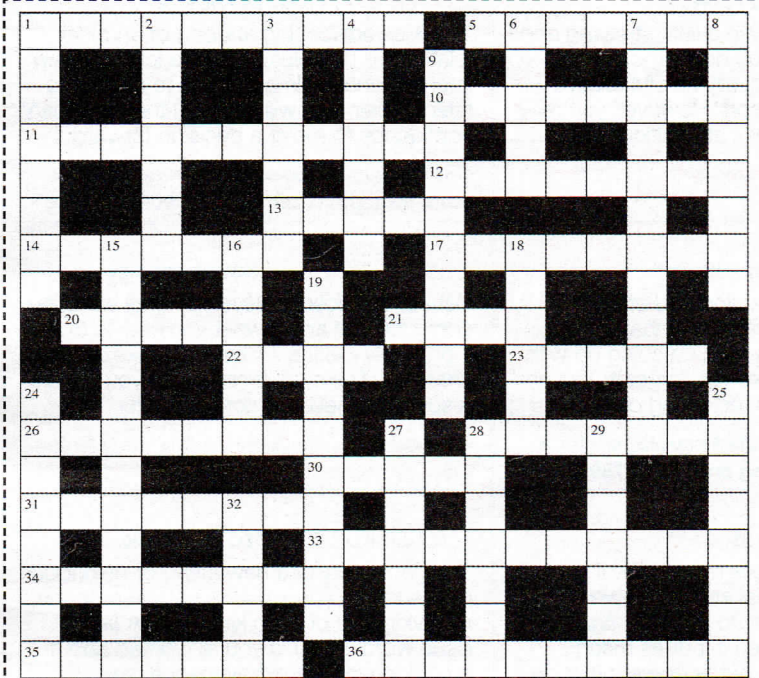


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ACROSS

- 1 and 20 Across 18th-century English landscape architect who designed more than 170 parks (10,5)
- 5 Imperfections, failings or blemishes (7)
- 10 Jean-Jacques __, Swiss-born philosopher, writer and composer (8)
- 11 A form of pasta made in narrow strips (11)
- 12 Kurt __, Austrian diplomat who was secretary-general of the UN (1972-81) (8)
- 13 A single bell or the sound it makes when struck (5)
- 14 Peter Carl __, Russian goldsmith and jeweller, known for his golden Easter eggs (7)
- 17 Lake in northern Scotland, known for alleged sightings of a monster (4,4)
- 20 See 1 Across
- 21 An amphibian similar to a frog, but with a drier, warty skin (4)
- 22 John __, 16th-century Scottish theologian and historian; a leader of the Protestant Reformation (4)
- 23 *Amazing* __, Christian hymn published in 1779, with lyrics by English poet and clergyman John Newton (5)
- 26 1952 western starring Gary Cooper and Grace Kelly (4,4)
- 28 A white, crystalline monosaccharide sugar; an energy source in metabolism (7)
- 30 Samuel __, US inventor of the electric telegraph and a code which bears his name (5)
- 31 Distance in degrees from the equator (8)
- 33 A statement having little or no relevance to what preceded it (3,8)
- 34 A white, translucent bone china with richly coloured patterns made in the 19th century in Shropshire (8)
- 35 To supply to satisfaction or capacity (7)
- 36 Roman politician and general; supporter of Julius Caesar and the lover of Cleopatra (4,6)

DOWN

- 1 People or things that are discarded or abandoned (8)
- 2 In the Christian church, an officer who assists a priest in performing certain religious services (7)
- 3 An open framework of strips of wood, metal, etc, arranged to form an ornamental pattern (7)
- 4 **A size of newspaper (7)**
- 6 A person or thing of the same merit, ability, etc, as another (5)
- 7 A sweet liqueur, brown or colourless, with a chocolate flavour (5,2,5)
- 8 A grain and malt mixture for use in distilling certain whiskeys (4,4)
- 9 A type of surface embroidery using a wide variety of different stitches and a wool yarn (10)
- 15 A sea channel between Alaska and Russia (6,6)
- 16 An ornamental Chinese tree with fan-shaped leaves and fleshy yellow fruit (6)
- 18 A short stout stick used as a weapon (6)
- 19 Things used to make a person or thing more beautiful; decorations (10)
- 24 Large gold or silver cups with stems; used to hold wine in the Christian Holy Communion (8)
- 25 The county town of the East Riding of Yorkshire and location of a Gothic minster (8)
- 27 A semi-frozen dessert of sugar, water and flavourings; originally from Sicily (7)
- 28 A slender East African antelope with a long thin neck and thick backward-curving horns (7)
- 29 The __, a group of the most senior ministers in a government (7)
- 32 A German submarine, especially in the First and Second World Wars (1-4)

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