

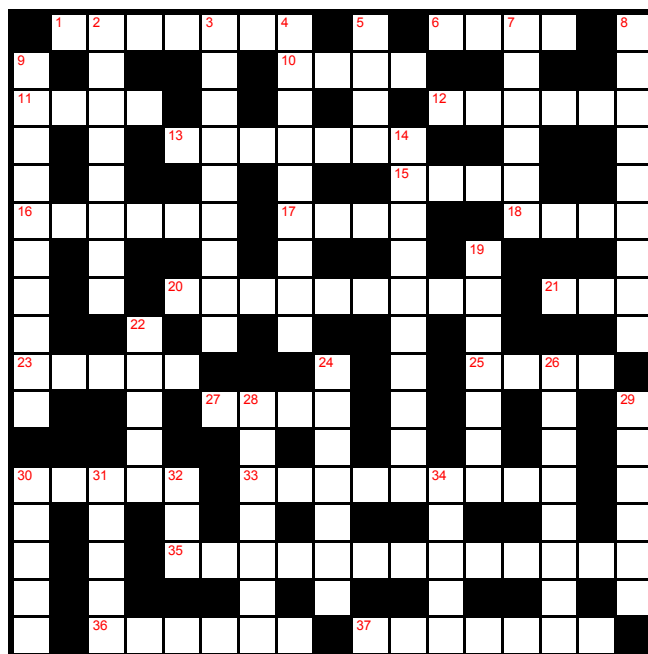
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Across

- 1 Tha's how Khushwant Singh describes 'Car and a Bar". (7)
- 6 A vigorous blow. (4)
- 10 Any break or lack of contact in an electrical circuit either intentional (switch) or unintentional (bad connection). (4)
- 11 A cruel wicked and inhuman person. (4)
- 12 A conservative who subscribes to neoconservatism. (3-3)
- 13 An aggressive and violent young criminal. (7)
- 15 That's what second 'A' in 'AAY' stands for. (4)
- 16 Translating an idea into action. (6)
- 17 Goods or money obtained illegally. (4)
- 18 A star that ejects some of its material in the form of a cloud and become more luminous in the process. (4)
- 20 Liable to sudden unpredictable change. (9)
- 21 An inflated feeling of pride in your superiority to others. (3)
- 23 Any system of principles or beliefs. (5)
- 25 Any act that leads to mockery. (4)
- 27 A short laboured intake of breath with the mouth open. (4)
- 30 A member of a people who have no permanent home but move about according to the

- seasons. (5)
 - 33 An unforeseen or unexpected or surprising difficulty. (5-4)
 - 35 Someone who refuses to conform to established standards of conduct. (3-10)
 - 36 Take away to an undisclosed location against their will and usually in order to extract a ransom. (6)
 - 37 A difference of opinion. (7)
- ## Down
- 2 Having or showing feelings of unwarranted importance out of overbearing pride. (8)
 - 3 Indiscriminate slaughter. (9)
 - 4 Any condition that makes it difficult to make progress or to achieve an objective. (9)



- 5 A man who is much concerned with his dress and appearance (4)
- 7 A favourite saying of a sect or political group. (6)
- 8 A popular trend that attracts growing support. (9)
- 9 A secret agreement between two or more people to perform an unlawful act. (10)
- 14 A form of social organization in which a female is the family head and title is traced through the female line. (10)
- 19 A dormant or quiescent state. (7)
- 22 Last name of Prime Minister of Nepal (Sep 2004). (5)
- 24 Of an appropriate or pertinent nature. (7)
- 26 A race between candidates for elective office. (8)
- 28 Of or pertaining to or affected by congenital absence of pigmentation in the eyes and skin and hair. (7)
- 29 Shrewd or crafty management of public affairs. (6)
- 30 Marked by or showing unaffected simplicity and lack of guile or worldly experience. (5)
- 31 A crime syndicate. (5)
- 32 A Spanish title of respect for a gentleman or nobleman. (3)
- 34 (informal) cartoons. (5)