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ACROSS

- 1 England's cricket captain who was succeeded by Ben Stokes in April this year (3,4)
- 5 Industrial city in Romania, the chief town of the Banat region (9)
- **10** Monetary unit of Peru (3)
- **11** Region of northern Italy, created in 1947, capital Bologna (6-7)
- 12 A now uninhabited islet off Mainland Orkney, originally believed to be the summer home of the Finfolk (9)
- 13 Items of food (7)
- 15 Keepers of goshawks (11)
- 17, 18 Teenage Swedish environmental activist best known for challenging world leaders about climate change (5.8)
- 20 Childhood flab (5,3)
- **23** Three regions in this country are Bio-Bio, Maule and Tarapaca (5)
- 24 Scotland's national football ground, famous for its "roar" (7,4)
- **26** Football team which moved its home ground from Upton Park to the London Stadium in 2016 (4,3)
- 27 Intervals between ordering and delivery of goods in supply chains (4,5)
- 29 The longest-ever continuously serving female MP in the House of Commons, dubbed "Mother of the House" by PM Theresa May in 2017 (7,6)
- **31** See 8
- 32 Fifth notes of musical scales or prevailing genes (9)
- 33 Removed the outer leaves and branches from
- sugarcane (7)

DOWN

- Historically, splint armour
 (9)
- 2 Film complex where The Lavender Hill Mob and The Ladykillers were filmed in the 1950s (6,7)
- 3 Outdoor (4-3)
- **4** "Give us a -----", Brucie's invitation to Anthea Redfern on *The Generation Game* (5)
- **5** ITV current affairs programme famed for exposing the National Front and for the "Death on the Rock" report (4,4)
- **6** The 1960s Liverpudlian music scene (6,5)
- 7 A judge's review of the evidence given to the jury, prior to them retiring (7-2)
- 8, 31 Taiwanese-US film director who made *Crouching Tiger, Hidden Dragon* (3,3)
- 9 Stretch of water between Kazakhstan and Uzbekistan which had largely dried up by 2010 (4.3)
- **14** German white wine originally made at a nunnery in Worms (13)
- 16 Birthplace of the composers Edmund Rubbra, William Alwyn and Malcolm Arnold (11)
- **19** Suggestive of the style of the playwright who wrote *The Caucasian Chalk Circle* (9)
- **21** Pays great attention to advice or warnings (5,4)
- 22 Newspaper's classified announcements (5,3)
- 23 Byre (7)
 - **25** Memorable facts worth observing (7)
 - **28** An iron cap spreading over the back of the neck (5)
 - **30** The largest of the Small Isles in the Inner Hebrides (3)

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