

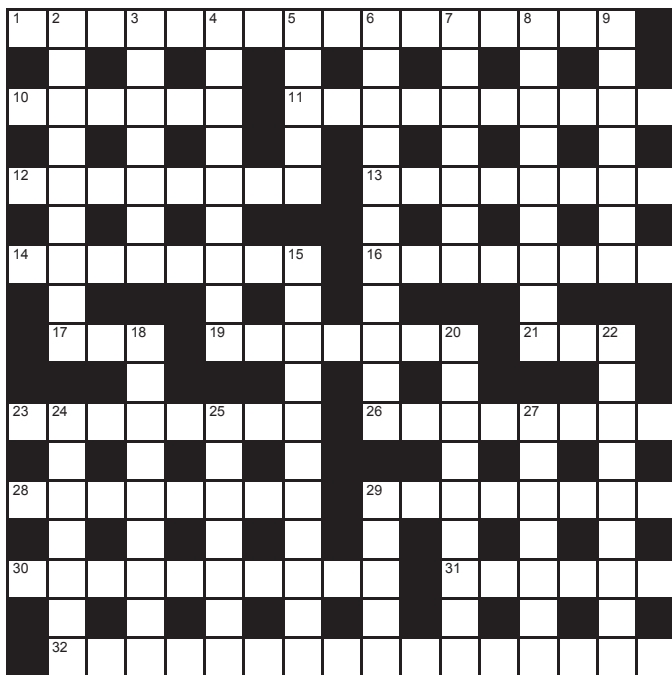
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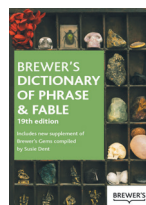
- 1 US TV variety show (1965-67) created by Dick Clark (5,3,6,2)
- 10 Press slang for unimportant pieces used to fill a paper (6)
- 11 Lack demand, especially in relation to a product (2,1-7)
- 12 Another name for a child's pushchair (8)
- 13 Force 1 on the Beaufort Scale (5,3)
- 14 Month in which Rosa Parks Day is celebrated in Ohio (8)
- 16 *Unfinished* -----, 1991 UK hit for Massive Attack (8)
- 17, 21, 32 Popular song featured in the 1929 film *Gold Diggers of Broadway* (6,7,3,6)
- 19 Mammal native to the US whose young are called kits (7)
- 21 See 17
- 23 Botanical term for a rudimentary stem (8)
- 26 Japanese electronics and video games manufacturer (8)
- 28 A cross between a thoroughbred stallion and a native French or English mare (8)
- 29 A champion of the people like Robin Hood (4,4)
- 30 A visual artist such as Carl Giles (10)
- 31 Bowl-shaped section of the ear nearest to the ear canal (6)
- 32 See 17

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- 2 UK police drama (1992-2010) (9)
- 3 Island site of the first English settlement in what is now North Carolina (7)
- 4 Area on the south bank of the Liffey in Dublin (6,3)
- 5 Son of the Earl of Gloucester in *King Lear* (5)
- 6 Cornish port and film set for dramas such as *Poldark* (11)
- 7 Mini biscuit originally made by Huntley & Palmer (4,3)
- 8 Medieval transport used for the emptying of outside lavatories (5-4)
- 9 Sea creature also known as the Common Mola (7)
- 15 The Gibraltarian dialect (4,7)
- 18 Defender who made 317 appearances for Manchester United (1989-98) (9)
- 20 Legal term, literally "it does not please" (3,6)
- 22 Position of one advanced to advisor by virtue of age (9)
- 24 Stopped or suspended (7)
- 25 The Japanese tea ceremony (7)
- 27 Systematic name of acetaldehyde (7)
- 29 One of the big three credit rating agencies (5)



Solution Polymath 1,023



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