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ACROSS

- 1 Daughter entering from the back uncovers mummy's hidingplace (6)
- **6** Something to accompany soup course in uni? It's distributed around (6)
- **11** Orchestra after signal to begin in this is not dressed up (6)
- 12 Copper introducing standard of high authority (6)
- 13 Balm tree dispersed in the manner of poet's aspen (8)
- **14** One's against being taken in by Liz, indicating lack (8)
- **15** Note once used in revolutionary carmagnole (5)
- 16 Famous doctor up against first of killers this? (5)
- 17 Ordinary poly with Latin in translation according to choice (10)
- 20 See melting thaw worsen result of blizzard? (10)
- **23** Complaint from side of pitch against English! (5)
- 24 Indian chariot, one found beside ancient hill fort (5)
- 26 Like mites etc, dry, kept in a tin (8)
- **28** Mood lacking in people for traditional hunt (8)
- 29 Old Greek coin, one affirms (6)
- **30** One strongly against chemical sprays wanting one cut out? (6)
- **31** Planet's satellite: it's not one containing $\rm C_2H_5$ for the most part (6)
- 32 Less resolution after setback? They'll show that in part (6)

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PRIZERULES

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DOWN

- **1** Berry about to summon baking dish (7)
- 2 Become over-rich in nutrients, Hopi eructate wildly (12)
- **3** Some cellarer uncorked what's judged worth a second sampling (5)
- **4** Sprinkling derris root initially on border (8)
- **5** Narrow cord jerkin, might one suppose? (6)
- 6 Clears damaged optic membrane (6)
- 7 Mark in score Monteux's following top to bottom (5)
- 8 Follow course colleges as a group introduced in feeble fashion (6)
- 9 The last moment, when conflict ended? (12, 2 words)
- **10** Long journey requiring inner energy for river bird (5)
- **18** E.g. greenhouses, lot with panes (not the first) broken (7)
- **19** Songs rarely found ... but frequent in Christian Science (7)
- 20 Grab forty winks in part of w/e? (6, 2 words)
- **21** Boots for birds, spotted with scarlet lining, pulled up (6)
- 22 Babe once ready for solids, tiny learner, one held (6)
- **23** Granny's girdle lying unused by the sound of it (5)
- **25** Snake, what you'll find in the centre of Greece? (5)
- 27 No longer eager to remove stone from Scottish valley (4)

The Chambers Dictionary (2014) is recommended. Surprisingly, it does not give an abbreviation used in **20 Down**.