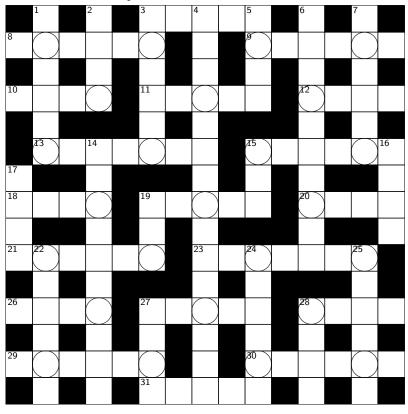
$Noteworthy \ \ {\rm by\ Peter\ Fenner}$



The circled cells are noteworthy, but it is up to the solver to discover why they are noteworthy and what to do with them.

Across

- 3 Teletubby screens animated picture (5)
- 8 Decorated retreat/hideaway at end of winding road (7)
- 9 Sack containing turkey, oddly. It might be used at Christmas $(3,\,4)$
- 10 Groom's partner scratches head twice before a thought (4)
- 11 Clone one wizard (5)
- 12 Just loosely mixed, lacking nothing (6)
- 13 Knight from the east involved in military operation, harbouring love for actress (5, 3)
- 15 Animal hair and minerals result in uproars (7)
- 18 "First in cleanliness" spins runner-up disinfectant (6)
- 19 Clear up grit (7)
- $20~\mathrm{Man}$ with goat's legs beginning to assimilate animals (5)
- 21 Half of speech dictionary repeated (6)
- 23 Activity about race with drawing support for the elderly (4-4)
- 26 Flashback missing small part $\left(4\right)$
- 27 Argentina and Brazil's leaders break free (7)
- 28 Perpetually the night before the 3rd of April (4)
- 29 Concerning desire of Roman statesman to lie about drinking tea (7)
- 30 Operating system overturning cap if variable set (8)
- 31 Mixture of inert gunpowder ingredient (5)

Down

- 1 Sour rock band repeatedly covers number ones (6)
- 2 Detective's sister was raised on her own (5)
- 3 Empire going wild about first showing (8)
- 4 Gastrology lotion developed for head and neck doctor (16)
- 5 Old enough to smoke during offshore vacation (2, 3)
- ${\bf 6}$ Regularly farting anus, may be suppressing a little explosion - chilling (10)
- 7 Muddled direct debit in muddled deal (6)
- 14 Hating food, I cooked with sincerity (2, 4, 5)
- 15 Fortune hidden in half a tea-leaf (4)
- 16 Criticise some labourers as Monday starts (4)
- 17 Hurt a revolutionary (4)
- 19 Unusual time period before end of our uprising (4)
- 22 Frail old men act to expel me from the Doctor's vehicle (7)
- 24 Egg-maker is nothing next to diving bird putting tail over head then resurfacing (7)
- 25 Fed pâté, bananas, and cooking oil (4, 3)
- 27 Notice: wear accessory (3-2)
- 28 Watches doctors eating at home (5)