ACROSS

- 1 Breaks up (a group) (8)
- 5 Paint crudely (4)
- 9 ___ Humperdinck, 60s crooner (9)
- **10** Jeer (at) (3)
- 11 Acidic, sharp (4)
- **13** Mixed-breed dog (7)
- **16** Struggle for breath (4)
- **18** ___ Waugh, author (6)
- **19** For a bit (6)
- 21 Roofing slate (4)
- 23 Dwell together (7)
- 25 Cut down (4)
- 27 Contagious disease (3)
- 28 Unfeelingly (9)
- **30** Fibbed (4)
- 31 Unharmed, unscathed (4-4)

DOWN

- 1 Doe or stag (4)
- 2 Hang heavily (3)
- 3 Susceptibility, aversion (7)
- 4 Hopes (6)
- 6 Purple colour (9)
- 7 Rain-protectors (8)
- 8 Ollie's comic partner (4)
- 12 Informal drop-in party (4,5)
- **14** Milky birthstone (4)
- 15 Compassionate (8)
- **17** Opposed to (4)
- **20** Tire (4,3)
- 22 Slanting style of type (6)
- 24 Slang for a dollar (4)
- 26 Jarrow's river (4)
- 29 Baronet's title (3)

