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## ACROSS

1 Hindu convert to Islam changed by hadj, OK? (6)
6 Fixed point in depression recalled e.g. Electra (7)
11 Pair of animals among Noah's reproduced - praise be! (7)
12 Dirty old Muslim chief protected by British Empire initially (6)
14 Put down national airline (forget the rest)? (4)
15 Old love affair involving gypsy and one of the family (7)
16 Buck briefly filled with obsessive desire concerning estate? (8)
18 Liveliness displayed by tailless antelope (4)
19 Twiggy maybe showing full range inside underwear department? (5)
20 Line on skull not available in true colours after operation (13,2 words)
23 Class no longer part of college, I see, backward (5)
25 Component of kina, or china possibly? Nothing in it (4)
29 Hot in PE, aorta throbbing - one collapses readily (8, 2 words)
30 Let down in France that involved sou after small advance (7)
31 Parrot in captivity rolled over (4)
32 Grand American goes round Rio, crazy for local timpani? (6)
33 I'll be kept in during study period - it's temporary (7)
34 Film covers e.g. XXXX can's opening (7)
35 Articles with 'teeth' almost stop backing English (6)

AZED 1,883 Solution \& notes


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Across 2 , is trio n all in his $m ; 13$, comp anag.;17, snips nap; 20, ol(I've) + dish; 24, t in hurle(d); 25, eme for I in sister (qv); 30, comp. anag.; 31, S in anag.; 32, i.e. Swede with I for we = side; 33, cf. shoe.
Down 1, a gnu's cast + us; 2, i.e. (Robin) Hoo(d) ha(d); 4, t + anag.; 5, ref. R. Hill, originator of postal service; 8 , $s$ in inanity; 9 , w(as) in san; 12, she + H in anag.; 16, lammi(n)g ER; 18 , ris(e) in pluie (Fr. = rain); 21, dr(am) + anag.; 26, men + alternate letters; $28, w+$ awe; ref. US military tactic in e.g. Iraq.

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1 Spinning like Gandhi? You could end up with this linge (5)
2 Feeding wholly on organisms (three eggs scrambled with zilch) (8)
3 Automatic recording device, a lot randomized within obelus (10, 2 words)
4 Japanese granny displays such spiritual knowledge (5)
5 E.g. croup a nag loosely holds on the spot (6)
6 Greek letter in moral stories illustrating oversight (11)
7 A cerebral department taken up Congo river known for disease (5)
8 Glow no longer seen from within element ((4)
9 Skirt worn for ceremonies more and more in Rome (6)
10 Axis maybe encompassing last in Soviet block? (5)
13 Slaver ante meal's specially prepared recipe (10)
17 Plant collections providing wherewithal for Alpert song? (8)
21 King with moral justice almost avenged in Shakespeare (6)
22 Earthenware containers arranged as nest (6)
23 Metalworker's tool, depression on end of blade (5)
24 Rummage for practical purpose (5)
26 Ordinary degree lecture? (5)
27 A little light Scotch providing portion of tasty medicine (5)
28 Duck occupying most of its frequent location, an Indian tree (4)
The Chambers Dictionary (2003) is recommended.

