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Across

- 1 Deposit in total, what you'll cough up (6)
- 6 What Trump's opponents call him, crudely: 'Low, grabbing advantage' (6, 2 words)
- 11 Gland that's uric an MO treated (8)
- 12 Tissue frameworks giving support – second's folded in layers (8)
- 13 Drowned of old in Dee rip (5)
- 14 End of ale in a pub put up with locally (5)
- 15 Indian factotum, knight of the road? (6)
- 17 Wader rolling eggs to mount (6)
- 19 A tidal surging round dam in Mediterranean region (8)
- 21 She was barefoot on screen – see stories with special appeal (8)
- 24 Cold inside, put it on – one can't help oneself (6)
- 26 Place including study, rarely modest (6)
- 28 Girl filled with love – what Cliff sought early on? (5)
- 29 Company member? One program for training officers backed (5)
- 31 Navy girl going out in crazy fashion (8)
- 32 Scots advance in Latvian system for transferring alphabets (8)
- 33 Mimic female birds or sea fish (6)
- 34 Just about in command, though old (6)

Down

- 1 Fish, a lot no decent chap's taken on board (5)
- 2 Irregular or GI consorting with pro, resulting in skin disease (7)
- 3 Two-barrelled gun: one on redan blasted channel port (12)
- 4 High water cheers sailors (4)
- 5 Deity bishop removed from mosque niche (about time) (6)
- 6 Pouch-like undergarment regularly making room for US line (6)
- 7 Restrain flow of poet about love? Chequers needs one! (8)
- 8 Ena hesitates, quivering, ready for op? (12)
- 9 Bristles, minimum of effort having been put into food served up (5)
- 10 Bleak role in hospital (7)
- 16 Indicator of smoker's intake? Poisonous stuff holds it up (8)
- 18 Rat set free? That was harsh (7)
- 20 Snubs foreign ladies, first to last (7)
- 22 Unaccompanied men at dance with energy in legs (6)
- 23 Jordan, say, showing line for start of effluvium, a great outpouring (6)
- 25 Sort of photocopy made by Cameron, old (5)
- 27 Pastry served up with slice of tomato in ristorante (5)
- 30 Tin containing a bit of yellow or blue-green (4)

The Chambers Dictionary (2014) is recommended.

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Across 1, plu(MP)s; 4, past in i' mod.; 13, r in sheds; 14, E Agra in seps (rev.); 15, in (rev.) + lots; 19, aba in Shan; 30, n re in kid; 31, lam in i.e. (rev.); 34, form with E for O.
Down 2, limp(l'd); 6, hr in A to B; 11, rep(robate) + 0; 16, anag. in I roe; see milt; 20, ace (rev.) in hoke; 22, TNT & see (rev.) alternating; 29, cf. Rome.

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