

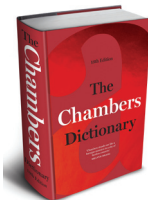
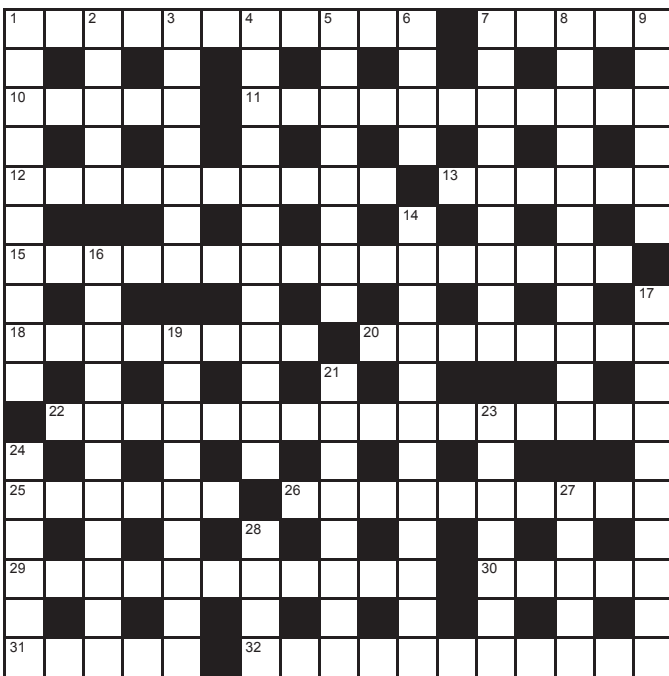
Polymath 965 Set by Bradman

ACROSS

- 1 Incendiary devices also called Molotov cocktails (6,5)
- 7 A member of a priestly caste of ancient Persia (5)
- 10 Rosemary, actress who died in 2017 (5)
- 11 A fabric made in Devon and used for Queen Victoria's bridal dress (7,4)
- 12 Mechanical devices used by motorists when changing speed (4,6)
- 13 Unit of fineness, for example for silk (6)
- 15 A distance of approximately 93 million miles (12,4)
- 18 Plymouth Argyle's football stadium (4,4)
- 20 An unstable radioactive element with atomic number 85 (8)
- 22 A statue of Helios, one of the Seven Wonders of the Ancient World (8,2,6)
- 25 The outer layer of an organ such as the kidney (6)
- 26 American singer who had a No. 1 hit with "Can the Can" (4,6)
- 29 Welsh privateer who became Lieutenant Governor of Jamaica (5,6)
- 30 A hypothetical structure in a particular theory of heredity (5)
- 31 A type of shot in billiards or snooker with the cue held almost vertically (5)
- 32 Kidney vetch or a type of sponge cake (5,6)

DOWN

- 1 The recording of physiological changes, as used in lie detection (10)
- 2 A military or police station in India (5)
- 3 A Shakespearean character whose distrust of his wife led to his downfall (7)
- 4 A type of approach in psychology focusing primarily on environmental factors (12)
- 5 A railway line using a single track (8)
- 6 The voluntary immolation of a Hindu widow (4)
- 7 Aztec ruler whose "revenge" is associated with diarrhoea (9)
- 8 An antibiotic named after a Danish bacteriologist (10,1)
- 9 A reef of rock or a small rocky island (6)
- 14 Words in two languages that appear to be similar but which have different meanings (5,7)
- 16 "Beat loud the -----, let the trumpets blow" (*Troilus and Cressida*) (11)
- 17 A toy weapon ejecting pellets through a tube (3-7)
- 19 A convert to a different religion, especially to Judaism (9)
- 21 Made (eg a pain) less intense (8)
- 23 Harry, a famous American escapist (7)
- 24 Supposed birthplace of William, noted for his philosophical razor (6)
- 27 A box-office failure for Lionel Bart (5)
- 28 The flesh of the lower cheek (4)



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