



Across

- 7 Proverb urging timely repair (1,6,2,4)
 8 Egyptian queen, wife of Ptolemy III (8)
 9 Round Dutch cheese (4)
 10 Biblical prophet who inspired the Israelite army to defeat the Canaanites (7)
 12 Indian statesman and leader with Gandhi in the struggle for home rule (5)
 14 Painter (born in Germany, resident of France and the United States) who was a cofounder of dadaism; developed the technique of collage (1891-1976) (5)
 16 Suburb of Liverpool, site of the racecourse over which the Grand National is run (7)
 19 City in northern India; former capital of the Mogul empire; site of the Taj Mahal (4)
 20 (Of a restaurant meal) having unlimited choices with a separate price for each item (1,2,5)
 22 Apparently fortuitous success achieved by an inexperienced participant (9,4)

Down

- 1 United States tennis player who was the first Black to win United States and English singles championships (1943-1993) (4)
 2 Roman statesman and orator remembered for his mastery of Latin prose (106-43 BC) (6)
 3 Acrylic resin used to make a strong soft crease-resistant fabric (7)
 4 Female fox (5)
 5 English writer (1672-1729) (6)
 6 Scottish dramatist and novelist; created Peter Pan (1860-1937) (1,1,6)
 11 Blend of various fragrant oriental teas flavoured with bergamot (4,4)
 13 United States singer and film actor (1915-1998) (7)
 15 Russian leader who succeeded Lenin as head of the Communist Party and created a totalitarian state by purging all opposition (1879-1953) (6)
 17 Any of several herbs of the genus *Dipsacus* native to the Old World having flower heads surrounded by spiny bracts (6)

18 English film actor who appeared in *The Ipcress File* (5)

21 A pleat and eatables (4)