

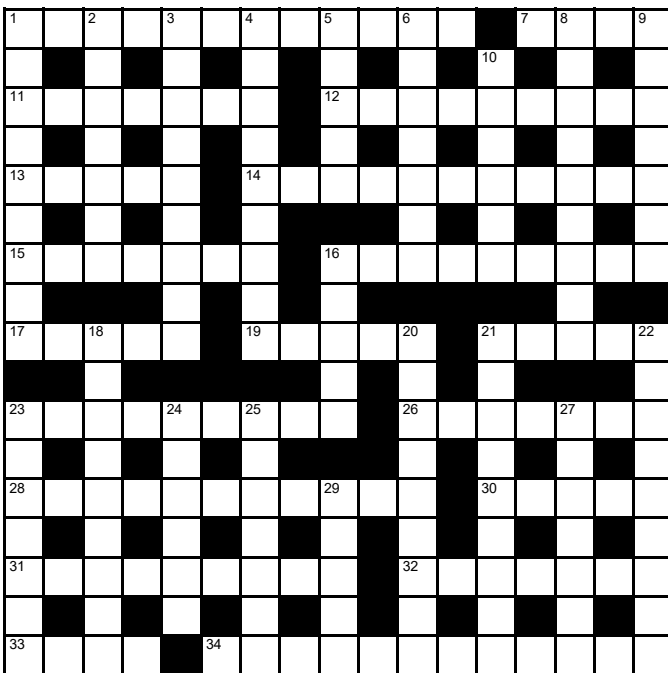
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ACROSS

- 1** Surrey and England cricketer who played in exactly 100 Tests (6,6)
7 UK public body dealing in employment law and arbitration (4)
11 US state referenced in R Dean Taylor's 1971 hit single (7)
12 Italian architect (1599-1667), leading exponent of Roman Baroque (9)
13 North American term for the arrival of full daylight (5)
14 UK No. 1 for the Stargazers in 1954 (1,3,3,4)
15 Inflammation of the middle layer of the eye (7)
16 Fine glazed pottery, typically white, introduced by Josiah Wedgwood (9)
17 Superhero of the *Masters of the Universe* franchise (2-3)
19 Island in Oceania whose main district is Yaren (5)
21 A group or set of six (5)
23 Pasta sauce made with bacon or ham, egg and cream (9)
26 Of which the *Wright Flyer* was the first successful powered example (7)
28 *The ___* ___, W Somerset Maughan novel (1925) (7,4)
30 Powerful irritant affecting vision and respiration used in riot control (2,3)
31 Scottish duo whose biggest hit was *Labour of Love* (3,3,3)
32 Road safety item patented by Percy Shaw in 1934 (4,3)
33 Ray Hildebrand's pseudonym (see 16 down) (4)
34 Ancient Greek polymath from Cyrene who has a moon crater named after him (12)

DOWN

- 1** Jack Nicholson's second film as director (1978) (4,5)
2 Of food, cooked but still firm when bitten (2,5)
3 South African author of *Cry, the Beloved Country* (4,5)
4 Former name of Stalingrad, used in 1589-1925 (9)
5 Card game for three players with a name derived from the Spanish for 'man' (5)
6 Unleavened Indian flat bread fried on a griddle (7)
8 Eldest of the brothers whose films include *A Night at the Opera* (5,4)
9 Of a lady, elegantly dressed and well-groomed (7)
10 Minister for Drought during the summer of 1976 (6)
16 Jill Jackson's pseudonym on her No. 1 US hit of 1963 with Ray Hildebrand (5)
18 Harriet ___, English writer and author of *Illustrations of Political Economy* (1832-34) (9)
20 The navel (9)
21 Playground game involving the tossing of a lagger onto a numbered square (9)
22 Judges of the Isle of Man judiciary (9)
23 Informal term in the UK for a police station (3,4)
24 Southern constellation which contains the south celestial pole (6)
25 One who offers a reason or proof as evidence (7)
27 American soul singer whose biggest hit was *Let's Stay Together* (2,5)
29 Country with coastlines on the Mediterranean, the Red Sea and the Gulf of Aqaba (5)



Solution 1,264

