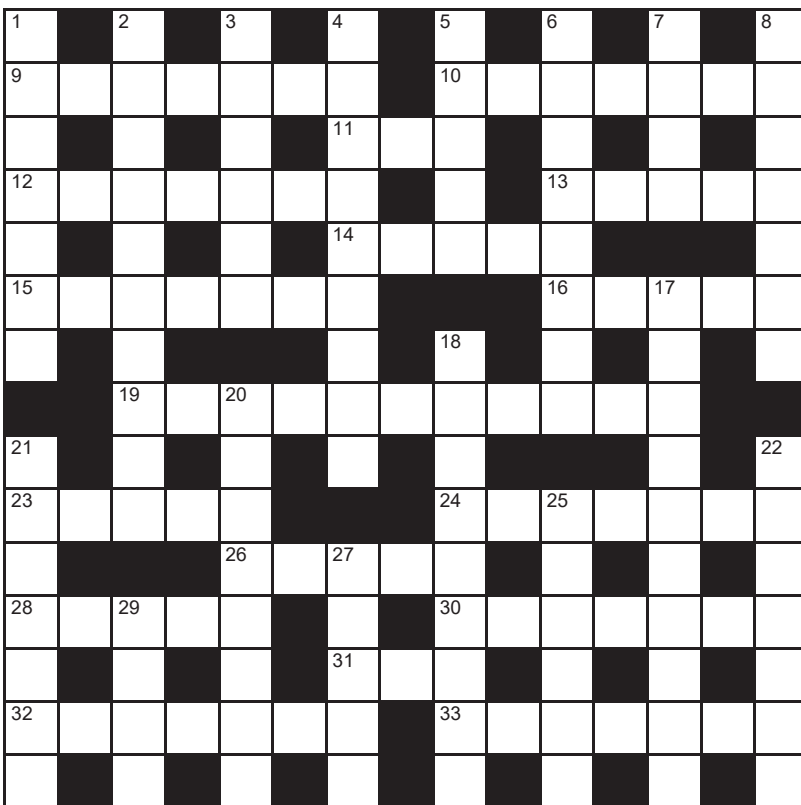


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ACROSS

- 9 Debt collector gone bananas in dark prison (7)
- 10 Flatter area mature relative at last tours (7)
- 11 Mark time following celebration (3)
- 12 Country drunk inside The French House (7)
- 13 Guide Penny away from drug dealer (5)
- 14 Sauce bottle (5)
- 15 Sensitive about article's defiant words? (2,5)
- 16 Man from East lassoing unknown beast (5)
- 19 Person greeting met cross-dresser, a future Buddha (11)
- 23 Advisers must have name for island chain (5)
- 24 Artist so-so in NY spoilt with three Oscars (4,3)
- 26 Hanging around in disarray (5)
- 28 After two school lessons 50 in danger (5)
- 30 Name right for dogged copper? (7)
- 31 No friend is false did you say? (3)
- 32 Dog dancing in short demonstration for cat (7)
- 33 Weaver a Romeo spots astride husband (7)

DOWN

- 1 Reverence vain lookers delivered? (7)
- 2 Unfortunately absent dodo's famous last words (3,2,2,3)
- 3/18 Hey Debs! With 7 5 endlessly foul, celebrate birth? (3,3,5,4)
- 4 Singles in Modi's land or Subianto's? (9)
- 5 See 7
- 6 Sir with this Protestant potentially unrighteous? (8)
- 7/5 Is it 21 31 keeping wife in tub content? (9)
- 8 Gossip from listeners in dried grass (7)
- 17 Indeed first-rate, onion upset Muslim leaders (10)
- 18 See 3
- 20 Cancel princess totally devoured by pig (8)
- 21 Creature in burning heap we hear after 5 am? (7)
- 22 Scowl from French where miracles occur? (7)
- 25 Kelvin joining an elite army unit in state (6)
- 27 Headless toy in sack (5)
- 29 Adult female almost raised capital (4)