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Across

- 1** *I am a Fugitive from a ...* ... Harrowing 1932 social protest film by Mervyn LeRoy with Paul Muni as wrongfully convicted prisoner memorable for haunting ending (“Can’t you tell me where you’re going? Will you write? Do you need any money? How do you live?” “I steal”) (5, 4)
- 8** “I’m afraid. I’m afraid, Dave. Dave, my mind is going. I can feel it. I can feel it. My mind is going. There is no question about it. I can feel it. I can feel it. I can feel it. I’m afraid” Movie villain from 60s known for memorable death scene
- 9** Third longest river in Poland (after Vistula and Warta) rising in Czech Republic and emptying to Baltic Sea
- 10** Rowdy Yates (initials)
- 11** Clothed, dressed, wearing (poetic)
- 13** Fictional descendant of patriarch Jacob (and twelve sons) in elaborate national foundation myth of Levites
- 16** *Les ... des Brumes* Seminal poetic film noir of 1938 by Marcel Carné and Jacques Prévert with Jean Gabin as doomed army deserter hero, Michèle Morgan as ethereal, raincoated runaway, Michel Simon as abusive guardian and Pierre Brasseur as the gangster Lucien) (also known as *Port of Shadows*)
- 17** Al Nakba (initials)
- 18** *Tiny’s Patio* (initials)
- 20** Iconic footwear with recycled car tyre sole and distinctive plaited uppers for slovenly surfie/sharpie look in 70s

- 22** *The Gift of the ...* Greatly loved American short story by O. Henry known for dramatic irony and famous opening: “One dollar and eighty-seven cents.”
- 24** Central character in sentimental country song about dog (sung by Elvis in 50s)
- 25** Pioneering American humourist (*Gentlemen Prefer Blondes*) (also visionary Austrian architect known for modernist Villa Müller in Prague, marvelous 1922 Chicago Tribune competition entry and despicable private life) (with first initial)
- 27** Early *Motörhead* album (initials)
- 28** Titular character in 1866 ghost story by Charles Dickens inspired by dangers of rail travel in Victorian England (6, 3)

Down

- 1** Famous English judge, convert to Buddhism, author and founder (in 1924) of Buddhist Society in Pimlico (unusual first name)
- 2** “Will ... is my shepherd. I shall not want. He maketh me to lie down in clean postures” US politician associated with production code regulating movies and guidelines regarding profanity, licentiousness, homosexuality, miscegenation, use of the flag etc.) in 30s
- 3** Villainess of prescient, Cold War thriller *The Manchurian Candidate* (actress) (initials)
- 4** *The ... Fear at the Penalty Kick* 1972 German existential/crime drama/road movie directed by Wim Wenders with Arthur Brauss as titular antihero

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- 5** World leader in knitting needles and crochet hooks (since 1829)
- 6** Noam Chomsky best seller of 2001 with additional essay *Was There An Alternative?* in 10th anniversary reprint (initials)
- 7** Veteran chair of US Federal Reserve known for low-key demeanour, big glasses and reports on state of economy in impenetrable “fedspeak”
- 11** Hard-bitten private eye character played by Eddie Constantine (*Cet homme est dangereux, Lemmy pour les dames, Alphaville* etc.)
- 12** “You do me wrong to take me out o’ the grave: Thou art a soul in bliss; but I am bound upon a wheel of fire, that mine own tears do scald like moulten lead” Tragic English king
- 14** “Raymond, why don’t you pass the time by playing a little solitaire” Post-hypnotic trigger used to activate brainwashed sleeper agent in *The Manchurian Candidate* (initials)
- 15** Enormously popular, Anglo-Dutch painter of Victorian era known for classical scenes (*The Roses of Heliogabalus, The Tepidarium An Eloquent Silence* etc.) (also Merovingian themes from early career in Holland such as *The Education of the Children of Clovis* (1861) depicting Queen Clotilde overseeing the training of her three young children in the art of axe hurling to avenge the death of her father) (Dutch birth name)
- 19** Sacred language of Buddhism associated with Tipitaka (“triple basket”) and famous Canon
- 21** Onomatopoeia conveying clearing of throat in readiness to speak express disapproval
- 23** One of twin Biblical entities invoked by George W. Bush as *casus belli* for invading Iraq (having been instructed by prophecy in Ezekiel to smite eternal enemy of Israel)
- 26** Mysterious entity to which T. E. Lawrence dedicated *Seven Pillars of Wisdom* (1. 1.)