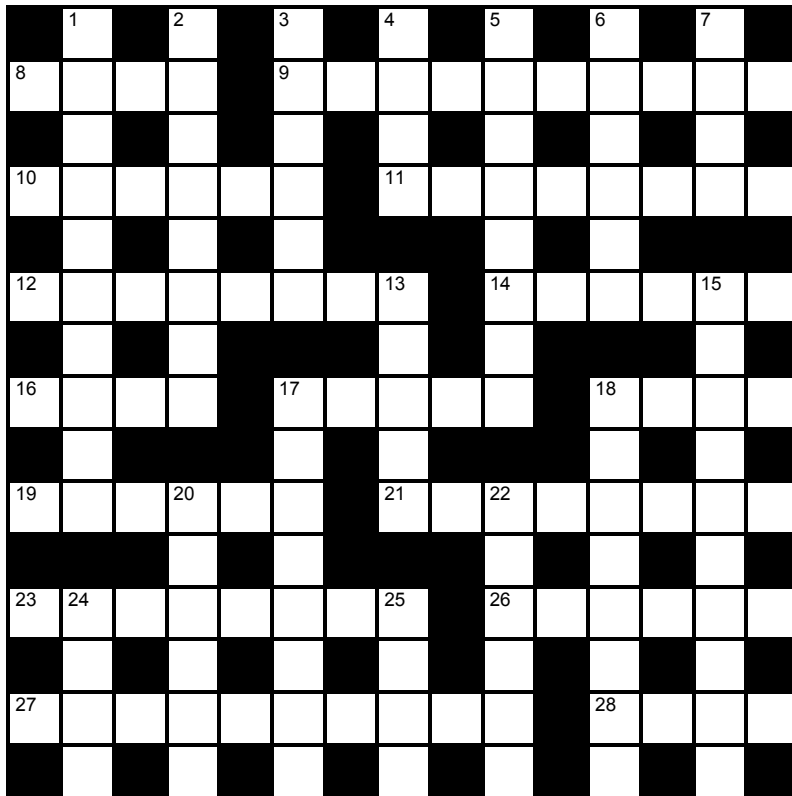


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### Across

- 8** Call for two measures (4)  
**9** Tip for channel's output (3,7)  
**10** Publisher in endless slog for company (6)  
**11** Batty old dear with nothing in fabulous city? (8)  
**12** Draw the banks of scenic river (8)  
**14** Briefly polite after losing nothing (6)  
**16** Duke entertained by amateur woman (4)  
**17** Hears husky material in part of a church (5)  
**18** Stink around loud bull! (4)

- 19** Order Thebes to be rebuilt (6)  
**21** Facial hair I look for it's said (8)  
**23** Rare find's staggering for branch of astronomy (8)  
**26** Set pitch (6)  
**27** Crew member has to leave after drink with queen and Charles (10)  
**28** Necessary to return and be fruitful (4)

### Down

- 1** Deeply regret taking one lower (10)  
**2** Purley is dreadful for disorder (8)

- 3** Note resistance returns in musical device (6)  
**4** Personality the French find worthless (4)  
**5** Deep Purple gets stick writing for one who records their work (8)  
**6** A practical person describes King for worshipper (6)  
**7** Cut first to last like a cake? (4)  
**13** Call to cancel rector leaving (5)  
**15** Threads remain for Spooner and Scargill? (4,6)  
**17** High speed editing of picture's a bargain (3,5)  
**18** Wire Bishop to

- replace leader of vicars in dance (8)  
**20** Fear nerves may constrain something nice and little? (6)  
**22** Say medal's returned for drink (6)  
**24** Anti-American judgment! (4)  
**25** Dutch banker quits Surrey town - the fool (4)