LOOKING BACKWARDS AGAIN

ANIL
Perth, Australia

You are again asked to spot famous places nestled backwards into these questions. Some are clues, most aren’t. Answers out back.

1. I had a venture here once, but never again, eh?
2. I’m leery so I hold my wallet firmly here—wouldn’t you?
3. In the main a bland land, don’t they say?
4. Is it a mile above the lowest mountain?
5. Is it in the home of the maniac I remain?
6. Is it the home of many a synod? No less than six!
7. Is it true they give a dog no chace here? ————
8. Isn’t indigo dye (anil) rebalanced with red in its flag?
9. Isn’t its continent the same as that of the Pretoria continent?
10. Is one living here no more than a brute in fancy clothes?
11. Is this all a decent city or partly faking it?
12. Is this one anywhere near the Erie Canal?
13. Join the club, ‘n’ at six dollars it’s pretty cheap, no?
14. Many who come here I main as I wish, do I not?
15. Prudish? No, sir, apparently just the opposite.
16. Shouldn’t its economy be more robust?
17. So if you go here they may bill you for a drink of water?
18. Doesn’t it resemble Armenia much more than Albania?
19. They drink alcohol so often why doesn’t the whole place reek of it?
20. They never lay a wrong foot here, do they? ————
21. They say nekton animals swim nearby, do they not?
22. To leave it I hate grievously—why am I so dazed?
23. Wasn’t this once the abode of a buccaneer fleet?
24. Weren’t they poor until a massive gold find was made?
25. Which early settlers saw oil oozing from the ground here?
26. Whose law prevails here lately, theirs or God’s?
27. Why can’t one ever get Tubular Bells here in a CD?
28. Why do they allow no cameras here?
29. Why do they bother trying to teach these wogs algebra? ———
30. Why is it important to keep your hat under wraps here?
31. Why is it they only can aid nice people?
32. Why is it that next to China I log no mountain wall?
33. Will I labour in vain to try and outdo this paradise?
34. Will they never omit labor unions here, I ask?
35. Will this place be picture perfect much longer?
36. Will you tell Anne I’ve always desired to live with her?
37. You can’t instal a penal colony here, can you?
38. Y’ took the right fork or y’ went elsewhere?
ANSWERS

ANAGRAM QUIZ 21 (added letter bold) Anil
1. anger            13. meaningless            25. superficial
2. seion            14. more succinct          26. eros ‘magic’
3. against          15. scorched earth        27. scenery
4. avarice          16. sympathi[z/s]e          28. posthaste
5. support          17. self-reliance          29. harm
6. ease up          18. abolition of slavery    30. outsider
7. parroted         19. panhandle             31. sensor [or snorer]
8. semantic         20. scattered              32. prevails
9. accuser          21. a participant         33. straight
10. See, hated.     22. scaredy cat            34. shatters
11. sufficient       23. presumably            35. Sierras
12. profane         24. presumably            36. nabob

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