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Across

- 1** Distinctive, bulbous part of Anglo-Indian origin associated with Cecil B. DeMille, Field Marshall Rommel and Lady Di
- 8** Not detectable or apparent; hidden (talents, bias, agenda etc.)
- 9** Sir Elton (initials)
- 10** Harsh, unfiltered American cigarette (with distinctive pack)
- 12** Grammatical case used in certain languages requiring modification of nouns and pronouns when they are recipients or beneficiaries of an action such as “Maria Jacobo potum dedit” (“Maria gave Jacob a drink”) or “Thank you for sending me a copy of your book. I’ll waste no time reading it” etc.
- 13** Iraq Historic Allegations Team (initials)
- 15** Spade, Malone, Peckinpah, Fox
- 16** Practices proscribed by religious law (eating pork, depicting the Prophet) or frowned upon by social custom (pointing with chopsticks etc.) (from Tongan)
- 18** *Indian Idol* (initials)
- 19** Boeotian muse of memory (with sisters Aeode and Melete)
- 21** Enormously popular TV show known for inspirational human-interest stories such as journey from Khan Yunis Refugee Camp in Gaza across Egyptian border (inc. finding auditions closed and climbing wall) of 2013 competition winner Mohammed Assaf (4, 4)

Down

- 1** Roman goddess depicted blindfolded and holding sword and scales
- 2** The loneliest number (that you’ll ever know) (in psychedelic, power pop classic of 1969 by Johnny Farnham)
- 3** Delmore Schwartz *or* David Susskind *or* Donna Summer *or* Dick Smith *or* Dr Seuss *or* *Der Stürmer* *or* “Disco Sucks” (initials)
- 4** Public festival of ancient Greece involving sacrifice of one hundred oxen
- 5** Traditional source of fuel and building material in Ireland (for poor)
- 6** Term denoting a person who’s departure due to retirement or death causes no discernible grief or loss (Donald Rumsfeld etc.)
- 7** Awkward, stupid, unlucky archetype of Yiddish humor (Jerry Lewis, George Costanza etc.)
- 11** Lovely name for girls (Herzigová, Mattes, Braun etc.)
- 12** Don and Bert (initials)
- 14** American tribal love-rock musical (from 60s)
- 17** Hideous, hulking, ogre-like creatures from Japanese folklore depicted with red or blue skin, wild hair, long claws, fang-like tusks and single or multiple horns emerging from heads (also tiger skin loincloths and carrying studded, iron clubs)
- 20** *Mahavishnu Orchestra* *or* Marc Ornstein (initials)