Polymath 941 Set by Gozo

ACROSS
1 Scott novel or Tynecastle's team (5,2,10)
10 Periods of five years (7)
11 Reginald Kenneth Dwight (5,4)
12 7th century BC monarch, grandson of Sennacherib (12)
13 In the Harry Potter novels, Hagrid's over-sized boarhound (4)
15 Leopold, conductor of the Philadelphia Orchestra from 1912 to 1936 (9)
17 Birgit (1918-2005), the greatest Wagnerian soprano of her day (7)
19 Bitter purgative drug (5)
20 Active volcano in south-west Iceland (5)
21 Obsolete term for vinegar (5)
22 R&B superstar, married to Jay-Z, whose album Lemonade was released in 2016 (7)
23 Members of the teaching order of nuns founded by St Angela Merici of Brescia (9)
25 Joe, England cricket captain, successor to Alastair Cook (4)
27 A good caning (3,2,3,4)
30 Nautical rope used to prevent the fore-sheet fouling (9)
31 French department, capital Rodez (7)
32 Orange Monopoly property, two squares before “Free Parking” (11,6)

DOWN
1 Practitioners who treat the complete person rather than just the symptoms (7)
2 The study of 12 across and his kingdom (11)
3 Popular name of Escamillo's aria at the opening of Act 2 of Carmen (8,4)
4 An anatomical hollow or a catlike mammal of Madagascar (5)
5 Cole Porter song from Anything Goes, originally sung by Ethel Merman (1,3,1,4,3,2,3)
6 Residents of Kaunas, Klaipeda or Siauliai (11)
7 Annual US award for outstanding achievement in the theatre (4)
8 Race circuit which has been the venue for the San Marino Grand Prix (5)
9 Having nine sides (9)
14 Shakespearean term meaning “most beloved of all” (5-7)
16 Director of Midnight Cowboy and Marathon Man (11)
18 Actress who played Amy in Straw Dogs (5,6)
19 National Memorial -------, site of remembrance at Alrewas, near Lichfield (9)
24 A cloth with a cotton warp and a woollen weft (7)
28 An ancient territorial division, in Irish history (5)
29 A townsman at Cambridge University, or a shoemaker (4)

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