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under (8, 2 words)

1 Before dance, I note dons squiffy in Kingston duty-free? (10, 2

12 Water plants or wood sorrel disfigured half of loughs in Ireland (10)

13 Love heading off in a mass for shortish holiday in Scotland? (4) **14** The French sir teased in lessons (5)

35 It feeds on rotten bit of steak - yielding this? (10)

15 Function of maths, skill one has got in college (6)

16 Muses perhaps, second missing in set passage? (6)

17 US plan for ME, drama unfolding with PLO left out? (7, 2 words)

19 Romanian's money | steal back (4)

20 Freshwater mussels found in wild tarn? A lottery down

22 Substance that does not attract dust or foul attaints (8)

24 Agent's first to last to speak in old-fashioned slang (4) 26 University pedant rambling off the record? (7)

29 Boaters once tipping over unpopular fellow on board? (6)

31 What samurai wields in attack at an adversary (6) 32 Gives profit in high-street store (5)

33 Florida contains the extremes of uneatable food (4) **34** Mac is programmed to accept 'Big Beef' hi-fi sound system (10)

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- 2 Monetary unit, a tiny thing in New York it's studied clinically (12) **3** Band with zilch taking in bum US operatic style (8, 2 words)
- 4 Turkish soldier staggering up, clipped both ends (5)
- **5** Stupid Scots fellow with northern cunning (7)
- **6** Dip includes bit of caster sugar (4)
- **7** Czech currency stronger when joining Union initially (6) 8 SA blokes one confused with us (5)
- 9 Fine US state abandoned sense inevitability (12)
- **10** Sun out, fish free from casts? (7) 11 Round in pub? That's often blue one (4)

27 Wasting time, stay endlessly (5)

- 18 Time of suspended growth once satisfied rising employment (8) **19** Feature of strings old soul put with brass wrongly (7)
- 21 Hybrid garment in a knit that's unravelled (7)
- 23 Old soak scatters splashes of soda everywhere (6) 25 Court the old man closed about one (5)
 - 28 The little boy brought up as fostered bairn (4) 30 A little pigeon (4)

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