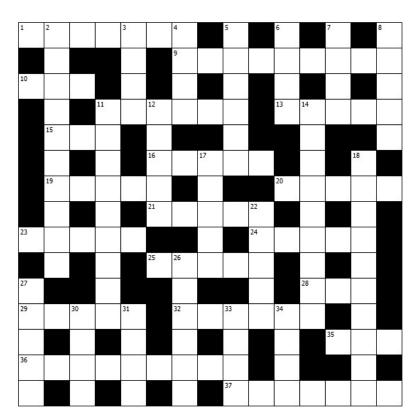
17 6 a 10 by Cagey

Having seen 1, unreferenced entries show the subsequent line as described in 36 by 16 32. To fully appreciate the scene one row must be regarded in its entirety, but ignoring the contributions from the two unreferenced verticals.

One clue comprises word play only.

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Across

- 9 Settling area in Gabon rented by Ray? (9)
- 11 Notes right place to relax (6)
- 13 Group split by 50:50 over revealing signals (5)
- 15 Rubbish snake lacks tail. What is there instead? Nothing! (3)
- 21 Hustles myriad cowry, perhaps... Hot to trot! (5)
- 23 Upset the Christian Science Colleges (5)
- 24 It is not becoming corrupt (5)
- 25 What Orange lacks, initially, Red has at the start of year one (5)
- 28 Song due to be sung (3)
- 29 Hustled myriad cowry, finally... Hot to trot! (5)
- 35 Curve that might produce projection of 27 in the range... (3)
- 36 ... 0-28. All 30, mate (9)
- 37 Despoiling cloth (7)

Down

- 2 Chief editor pinching Beyoncé's bum gets nutted (10)
 - 3 Useless in old age, Cagey retired (4)
 - 4 Card game is not close, therefore, south leaves (4)
 - 5 Inch from end to end (6)
 - 7 I am leaving Crompton's outlaw choice (4)
 - 8 Accepted point against Gen. Alpha? (5)
- 12 Rides in coastal waters you are in sound, fine aboard ship (5)
- 14 Promoter's tied up in exhibition centre in Derby (9)
- 22 Nick eats lamb's head after stewing (5)
- 26 Poor Ian's not horny (6)
- 27 What's thin with a tip that's shot? (5)
- 30 Mostly under dressed? Actually totally! (4)
- 31 It's regularly yellow, whisked and essential for cakes! (4)
- 33 Sets out lyrics (4)
- 34 Maybe 3 fried rice... Fine! (4)