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Across

- 1 A defect, flaw or stain (7)
- 5 Having, or consisting of, only two colours (11)
- 10 Plant with aromatic leaves used as a herb, particularly in Italian cookery (5)
- 11 In mythology, the founder of Rome, twin brother of Remus (7)
- 13 Small, shrimp-like marine crustacean (5)
- 14 The slipping of a large mass of rock material or soil down the side of a mountain or cliff (9)
- 15 The largest city in North Thailand, founded in the late 13th Century (6,3)
- 16 A slice of mutton, lamb or pork, generally including a rib (4)
- 17 Places where whisky or similar strong alcoholic drinks are made (12)
- 20 A Christian song of praise sung to God or a saint (4)
- 21 Drops or reductions in the success of businesses or economies (9)
- 22 A sign found on phone keypads and computer keyboards (4)
- 26 Remote peak in the Saint Elias Mountains in Canada, named after an American president (5,7)
- 27 Fibre of a tropical plant, used in making sacks and rope (4)
- 29 A vessel for holding hot water, in which sauces and other dishes are gently cooked or kept warm (4-5)

- 31 The place where the driver stands on a steam train (9)
- 33 To cause to accept or become hardened to, habituate (5)
- 34 A flat footpiece on a riding saddle through which a rider puts their foot for support (7)
- 35 To urge or force someone to act, motivate (5)
- 36 A province of South Africa, the capital of which is Bhishe (7,4)
- 37 The ---, the period 1811-20, during which the Prince of Wales ruled while his father was incapacitated (7)

Down

- 1 A racing sledge for two or more people (9)
- 2 Industrial city in West Germany, in North Rhine-Westphalia on the Ruhr and Emscher rivers (5)
- 3 A deceptive impression of reality or a false appearance (8)
- 4 The projection of an organ through the lining of the cavity in which it is normally situated (6)
- 5 French Benedictine monk after whom a famous champagne is named (3,8)
- 6 A condition that causes acute spasmodic abdominal pain (5)
- 7 William ---, 25th President of the US, assassinated in September 1901 (8)
- 8 A group of three people working or leading together (11)
- 9 Anders ---, 19th Century Swedish astronomer who invented, and gave his name to, a scale of temperature (7)
- 12 Former British coin worth one-twentieth of a pound (8)
- 16 Official statements or announcements (11)
- 18 A masterly or brilliant stroke, creation, effect or accomplishment (4,2,5)
- 19 Pâté de ---, a smooth, rich paste made from the liver of a fattened goose (4,4)
- 23 Rough, boisterous or rowdy fun (9)
- 24 An impulsive, headlong rush of startled cattle or horses (8)
- 25 A small ball of dough cooked and served with stew (8)
- 26 Willie John ---, ex-Ireland rugby union player who captained the British and Irish Lions side in South Africa in 1974 (7)
- 28 James Fenimore ---, American writer whose most famous work is the novel The Last Of The Mohicans (6)
- 30 Sister of Napoleon Bonaparte, who was Princess of Lucca and Piombino and Grand Duchess of Tuscany (5)
- 32 Popular skiing resort in Colorado (5)

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