Yet by Pluriserial

In **Yet** there is a misprint in every clue. Correct letters, in clue order, spell out a slightly adapted and truncated quotation. Unclued lights give the author and the last two words. Solvers should highlight a cryptic representation of the title of the work and the name of its hero in the completed grid. One proper name is not in Chambers 2008.

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Across

- 1 Remove by erasing or crossing out or as if by drawing a line (7)
- 5 Money or property brought by a woman to her husband at marriage (5)
- **8** Little helpers (6,7)
- **9** Unit of length of thread or yarn (3)
- **10** Annual festival (9)
- 12 The central area in a building; open to the sky (6)
- 13 Pants for casual wear (6)
- **15** Acknowledgments or expressions of good will (9)
- **16** Continuous portion of a circle (3)
- **18** Warship intended for combat (4,2,3,4)

Down

- 1 An upright tripod for displaying something (5)
- **2** Burlesque ironical buffoonery as a cover for serious satire (13)
- **3** Worthless in the US (2-7)
- **4** Put up with something or somebody unpleasant (6)
- 5 Long linear polymer found in the nucleus of a cell and formed from nucleotides and shaped like a double helix (3)
- 6 The modern form of quantum theory; an extension of quantum mechanics based on Schrödinger's equation (4,9)
- 7 Eludes, especially in a baffling way (7)
- 11 Protective coverings over or beside a wheel to protect the upper part of a vehicle from mud (9)

- **20** Irish poet and playwright whose plays are based on rural Irish life (1871-1909) (5)
- **21** Chooses not to consume (7)

- 12 Armour plates that protect the chest; the front parts of a cuirass (7)
- **14** Of or relating to two people who are married to each other (6)
- 17 Any of various plants of the family Cruciferae with edible leaves that have a pungent taste (5)
- 19 Used of a single unit or thing; not two or more (3)