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ACROSS

- 1 Leaks after a bee, I hear in the midlands (9)
- 9 The coalman lost his tail and found his dog (6)
- 10 Where the ale goes may not be the most appealing (4,5)
- 11 Speak softly on course (6)
- 12 Very old Ulster army, with little brother Edward in the cattle farm after dark (3,6)
- 13 Adapt this fair father back (6)
- 17 After fifty you are not on time (3)
- 19 Toe-nail bliss (7)
- 20 Moves about clumsily to sleep (7)
- 21 It radiates always, like a little bird (3)
- 23 No tubes in this, stupid (6)
- 27 Our little city in our capital, beside the end of the ring (9)
- 28 Bristle, there's plenty for a jump (6)
- 29 Repeat about the French, for revenge (9)
- 30 His vocation is that he cares about the Orient (6)
- 31 This anger, sounds like it could be channelled into a form of painting (9)

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DOWN

- 2 Sounds, like a sword in the ale or after the page (6)
- 3 Maybe not French freeborn, but put your clothes on (6)
- 4 The long one's route back to tolerance (6)
- 5 With 49, 51 and 100 it is unlawful (7)
- 6 Jailbird with one French snare, there's a riddle (9)
- 7 Awkwardly count without your fingers (3,6)
- 8 Retry the case of the clerical assistant (9)
- 14 No acorn seen with this timber, I hear (9)
- 15 180 on this, is as good as it gets (9)
- 16 Sidney dispatched back about a protester (9)
- 17 Sounds like a relative (3)
- 18 It is Latin (3)
- 22 Do you think he is one (7)
- 24 A north diagonal in the end (6)
- 25 One gives thanks back for the drink in this chamber (6)
- 26 Was the bandage like this (6)

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SOLUTION

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- 1 Abbeyleix.
- 9 collie.
- 10 beer belly.
- 11 putter.
- 12 Red Branch.
- 13 adjust.
- 17 ate.
- 19 elation.
- 20 slumber.
- 21 tit.
- 23 obtuse.
- 27 Irishtown.
- 28 abound.
- 29 retaliate.
- 30 career.
- 31 distemper.

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DOWN

- 2 beeper.
- 3 enrobe.
- 4 leeway.
- 5 illicit.
- 6 conundrum.
- 7 all thumbs.
- 8 secretary.
- 14 resonance.
- 15 dartboard.
- 16 dissenter.
- 17 ant.
- 18 est.
- 22 Israeli.
- 24 aslant.
- 25 atrium.
- 26 swathe.

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Abbeyleix sounds like 'a bee leaks'
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COLLIE[R]
- 10 beer belly.
BEER BELLY
- 11 putter.
P + UTTER
- 12 Red Branch.
R [ED + BR] ANCH knights
- 13 adjust.
AD + JUST
- 17 ate.
[L] ATE
- 19 elation.
ELATION anagram
- 20 slumber.
LUMBERS anagram
- 21 tit.
Spells IT from centre outwards all ways, forward and backwards
- 23 obtuse.
O + TUBES anagram
- 27 Irishtown.
IRISH + TOWN, beside Ringsend
- 28 abound.
A BOUND
- 29 retaliate.
ITERATE + LA anagram
- 30 career.
CARE + [E] + R
- 31 distemper.
DIS{this} TEMPER{anger}

DOWN

- 2 beeper.
BE [EPee] ER = page+r, and it sounds, too
- 3 enrobe.
[FR]EEBORN anagram
- 4 leeway.
EEL back LEE + WAY
- 5 illicit.
IL + LI + C + IT
- 6 conundrum.
CON + UN + DRUM
- 7 all thumbs.
ALL THUMBS
- 8 secretary.
RETRY CASE anagram
- 14 resonance.
ACORN SEEN anagram
- 15 dartboard.
DARTBOARD maximum score 180
- 16 dissenter.
DIS SENT ER
- 17 ant.
A[U]NT
- 18 est.
EST
- 22 Israeli.
ISRAELI
- 24 aslant.
A N LAST anagram
- 25 atrium.
AT + R[I]UM
- 26 swathe.
WAS THE anagram