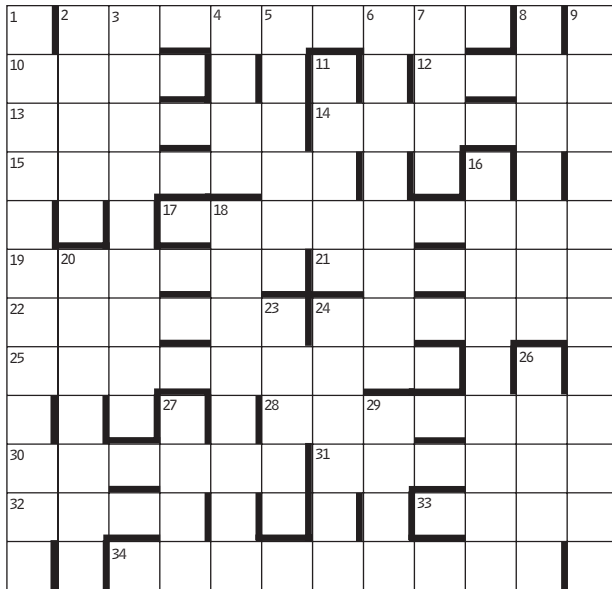


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## ACROSS

- 2** Gorbals scum, namely associated with endless brawl, very noisy (9)
- 10** Arty type in theatreland (book not succeeded) (4)
- 12** Rotten ordure? Take dead leaves – rake required (4)
- 13** Flowery spike, special, delivered to Flat 9? (6)
- 14** Plains taking devoted follower completely aback (6)
- 15** Night prayer, afternoon receding? Quail about that (7)
- 17** A dull tune played in sort of moony fashion? (9)
- 19** No longer secure about love returned, requiring decision from judge (6)
- 21** One fishing with net swallows his last protein constituent (6)
- 22** Little energy put into prank is soothing (6)
- 24** Money invested in hard wood for oriental vessel (6)
- 25** Ravana's trounced, guile repelled, in Hindu festival (9)
- 28** Berm transformed, mostly deposited as earthwork material (7)
- 30** Formerly cruel, male inside returned as a friend (6)
- 31** Purulent lung cavity? Most of voice is interrupted by me (6)
- 32** Polish house, some of them Jesuits in retreat (4)
- 33** Behave like old growlers? (Right answer is 'backwards') (4)
- 34** Flag from onset of nervousness during make-over? (9, 2 words)

## AZED 2,179 Solution & notes

C	L	U	M	P	D	O	P	S	U	B	E	R		
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**Across** 1, clu(b) MP; 8, (E)rebus (rev.); 13, anag. + ate; 14, 'earned'; 16, pant + a gruel + I in on; 19, alas ram (rev.); 23, anag. + H; 31, i.e. II in yea (rev.); ref. tennis; 33, ZA + it (rev.); 34, O in lens; 35 soras (rev.).

**Down** 2, a mol(l) (rev.); 3, rani in uc; 4, Arab in anag. incl. I; 6, hidden; bouncer = bold lie; 7, d in pau; ref. St Anthony of P.; 8, anag. less TT, & lit.; 9, (R)ural; 11, I in nilote (rev.); 15, an + anag. + is; ref. Proust, *Recollection of Things Past*; 22, (so) in in Hagar; ref. Genesis 16; 23, fado; Fa(L)do; 1st prize-winning clue by M. Barley in AZ No. 1,997.

## PRIZERULES

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## DOWN

- 1** One opposing reforms organized station curbs (12)
- 2** Does it occur when nothing takes place in endless play? (5)
- 3** Church, spacious, before Italian city's deprived of nice enamel work (9)
- 4** Incomplete fall following smear? (4)
- 5** Drudgery, holding nothing up in sort of communication (6)
- 6** One's left cellar nervously ... when it's given? (8)
- 7** Zap with pineapple or halved strawberries (4)
- 8** Portions within poem penned by Auden, English cut and moved around (7)
- 9** E.g. canon from Derry is worried about attributes? The opposite (7)
- 11** Some trees light up with a luminance at the top (5)
- 16** Seurat's head leaning round edge of easel, demonstrating pointillism? (9)
- 18** Rule in marriage: married wife's quit without pressing (8)
- 20** Lacking defence, like Venus famously? (7)
- 23** Caught a rabbit in lakeside genus? (5)
- 24** Dialect voice from Hertfordshire location, long time lost (6)
- 26** Ground-to-air pilot's guide in Alberta (Canada) (5)
- 27** Without artillery, day to surrender Scottish fort? (4)
- 29** Highland fog heads for mountains of southern Scotland (4)

*The Chambers Dictionary (2011) is recommended.*