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#### Across

- 1** Australian Army training facility in central Victoria associated with Nasho, Normie Rowe and touching *Redgum* threnody *I Was only 19 (a Walk in the Light Green)*
- 10** Name shared by mysterious, one-eyed Taliban mullah, Egyptian heartthrob Sharif, US general Bradley, outspoken Somalian-American congresswoman from Minnesota Ilhan and obstreperous poet Sakr
- 11** All (Latin) (present, scient, potent, bus etc.)
- 12** Responding in kind principally to aggression either with measured proportionality or unhinged sadism
- 15** System for learning music with notes named do, re, me, fa, so etc. devised by 11<sup>th</sup> century monk Guido D'Arezzo to train singers
- 16** Manifest destiny *or* Mickey Dolenz (initials)
- 17** Maximillion Robespierre *or* Mike Rudd (initials)
- 19** Popular movie genre (*The Hitchhiker, Laura, Pickup on South Street*) (with subgenres neo and Scandi)
- 20** Mission: *Impossible* image *or* Morton Isaacson interview (initials)
- 21** Things added to enliven appearance (bag, hat, scrunchies etc.) or people providing support or assistance to the perpetrator(s) of a crime without actually taking part
- 24** Glamorous queen of Jordan (Arabic for light)

- 25** Green, Sharpton, Rio, Capp, Gore, Bundy
- 26** Greatly loved, high kitsch classic of Powell and Pressburger with Norma Shearer as riven dancer and Robert Helpmann in tights (initials)
- 27** Best known lineman in American music
- 30** Emma Memma *or* Eoin McLove (initials)
- 31** Member of elected government responsible for portfolio (Penny Wong, Itamar Ben-Gvir etc.)
- 32** Beleaguered Australian Prime Minister (initials)
- 33** Observed, perceived, spotted, appearing
- 34** Tireless crossword compiler
- 35** Subway station on 14<sup>th</sup> Street where Vermin, Cochise and Rembrandt meet the Lizzies in *The Warriors* (5, 6)

#### Down

- 1** Hybrid word made by combining two others such as motel, brunch, spork or Brangelina
- 2** Japanese plum
- 3** Hard to remove filter on Zoom
- 4** Abstract painter undergoing reevaluation having been overshadowed since death of famous, alcoholic, love rat husband
- 5** Ancient people of southern Canaan in pentapolis consisting of Ashdod, Ashkelon, Ekron, Gath and Gaza remembered chiefly as barbarous, implacable archenemy of Biblical Israelites
- 6** None of the above (initials)
- 7** Christian group for young people dedicated to soul-searching reflection on Instagram (1, 1, 1)

### 31.9 (contd.)

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- 8** Mental state of person or group typified by lack or breakdown of normal social or ethical standards often applied to life in suburbs
- 9** Magical tidal island in Northumberland known as Holy Island and site of 6<sup>th</sup> century monastery associated with Saints Aidan, Cuthbert, Eadfrith and Eadberht and famous Hiberno-Saxon Insular gospel manuscript
- 13** Pioneering American humourist (*Gentlemen Prefer Blondes* etc.) and visionary Austrian architect known for despicable private life
- 14** Signature hairdo associated with Angela Davis, Sly Stone and Bob Ross
- 18** Legendary B director (*The Little Shop of Horrors, X: The Man with the X-ray Eyes* etc., etc., etc.) (with first initial) (1, 6) Vale
- 20** "A well regulated ..., being necessary to the security of a free State, the right of the people to keep and bear Arms, shall not be infringed Enigmatic 2<sup>nd</sup> Amendment of US Constitution
- 22** Versatile lettuce associated with Caesar salad, Passover Seder (used as bitter herb symbolizing suffering of Israelites during bondage in Egypt) (alleged) and ancient Egyptian fertility god Min (due to resemblance to phallus). FYI.
- 23** Stereotypical, affluent, 18-25-year-olds from upper or upper middle class in UK (pejorative)
- 27** European capital with legendary symphony orchestra conducted by Wilhelm Furtwangler (after de-Nazification) in 40s
- 28** Final piano concerto of Camille Saint-Saëns (en Fa Majeur, opus 103) known as *The Egyptian*
- 29** "A ... of petrol / is in your eye / the handbrake / penetrates your thigh / quick, let's make love / before you die / on warm / leatherette etc." *Warm Leatherette* by *The Normal*
- 31** Greatly loved cultural institution embroiled in scandal about donor influence, apoliticality in public sector and suppression of free speech (not SLV) (or ACCA)