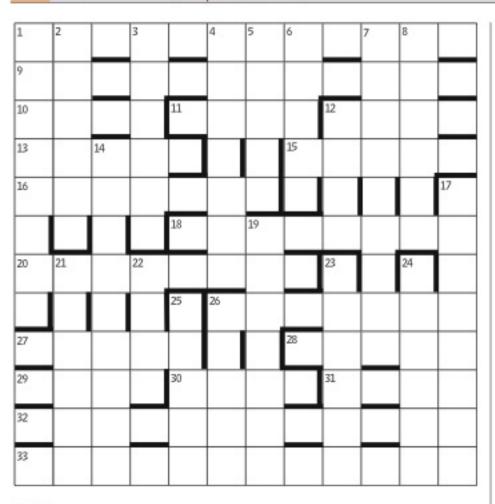
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### ACROSS

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- Reduced species, one confined, let out its re-entry requires careful control (12, 2 words)
- 9 With thick walls, happy, c-carouse endlessly, wildly (12)
- 10 Owl? Number flying off to hunt twice (4)
- 11 Certain times, so we're told, will produce such a fog (4)
- 12 A little Scotch and cold water vessel (4)
- 13 US private is briefly introduced to general's PA? (5)
- 15 Love, yen for darling (5)
- 16 Lanced boils by end of taper who'd provide lighting? (7)
- 18 Rank and file in disorder with start of enemy's raking fire (8)
- 20 Supporter of psychiatric ideas depended on drink one consumed (8)
- 26 Something for tea a little fish? (7)
- 27 Crow, or crow (both local) (5)
- 28 Northern bird song containing little depth (5)
- 29 Turn on board almost finished after end of term (4)
- 30 Enclosure for highland cattle released when opening's removed (4)
- 31 Train limited you can't expect many runs from it (4)
- 32 Gold-like alloy in spiral fixed with cement (12, 2 words, apostrophe)
- 33 As specialised nester, see fish initiate gathering (12)

## AZED 1,835 Solution & notes

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## **PRIZE RULES**

£25 in book tokens for the first three correct solutions opened. Solutions postmarked no later than Saturday to AZED No.1,838, The Observer, 3-7 Herbal Hill, London ECIR SEJ

Across 1, inwit + hash out; 12, pell in a capa; 15, (b)aked + ah; 20, i.e. she-ettin; 24, y in Ems (German river); 26, toll (rev.) in AS; 34, sv side<sup>1</sup>

**Down** 2, UK agon (all rev.); 5, he a + H in then; 6, cf. 'apeless'; 8, (e)Im in anag; 10, parable + psy(che); 16, RAF I all in see; 20, h aria all in st; 25, a in Mich.; 27, hidden; see swinge<sup>1</sup>; 28, oui alternating with c, l; 30, anag. of alternate letters.

## AZED No. 1,835 Prizewinners

1 Tony Butler, Manchester 2 John & Barbara Chennels, Farnham, Surrey 3 Michael Berry, London W14

### DOWN

- 1 Deer complains when going up climb in the Cairngorms? (8)
- 2 Friend going round the States as a short break (6)
- 3 Gum setting hard in galley? (6)
- 4 Inlaces flexed muscles (7)
- 5 Bully has almost loveless love (5)
- 6 Fungus beginning to eat into bean, old (5)
- 7 What comes out when one's wounded in company, not without feeling? (9)
- 8 Dr Luke strangely read only on the Net (6)
- 12 There's no fool like this expendable group member (4)
- 14 Protease inhibitor in meal reduced by half, split up (9)
- 17 Ancient mound in sandy tract it may adorn book cover (8)
- 19 Mirror famously revealed this exposure, splitting party (7)
- 21 Rich orange and gold, tincture captured by academician (6)
- 22 Microwave? Redo cod with this: it's undercooked badly (4)
- 23 Treble made a mess of piano song? Far from it (6)
- 24 Types of consonant veiled by some diagreses (6)
- 25 See, I've torn off perforation some time ago (5)
- 26 Groom displaying pin for kilt? (5)

The Chambers Dictionary (2003) is recommended.