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ACROSS

1 Part of the artichoke (5)

4 Pleased with Sierra and Fiesta I'd fixed (9)

9 Cleaner and I abandoning German beside public toilet scratching backside (9)
10 Modernist novel's character that could be male or female — Orlando? (5)

11 Golfer cries when given the head of 3 wood (6)

12 Fling cat across stage, just missing director (7)

14 Approaches a river in 3 different directions (5)

16 Loiter under the influence alongside taxi car (9)

19 Old Frenchman cutting plant before landlady emptied well (9)

20 We hear about urologist's area of study, leading to boredom (5)

21 Liquid mop has over? (7)

24 Decline to get back together? (6)

27 A black Vauxhall finally departed in reverse (5)

28 Drink that is, in the morning, nicer combined with a doughnut? (9)

29 Possessed mind does start to envision bats (9)

30 Metal socket's covering something that might be electric (5)

DOWN

1 Screen the first two-thirds of 80s sit-com (4)

2 Blast to Saturn with a spaceman (9)

3 A crowd on the decking (5)

4 Suspect a cleptomaniac's smuggling picture (9)

5 At both sides of Toyota — left and right (5)

6 Underwater mobile article put in the sea with American backing (9)

7 Movie stars I see on the front of Sight and Sound (5)

8 Power-dressed woman spilled martini after party, getting cross (10)

13 Make out in collapsed dune then run to the top of beach (10)

15 Poland's lead runner wearing Polish jacket (9)

17 Lout turned up and cooked, enthralling new lover (9)

18 Both of Lowry's initials around the edges of pristine painting (9)

22 Get up thanks to this one large branch (5)

23 Fellow gang member breaking up massive stones (5)

25 Zips zip? (5)

26 Sam Cooke performed this single on the radio (4)