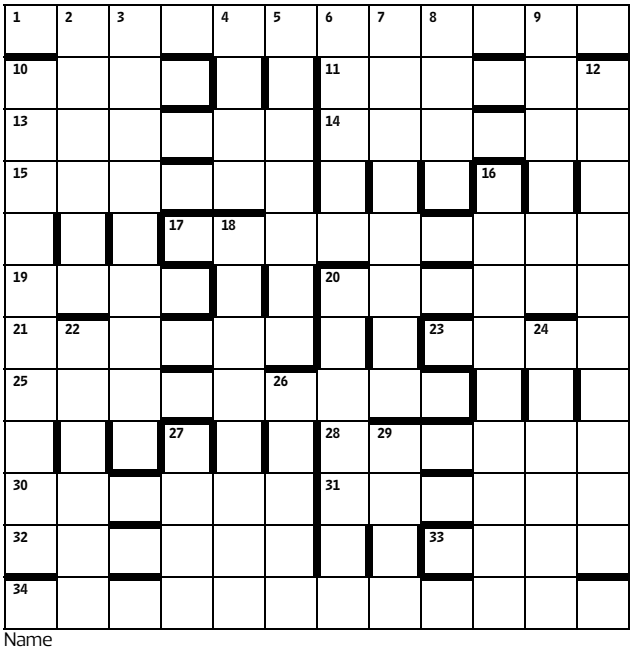
# AZED No. 2,394 Plain



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## ACROSS

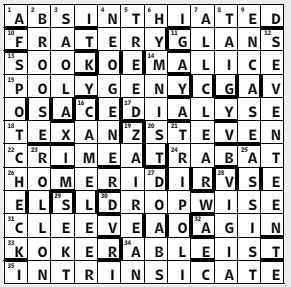
**1** Work includes book rest trashed? Author's to make a racket (12)
**10** Fruit from Bengal cored and mashed (4)
**11** Porter turned sour almost entirely, say, with a traveller's tip (6)
**13** Alert to hear decision college is involved in (6)
**14** Future punishment imposed on the writer (6, 2 words)
**15** One with constituency in city house – she has irresistible urges (6)
**17** Baccy cakes, new, in hollow bowl? (9)
**19** Blood in arms necessitates angioplasty? Only some of it (4)
**20** When it's not run out, love getting into popular tipple, excellent Scotch (6)
**21** Former rock group entering rise, a thrill (6)
**23** Junior churchman, Scots one flanking bishops (4)
**25** Fancy dress gear, material for Hawaiian skirt? Probably not (9)
**28** It's old fashioned, wooden (6)
**30** Fatal submersion from short period in much longer one, going back (6)
**31** Royal tax, obligation by the sound of it (6)
**32** Varnishes a girl variously applied to end of nails (6)
**33** Song that's recalled dead, strong Scots (4)
**34** Runner with hip too stressed? Protein required (12)

## DOWN

**2** Chemical compound processed in lab tray left out (6)
**3** Preacher and prophet, jolly individual at heart (9)
**4** Heads for repast in hall after taking in college buttery? (4)
**5** Small estate left remaining as legal right (7)
**6** Crown circles head of tsar expanding towards the end (5)
**7** They convey one to faraway place, rugged shoreline, hard going (8)
**8** On being dismissed by judge, past caring? (4)
**9** Continues without changing in dull woolly stuff (6)
**10** Group with lead vocalist securing right collar fastener (10)
**12** Tough grass nurses simmering hatred, ready to baste again? (10)
**16** Militant lot, hard one, e.g. in Germany, raised welcoming cry (9)
**18** Physicist using volume to wedge faulty Aga door (8)
**20** Turning tables with rook – it may get you out of a trap (7)
**22** Patch on last sore to be treated, limb not good (6)
**24** French beak, beak I'll follow having afternoon in (6)
**26** Turn, most indecent, topless? (5)
**27** Cheap fur matched with outward appearance (4)
**29** Exotic food plant: look in for a taste, turning up (4)

*The Chambers Dictionary (2014) is recommended. It does not give **12**, which is formed with a common prefix.*

## AZED 2,391 Solution & notes



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**Across** 1, anag. in ad (qv); 11, gl(e)ans; 15, lop (rev.) + gen in y, y; 17, dial + 'eyes'; 18, a X (rev.) in ten; 24, Tabar(d) (rev,); ref. *The Canterbury Tales*; 31, (vehi)cle(s) + Eve(rest); 33, oke in k, R; ref. Nixon; 35, in + snirt (rev.) + anag. + E.
**Down** 2, 'brews'; i.e. *not* brouze; 4, ego (rev,) in Nene; 6, n in anag.; Wesley rode around the country on horseback; 12, event in seen; ref. choir, The Sixteen; 13, T in cops (rev.) + heck; 19, ire in ZA an; 25, as sis t; 29, takes (rev.) less a.