

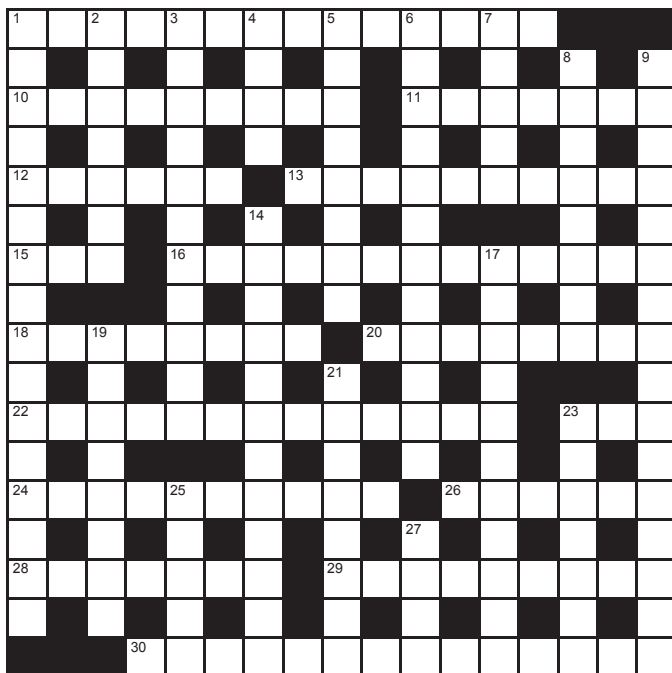
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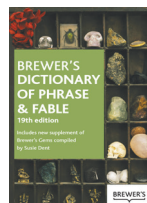
- 1 1954 Hitchcock crime mystery film starring Ray Milland and Grace Kelly (4,1,3,6)
- 10 Birds with a conspicuous chestnut-coloured tail (9)
- 11 A yellow, very brittle non-metallic element, atomic number 16 (7)
- 12 Mechanical model of the solar system (6)
- 13 Son of Cymbeline who was defeated by the Romans at Ludlow (10)
- 15 Basque Homeland and Freedom, a militant separatist organisation (3)
- 16 George Eliot's final novel (6,7)
- 18 Capital city at the junction of the Blue Nile and White Nile (8)
- 20 Essex home town of Sharon and Tracey in *Birds of a Feather* (8)
- 22 Verisimilitude (13)
- 23 The cat in Judith Kerr's children's books (3)
- 24 Body of water, 33 miles long, stretching from the Firth of Lorne to Fort William (4,6)
- 26 In Greek astronomy, the muse of astronomy (6)
- 28 A tombstone inscription (7)
- 29 City where the publishing firms A and C Black, Thomas Nelson and Chambers were located (9)
- 30 Stolen gemstone searched for by Jacques Clouseau (3,4,7)

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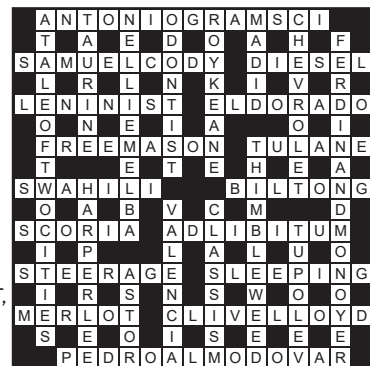
- 1 Three-act opera by Richard Strauss premiered in Dresden in 1911 (3,13)
- 2 Three of its seven parishes are Canillo, Encamp and Ordino (7)
- 3 Antidotes to poison, or the King of Pontus, 120-63BC (11)
- 4 Lady's fingers or gumbo (4)
- 5 Light dry white wine from the lower Loire valley (8)
- 6 Army command to get out of bed immediately and become active (4,3,5)
- 7 Israel's southernmost town situated at the head of the Gulf of Aqaba (5)
- 8 An old, slow, stately Spanish dance with Mexican origins (8)
- 9 Specialist in the study of solids with Unit Cells repeated in exactly the same arrangement (16)
- 14 The knack of gaining advantage over others which Stephen Potter popularised in his book of the same name (3-9)
- 17 Plant of the campion family, *Lychnis flosculi* (6,5)
- 19 Rebellious, lawless (8)
- 21 A hot, sweetened spiced Christmas drink in Germany and Austria (8)
- 23 A many-branched sacred candlestick used in Jewish worship (7)
- 25 Cary Grant's real name, Alexander ---- (5)
- 27 A flock of snipe (4)



Solution Polymath 1,010



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