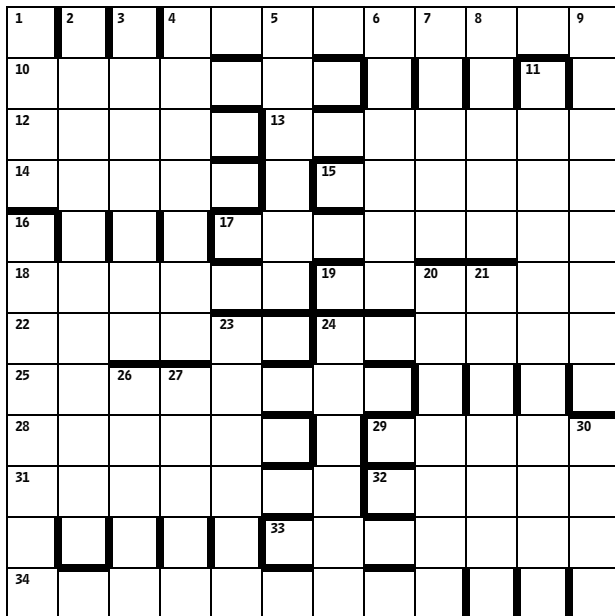


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ACROSS

- 4 'Bigfoot' crouching low in school ((9))
 10 Dementia treatment? Power limited, it's administered with care (7)
 12 Pause in psalms? High note pierces silence (5)
 13 Old coach, a humdinger (7)
 14 Bit of loom in front to draw through as weaver does (5)
 15 Heraldic charges, wavy rings round ordinary (6)
 17 Glittering composition once a fellow penned (8)
 18 Foreboding the author introduced in *One Day* ... (6)
 19 ABC scribbled in matrix? Its images are electronic (6)
 22 What is another way of expressing this? ABC is (singular) (6)
 24 A singular part of the skeleton (6)
 25 NY stock exchange offering plenty to get stuck into? (8, 2 words)
 28 Clayey mineral to work round, that is forming frame (6)
 29 Extract from noblest Roman that inspired Dante? (5)
 31 Tiny swimmers nuts on swimming round centre of ocean (7)
 32 English hidebound, in a tangle? (5)
 33 Optical covering's cells are repaired, saving eye's opening (7)
 34 Being in before the others, maybe drowns in river (9)

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1	M	U	M	I	A	S	I	S	T	M	P	B	
2	O	C	E	A	N	I	C	B	O	T	O	R	R
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4	H	C	T	H	E	F	O	R	A	M	I	N	A
5	A	H	O	L	D	T	D	I	N	S	E	C	T
6	V	I	M	P	E	R	I	A	L	I	S	E	H
7	O	M	E	R	T	A	B	N	A	I	L	S	A
8	V	A	G	A	R	I	E	S	B	G	A	S	L
9	D	E	R	M	A	T	O	P	L	A	S	T	Y
10	I	R	I	D	L	O	F	R	A	I	S	E	S
11	M	A	M	Z	Z	R	F	O	B	T	U	S	E

Across 1, mum + aim (rev.); 5, sist(ER); 13, anag. in sannie; 16, ah! old; 18, cin inset; see mitre; 19, anag. in anag.; 22, a tremo(r) (rev.); 25, see Names in C.; 27, GA in varies; 33, anag. in o, e.
Down 1, Mo. + a v anag. in sham; 2, mento(r); 4, hidden; 5, c, r in sod; 7, Beria in in; 7, soma + n; 9, n in price's; ref. Austin P.; 14, him in ca. + era; 17, anag. + tor for rot, & lit.; 23, hidden; 24, E in boff; 26, (Orlandus) Lassu(s); 28, I in tag (rev.).

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DOWN

- 1 Score extra (4)
 2 Eco-friendly US author, aggressive operator in local business (11)
 3 Had meals cutting beer – it's good for your ... (7)
 4 ... Muscles, and cans lie neglected (7)
 5 Dialect roughened, spoken with Provençal intruding (6)
 6 When computer's working I put out message cutting central part (6)
 7 Body cavities found in ruminant? Rarely (5)
 8 Stock, not quite completely in fashion (5)
 9 Are they scattered around, brought in by huntsman's signal? (8)
 11 Confined pope takes in name of Linnaean classification (11)
 16 Below knot of hair girl grips English lace (8)
 20 Cut game involving some danger (7)
 21 Wedges cut short and put under camp bed (7)
 23 One fish or another – after time it's hauled up on board (6)
 24 Form of caper (n) (6)
 26 Grass bract? Sounds like something that's pretty dull (5)
 27 Wild creature? One turns to spur possibly if — (5)
 30 Just herald reapportioning parts (4)

The Chambers Dictionary (2014) is recommended.