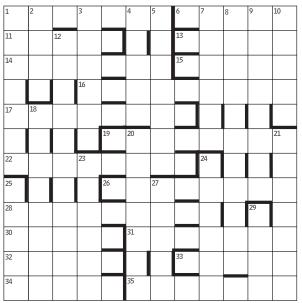
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ACROSS

- 1 Coffee morning? Trail round with small child in tow (7)
- 6 Mansion's cold inside? Envious one responsible for rent (5)
- 11 A bit of Georgia's money changeable for a rial (5)
- 13 Crystal, special company when in love (5)
- **14** Cancerous agent very little short of powerful, curtailed (7)
- **15** Cricketer made runs in singles? (5)
- 16 Carnival time tipple knocked back before rag is arranged (9, 2 words)
- 17 Nutrition gone haywire: in short it's mash of hops and rye (8)
- 19 E.g. Derby, just the thing? Get away! (8, 2 words)
- 22 Source of fodder, leafy, hid nuts (8)
- **26** Writ resulting from coach reversing, one wrongly going into dad (8)
- 28 Descriptive of rhetoric spoken when curbing a riot, disorderly (9)
- 30 It was worn by Scottish women, and lots in Thailand? The opposite (5)
- 31 Almost solicit beginnings of rudimentary organisms under lab conditions? (7, 2 words)
- 32 Great Dane: what one might be without lead, that is given runs (5)
- 33 Pedestal, breadth unaltered (5)
- **34** Nets, in the main unspecified (5)
- **35** Dépêche Mode's losing supposed force, say when retiring (7)

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Across 1, E same in soil; 12, Yuko(n); ref. 1898 gold rush: 13, m + anag.: 15, v, v i.e. all in bed; 23, a poll 0; ref. Rupert Brooke, poem by Frances Cornford; 26, cf. Slav; 31, i.e. (all vowels) but an e; 33, hidden rev.; 35, anag. with hh, & lit.

Down 3, bo bik(e)s (all rev.); 5, anag.; up = amiss; 6, m(o)b in ore; 7, over in lat; 9, pen-name of Marie Louise de la Ramée (1840-1908); 11, pe + redd (rev.): 21, i.e. 'tailless' cat + anag.: 22, comp. anag.; 24, hidden; ref. (Chipping/High) O.

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DOWN

- 1 Squaw weaving cloth OK (7)
- 2 Large plate, antique: one'll feed sixty (4)
- 3 Alternative to bellows, maybe, woman raised with jerks (6)
- **4** For Pierre, his beloved restrained in panic her extravagance (5)
- **5** Composer pockets schilling, coin put inside his new coat? (7)
- Radio chat (vapid), producer-generated stuff (6)
- 8 Cliff (or Mark) firmly fixes ledges for Scotch (11)
- **9** What'll spur purposeful behaviour, feasible in what's positively charged (8)
- **10** Former champ's termination of bout, top-class? (5)
- 12 Close friend, fellow grabbed by nursemaid showing passion for e.g. ASBOs (11)
- 18 Losing one's cool at the wheel, an obstacle to progress with deer around (8, 2 words)
- 20 Wherein pupils learn for themselves, and sir um he's knocked off (7)
- 21 Subject discussed on gardening programme? Listener enters card (7, 2 words)
- 23 Fill out staff attendance forms internally (6)
- **24** Goal is, deviously, to lampoon the Church in verse (6)
- 25 Greek department it's certainly not the majority failing to finish (5)
- *27 Overindulge (5)
- 29 Gangster's lost and in penitentiary (4)

The Chambers Dictionary (2003) is recommended. Two proper names may be unfamiliar.