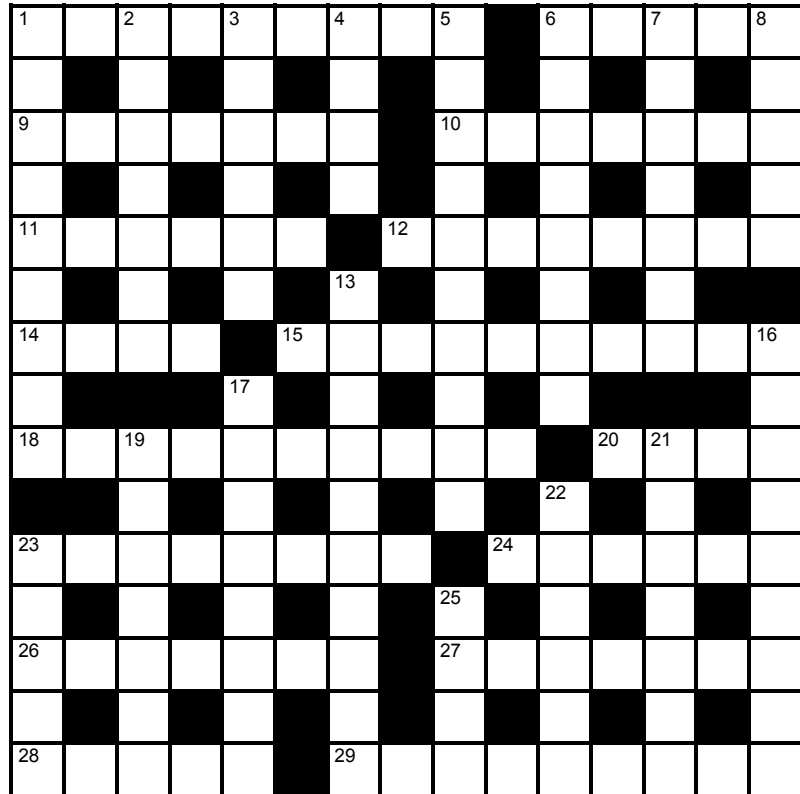


**Across**

- 1 Overact as item to graze (9)
- 6 Supports original sheet metal (5)
- 9 Sort rebellious republicans spun out (7)
- 10 Loosely preen, in a way like a snake (7)
- 11 Sort of light, not to a moderator ,however (6)
- 12 Top deer gets into trouble - developing desire (8)
- 14 Knocked back 20 spirit (4)
- 15 Envoy creates bad aroma in ship (10)
- 18 Reduce tar babe I've produced (10)
- 20 Top dog, out of mind, creates ruin (4)
- 23 A biro's an unusual way to get rubbing (8)
- 24 Force a physicist (6)
- 26 In cheap lace , boy doesn't affect Cure (7)
- 27 Doodlebug not a national disaster (7)
- 28 Gives in , hearing Wimbledon's best (5)
- 29 No idea



**Down**

- 1 Scot, first man to start importing aromatic wood (9)
- 2 Son in real bother in Italy (7)
- 3 Fighting firebrand quit R.A.F. and inherited (6)
- 4 Drinks in the Palestine scenery (4)
- 5 Poems about sailors become purgative (5,5)
- 6 Most stupid pub times vary (8)

delicatessens would produce no smell (9)

7 Remind a revolutionary, he was the first statesman.... (7)

8 ...stems from him becoming a real devil (5)

13 Bugs in room four, have nous to eat everything..... (10)

16 ....not these they're like sheep (9)

17 Dictionaries -we get best version with first-rate spelling (8)

19 With rib ,Adam created one who offers 4 (7)

21 Very large and not in paste (7)

22 Group have three extra, making 6 (6)

23 It sets in Goya's picture (5)

25 4 ground in Manchester (4)