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ACROSS

- **2** Laugh raucously, gold having been lost from primitive boat carrying king (6)
- 8 Jackdaw with dry grass nested in African tree (5)
- **13** Wind becoming moister and giving ten baths is from the east (5)
- 14 Rick demonstrating way Hom cooked (6)
- 15 Pros clubs installed? They'll take you for a ride (6)
- **16** Homework to bring for ward when one's knocked off (4)
- 17 Advanced, this involves twisting of toes (9)
- 18 Time progressed copper turned in imps it shows nothing lasts (13)
- 21 Waterbuck on an old gold coin (5)
- **23** A dish, shimmering, one that's achieved perfection (5)
- 25 Romans exemplify this? Wrong it is Catilina Cicero ultimately trounced (13)
- 26 One paints broad townscapes, representing vastitude (9)
- **29** Seek rejected players (4)
- 30 Steamy boiled rice, 'eated within (6)
- **31** Aureste, composition of Delibes abandoned by learner (6)
- **32** Slaying in Shakespeare, as that in Gallic lines (5)
- **33** Old lock, rusty at its centre, sea's ruined (5)
- 34 Being well-endowed, i.e steeped in riches typically? (6)

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 $\begin{array}{l} \textbf{Across 1, cat (31); cf. purs; 4, wept (30);} \\ (w)e(p)t + rennes; 10, against (33); 11, poet (17); comp. anag; 12, dressing (5); anag, inrip; 13, fine (23); anag, less f; 15, command (25); G1 + (a)gue; 16, run (14); 18, limit (6); verd(in) in 00; 23, withdraw (28); ret in nip (all rev.); 24, position (29); 0is in win + age; 26, conscience (9); 28, pigment (18); pin Troic; ref. Priam, king of Troy; 29, neighbourhood (24 Ac.); vie w + oin pint; 30, presents (11); ref. legendary minstrel who helped Richard; 31, stud (qv) (27); 32, stop (3); st(op) + anag; 33, next (7). \end{array}$

Down 1, colour (21); toner in Sn; 2, single (26); 1+ anag; 3, streaked (4 AC); (Erica) Rowe (the 'fwickenham Streaker', January 1982) in sord'; 4, stuck (8); mein (B)erlin; 5, return (12); rut (rev.) in anag; 6, harass (22); 7, garment (1 AC.); 8, coat (1Dn.); agent inma; 9, sore (15); or + red (rev.); 14, annoying (16); ked in saddle; 17, enlarger (32); 19, spoiled (20); 20, doctor (4 Dn.); tin sick + ti; 21, rocky (19); adj; 22, turn (13); linh care (rev.); 24, yarn (2); 25, jg (24 Dn.); 27, hint (10); anag. less h.

DOWN

- **1** Petroleum by-product, shoddy stuff fed to a runner (7)
- 2 English 'croci' (faulty form), type with 13 points? (6)
- **3** Good-looking mount what's unclear about framing? (4)
- 4 Colours I can get twinkling in church chandelier (11, 2 words)
- **5** Choice lean fillet (4)
- 6 Knocked chemist up, i.e. as 'tired and emotional'? (11)
- **7** Old-style lamentation boozer raised about short time with measure (7)
- 9 This acid can oxidize about time your siphon is replaced (11)
- **10** Employment limited by a CEO was diverting (6)
- **11** One practising physical discipline twice likewise curtailed that drink (4)
- 12 Prods, maybe? How all working long shifts get started (4)
- **19** Groovy disci.e. incorporating new hit? (7)
- 20 Woodland plant cut endlessly when in demand (7)
- 22 Aggressive Yank, knife cutting deep (6)
- 24 Around first year of millennium old saint lies prone? (6)
- 26 Hard-wearing shoes, black, strength all round (4)
- 27 Eastern field where philosophers gathered (4)
- 28 Wherein you may see some inculcate chemistry? (4)
- **29** Son's taken off hat don't remove (4)

The Chambers Dictionary (2011) is recommended.