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- Schwarzkopf, Mailer, Rockwell, Finkelstein, 1 Greenbaum, Bates, Uncle etc.
- 6 Initials shared by troubled teen rapper (Gucci Flip Flops), outspoken French movie legend (And God Created Woman) and confronting German industrial/noise band Einstürzende Neubauten founder (and Bad Seed)
- 8 One blood (initials)
- \ldots saving ordinary humans from themselves $^{\rm TM}$ 9
- 11 Source or origin of something of great value or abundance as in characterization of Islam
- by Sam Harris as "the ... of bad ideas" (6, 4) Brewed drink popular in Middle Ages 14
- 23 Debut fragrance of sporting legend 15 which exudes "sophistication, sensuality and warmth with sumptuous ingredients that envelop the senses" exclusive to Chemist Warehouse receiving (in words of legend) "some good feedback from women"
- Lovely river in Provence painted by Cézanne 16
- 17 Century of momentous ideas of far-reaching impact (Marx, Freud, Darwin, Herzl etc.)
- Abrasive 90s TV personality known for lewd 19 badinage with co-host (Cartoon Connection)
- 20 Celebrated Japanese director of unwatchable masterpiece about descent into madness of surviving remnant of Imperial army trapped on island in Philippines after defeat in WW2 (AKA Fires on the Plain) (first name)
- 22 Soviet armoured vehicle from 30s (abbrev. Форд-А, Ижорский) (Ford-A Izhorskiy)

- Enormously popular UK pop trio known for capturing zeitgeist of 80s (Venus etc.)
- 26 of seedy underbelly of America (The Man with the Golden Arm etc.)
- 27 Barassi, Blaskett, Rude, Kray, Dickenson
- 28 homophobic, white supremacist event at Comiskey Park baseball stadium, Chicago organized by disgruntled DJ in 1979 (5, 5)

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- 1 Land left deserted by mutual agreement of hostile parties in war or aftermath (2-3)
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- 3 boredom (possibly Yiddish)
- 4 Collected religious texts of Zoroastrianism 5 Vidkun Quisling, Anders Breivik, Magnus Carlsen, Thor Heyerdahl, Kirsten Flagstad, Mette-Marit etc., etc., etc.
- 7 known for revolutionizing modern theatre
- 10 Jean Seberg and Leelee Sobieski (4, 2, 3)
- Second release of Florida emo/screamo band 12 i hate myself (Urban Barbie, Conversation with Dr. Seussicide. Secret Lovers at the Heaven's Gate Ranch etc.) from 90s (3, 5)

15.6 (contd.)

Down (contd.)

- 13 Movie villain played by Hans Conried with diabolical plan to enslave five hundred boys playing enormous piano (in nightmarish Stanley Kramer production of 1953) (2, 1)
- 18 Popular TV show set in Chicago hospital with George Clooney as brilliant but troubled pediatrician Doug Ross (from 00s)
- 20 Fearsome Hindu deity often depicted with blue skin, mad expression, lolling tongue, garland of heads, skirt of body parts, holding severed head of defeated demon Raktabija and standing on top of recumbent body of mustachioed consort Shiva
- 21 Member of police force involved in criminal activity relating to drugs (in 60s)
- 23 In a violent, raging, wild, disruptive and hate-filled manner (Jan 6, 28 across)
- 24 Enigmatic art film Last Year at Marien ...
- 25 Platonism, Liberal, Con, Nazi

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- US author known for hard-bitten depictions
- Hate-filled rallying cry chanted at infamous,

Down

- Silver coins from ancient Greece
- Expression of world-weary indifference or
- Edvard Munch, Henrik Ibsen, Knut Hamsun, Vegard and Bård Ylvisåker, Crown Princess
- Followers of pioneering German playwright
- Famous French teen played by Falconetti,