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ACROSS

- 1 The opposite of a plaintiff in a court of law (9)
- **6** A vessel usually of earthenware for holding or pouring liquids (7)
- **10** A Japanese form of address equivalent to Mr or Mrs (3)
- 11 Swedish author who was the first female winner of the Nobel Literature Prize in 1909 (5,8)
- 12 A cup or glass filled to the brim for drinking a toast (6)
- 13 A wasteful or fraudulent project, especially one paid for by the public (10)
- **16** Australian prime minister dismissed by the Governor-General in 1975 (5,7)
- 17 Ernst, Austrian physicist born in 1838 who has a number in fluid mechanics named after him (4)
- **19** A natural space between two consecutive teeth (8)
- **20** Of a motive, beyond what is stated or apparent (8)
- **22** A downward extension of a letter (4)
- **23** The locking device on a French window (12)
- **26** Dummy figures, often used for displays in shop windows (10)
- **27** A fungus that resembles a mushroom (6)
- 28 Acts of stopping and confiscating illegal goods that are being transported somewhere (13)
- **31** The Old Man of ---, red sandstone sea stack in Orkney (3)
- **32** Rupert, English actor who played Oscar Wilde in the 2018 film *The Happy Prince* (7)
- 33 A breech-loading rifle used by the French army in the late 19th century (9)

DOWN

- 1 A sack designed to hold material sucked up by a vacuum cleaner (4,3)
- 2 Technical term for tightrope walking (13)3 Tunnel-shaped structures,
- made of corrugated iron for military use (6,4) **4** A pointed instrument for
- boring small holes (3)
- 5 John, US actor who played Vincent Vega in the 1994 film *Pulp Fiction* (8)
- 6 An easy, straightforward task (5,7)
- 7 William, Irish novelist and short story writer noted for his novel *Fools of Fortune* (6)
- 8 Name of the seemingly omniscient computer in the 1968 sci-fi film 2001: A Space Odyssey (3)
- 9 A subsequent course of training or instruction to maintain one's standards (9)
- 14 The skills or work of a combatant in public fights in ancient Rome (13)
- 15 British architect and master builder who designed Osborne House on the Isle of Wight (6,6)
- **18** Words or phrases that have been recently coined (10)
- 19 An assumed surface in surveying for the measurement of heights and depths (5,4)
- 21 ------ needle, the light bar in a mariner's compass that always points to the north (8)
- 24 To convert information or data into code (7)
- **25** A vehicle for carrying the dead (6)
- **29** An equality in score or votes (3)
- **30** A chief or ruler in West Africa (3)

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