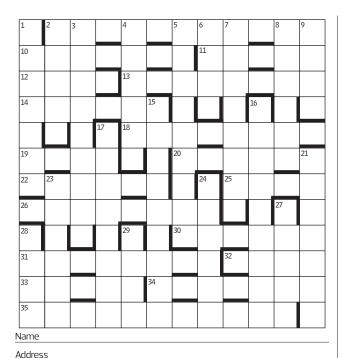
# AZED No. 2,037 Plain



## ACROSS

2 Sink beside bar, tavern's first drinking fountain (11)

**10** A place for corpses (mostly) of battles fiercely fought (7)

11 Palm's first sign of leaf in Orcadian spring (5)

**12** Art review possibly penned by Theocritus (4)

13 Anything but soothing ointment disheartened the French (8)

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**14** Sort of coppery drinking vessel, ornate, slightly chipped (6)

**18** Caribbean religion, originally Erastian (8)

**19** Contralto in Covent Garden Seabird (4)

**20** Germany: everything there is rapid (6)

**22** A famous Crimean event? Right away Tennyson wrote of such pain (6)

**25** Amateur entering obstructed old race (4)

**26** Spenser's the choicest, having the edge in verse? *Not* that (8)

**30** Name in court case involving threesome (6)

**31** Sprayed oil over a vessel for eggs (8)

**32** Jock's full of beans (what he eats without recipe stokes) (4)

**33** Boxes, retreating: therefore looks something like *this*? (5)

**34** Trousers stocked for ages in the past (but not now) (7, 2 words)

**35** Artist spent wildly, installed in gallery with crosswise partitions (11)

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Across 1, hips t in witch; 11, ha(s) in hit; 12, shav(e) + anag; 13, act in ovolo; 17, pirate less.le. + t; 19, last letters; 26, anag. + s; 29, 't in bye; 30, moly in anag.; 33, tend in anag.

Down 2, (s) hiver; 4, tact in some + ret (rev.); 5, (mous) tach (e); 7, brow in anag; 8, Perca in lul(l); 9, qor a + n; 10, 3 meanings; 15, mbet in a tag (rev.); 21, sk (is) + Lent; ref. Scott ish ski resort; 22, am b(E) er; see a. fluid; 25, i.e. if n is an men becomes mean.

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## DOWN

- 1 Important exam Charles put before a casino game? (7)
- **2** Abandon insignificant drudge (5)
- **3** Shakespearian fool, tease with hard-hearted 'Ciao' possibly? (9)
- 4 Trite remark is evident among brassy group abandoning pets?(6)
- **5** Law expert about to destroy tale-teller? (9)
- **6** Old lizard one who might have treated it laid beneath earth (4)
- 7 Tip (not for just anyone): goods should include stocks to be sold (8)
- **8** Film one with a drink problem after start of treatment (6)
- 9 At being rejected, deal with wife no longer faithful (4)
- **15** Issued with nothing in peripheral part? It offers small chance to shine (9)
- **16** Supporter of royal claimant, unproductive, is involved in a scrap (9)
- **17** E.g. steel plate form can vary protecting horse's head (8)
- **21** Like a slab left in line with stone over foot of grave? (7)
- 23 Beggar, cold, given support by rowdy party-goer? (6)
- **24**Ruler rarely inhibited by danger entertains (6)
- 27 Cloudy over Scots ski centre? No more go for local run (5)
- **28** Part of wit couples displayed first to last (4)
- 29 Beer, a mistake when it goes the wrong way (4)

The Chambers Dictionary (2008) is recommended.