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Down (contd.)

- 24** Symbol used to indicate translation of Old Testament into Greek in 3rd century BCE (revealing murky, hitherto hidden depths to the Nations) purportedly made by seventy scholars hence the name
- 26** Aldous Huxley *or* Arnold Horschak *or* Adolf Hitler *or* Alger Hiss *or* Amber Heard *or* Arthur Harris *or* annus horribilis (initials)

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Across

- 1** Beleaguered region which will be free (from the river to the sea)
- 8** Underground river crossed to enter Hades requiring payment to wizened ferryman in Greek mythology
- 9** Slender love interest of Popeye (initials)
- 10** Yalta conference (initials)
- 11** Practical application cf. theory
- 14** Virulent disease resulting from poor sanitation used by Thomas Mann in *Death in Venice* as emblematic of moral debasement of riven, largely autobiographical hero
- 16** Sacrifice to deity involving total combustion of organic matter to ash
- 19** Where Bill Clinton created defining legacy of presidency (initials)
- 20** Arresting, 1962 Luis Buñuel masterwork in which guests at bourgeois dinner party find they inexplicably cannot leave (initials)
- 21** Suave, jet-setting crimefighter from London in 60s
- 25** Arresting, new rap sensation from Texas notable for tattoo-free, normcore with glasses look (*Magic Johnson* etc.) (also viral 2024 collaboration *Hate Me* with Lil Yachty)
- 27** Publish personal identifying information on internet with malicious intent (Zio600 etc.)
- 28** UK pop sensation and cultural phenomenon encouraging obnoxious behaviour in teenage girls in name of empowerment (6, 1, 1, 1)

Down

- 1** Insane
- 2** Sneeze (onomatopoeic)
- 3** Southern rapper (*Teenage Emotions*) in striking new collaboration (*Hate Me*) with clean-cut rap sensation ian (initials)
- 4** Unleash pent up energy in sudden, violent eruption (“T.N.T. I’m a power load / T.N.T. Watch me ... etc.” *T.N.T.*)
- 5** Bejeweled, crescent-shaped headgear worn by royalty on special occasions such as Queen Camilla *or* Princess Panda
- 6** Nation of Islam (initials)
- 7** Goddess in Greek mythology personifying dawn associated with touching epithet *ροδοδάκτυλος* (“rosy-fingered”) in Homer
- 12** Extremely scary, 2007, “found footage” horror movie about demonic possession in Barcelona apartment building
- 13** Stock market code indicating trading in gold
- 15** What was doing its thing in Barry White classic of 1976? (initials)
- 17** Red, Black, Yellow, scrotumtightening etc.
- 18** Carbonated beverage manufactured in Union St. West Brunswick associated with King Corky, Happy Hammond, Uncle Norman, Princess Panda, Lovely Anne and Professor Ratbaggy (in 60s)
- 21** Ted Nugent album (initials)
- 22** Mr. Don Lane (initials)
- 23** “Pass the ...” Traditional Hawaiian dish associated with *Flintstones* episode in which Fred goes to Hawaii to appear in TV show *Hawaiian Spy* with heartthrob Larry Lava in brief role as guest at luau with single line