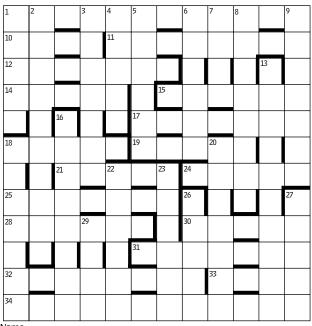
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ACROSS

- 1 Smart diver once swam with bells on in wreck, mile submerged (12)
- **10** Tribal division united behind return of their settlement? (4)
- 11 Procession accompanying president (say) to college replaces bass in early song (8)
- 12 Top monarch, 'arsh and not wholly sound (7)
- **14** Women in bed discovering Jock's agile, ... (5)
- 15 ... His lover thereat emptied out 'er pad (6)
- 17 Alien Laplander heading westwards once degraded (7)
- **18** Porter in dock as 'exterminator'? (5)
- 19 Orcadian race, ancestry's final pair changing places (5)
- **21** Afternoon special abbreviated with sir wretchedly getting stuck in lift (5)
- **24** Ladder? I missed it being trapped by snake (5)
- 25 Pisano works, including one preparatory drawing (7)
- 28 Reporter on start of Mail article (6)
- **30** Loco in retirement, fifth going? First in line in earlier days (5)
- **31** Keeps bobbing head, endlessly donnish, excited about degree (7)
- **32** Artificial homage paid of old and not once accepted (8)
- **33** Bravo, male, enormous, but lacking any aspiration (4)
- **34** It helps to keep trunks upright, yet transpose misaligned torsoes (12)

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DOWN

- 1 Early form of waistband not a word! holds in the middle (5)
- 2 Waste that is evident in hospital area gets one longing for peace? (10)
- **3** Runs over child that has broken rule about dog (7)
- 4 Dog from Finland or part of Slovakia lady reared (5)
- **5** Pedlar of earthenware, one into robbery with violence (6)
- **6** Love being hugged by sweet tailless chimp (6)
- 7 Frighten off sea-fish for a spell (according to e.g. Cornishmen) (4)
- **8** One providing brewer with supplies if unloaded from hoist in season (8)
- **9** Van, not very active, on the way out Black Maria? (7)
- 13 'Go to work on an egg' and do put a spring in your step? (10)
- **16** Dope in factory, noisy (8)
- **18** Butcher bone in leg of mutton thin cuts (7)
- **20** What shone —'s altered? One tarnishes maybe (7)
- 22 Bar often depressed special bitter almost half reduced (6)
- 23 Discharge from wounds that is bottled by hospitals (6)
- **26** Where salmonnest? That is not seen in river swirls (5)
- 27 Invest euros initially to outdo rings (5)
- 29 Contents of palm interpreted showing fortune (4)

The Chambers Dictionary (2008) is recommended.