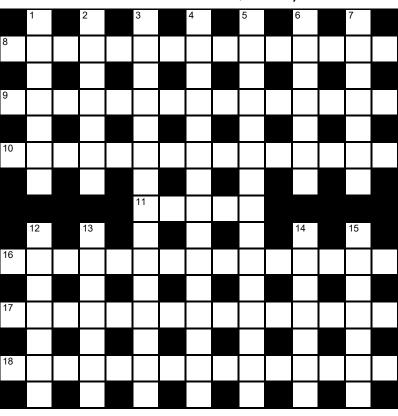
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- 8 News, I'm afraid, that my rebels will be ordered to capture policymakers (7,8)
 9 Unlikely to be affected by psychiatrist remaining uncontracted? (6-9)
- 10/11/16 Oh, is "No Rain" a hit? Hot, happy, high hopes thus when remixed (3,3,3,3,3,3,2,3,3,6)
- request for liaison (5,4,2,4) **18** Oxford institution solving the case of Beelzebub with ale, ordinarily (8,7)

17 Loud burst, typical of volume in tipsy

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out? (1,5,2,3,4)

- Jack and Henry treasure recording that's unfinished Handel oratorio (7)
 Woman lecturer is coming between me and sex (7)
- **3** Leave one's congregation a plant? (4-2-3-6)
- 4 Cheers relatives entering parliament, one way to approach problem (7,8)
 5 One G.M.T. Sumner, last man, 100 not
- **6** Do it in a time that's extraordinary (7)
- 7 Leonid Brezhnev's top punk group (7)
- **12** Explosive power too unstable in oven (7)
- **13** Perhaps old son's died in cold (7)
- **14** Spineless creatures here care about your setter! (7)
- **15** Chief island in group realised Gershwin's potential (7)