

## December 2018 Slot 1 by Crowsman

**Across**

- 1 ,15 Male character in *Henry VI* (4,2,8)
- 4 Male character in *Henry IV, Henry V, etc.* (8)
- 10 Male character in *The Taming of the Shrew* (9)
- 11 Spiritual character in *The Tempest* (5)
- 12 Male character in *Much Ado About Nothing, etc.* (7)
- 13 Male character in *Hamlet* (7)
- 14 Conjured character in *Henry VI, Part 2* (6)
- 15 See 1-across
- 18 Female character in *As You Like It* (8)
- 20 Male character in *Twelfth Night* (6)
- 24 Female character in *A Midsummer Night's Dream* (7)
- 26 Male character in *The Merchant of Venice, etc.* (7)
- 27 Titular Shakespearean character (5)
- 28 Male character in *A Midsummer Night's Dream, etc.* (9)
- 29 Male character in *A Midsummer Night's Dream* (8)
- 30 Male character in *Julius Caesar* (6)

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- 19 President left, taking pass through hotel (7)
- 21 It turns both ways (7)
- 22 Part of orchestra is wearing funny boots (7)
- 23 Henry provides means of protection for wounds (5)
- 25 X-generations (5)

**Down**

- 1 Anticipates spittings, but not talk (7)
- 2 Etruria is resettling gladiator armed with a net (9)
- 3 Oedipus violated the work of God (4,3)
- 5 A parrot aboard destroyer (8)
- 6 With three different sides, nearly everyone is captivated by view (7)
- 7 Put out to pasture for a significant matter (5)
- 8 Photocompose the props for a movie scene (7)
- 9 Reportedly packs type of flower (5)
- 16 Person researching insect and its evolution (9)
- 17 Detach riding gear in sun-affected daze (8)
- 18 Briefly become weary during actual act of giving up work (7)