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ACROSS

- 6 Child of the sea writes Greek letter in jar.(6)
- 9 With venture capital, might find crude oilbut it's purely theoretical. (10)
- 10 Bosses at war can take the heat. (8)
- 11 Force her family to head south for food.(8)
- 12 Jumper is knock-out, incorporating Angora pattern. (8)
- 13 Checks to be performed on showers could be water pipes. (4,6)
- 14 Sees letters about the obsolete grade. (8)
- 15 Al served to discredit Cook's discovery. (10)
- 20 No nasty nag can possibly keep the kids quiet. (5-5)
- 24 Cut to the quick. (8)
- 25 Cold craft needed to kill demolition man. (3-7)
- 27 Disputes about the queen serve to clear the mud. (8)
- 28 Cover rent for clot's agent. (8)
- 29 Most obvious way to follow Alpine rapids.(8)
- 30 After a short interval, it gets back into league for a number of rounds. (10)
- 31 Cases of dry wine sent back, packed with grass. (6)

DOWN

- 1 Large weasel bait. (6)
- 2 Staying together, she and I wandered into harbour. (8)
- 3 Connections with king found in slander about Harry. (8)
- 4 Sound purchase of book every six months.(8)
- 5 Jet mounted on seat in limo. (5,5)
- 6 Cuban ready to give up stagnation. (5,5)
- 7 Get rid of survivor. (8)
- 8 Image company takeover by extreme destroyer. (10)
- 16 Native can rave madly about Lucan's right to return. (10)
- 17 Vitality of scene I've written on loch. (10)
- 18 Good sport stamps into two of the best hotels? (6,4)
- 19 Lengthy article on film is enough for two.(8)
- 21 Obscure mountain-climbing certificate offered to lost soul. (8)
- 22 Big bird but not very! (5,3)
- 23 All-oak construction with self-finishing substance. (8)
- 26 Can see alien in torrential rain. (6)