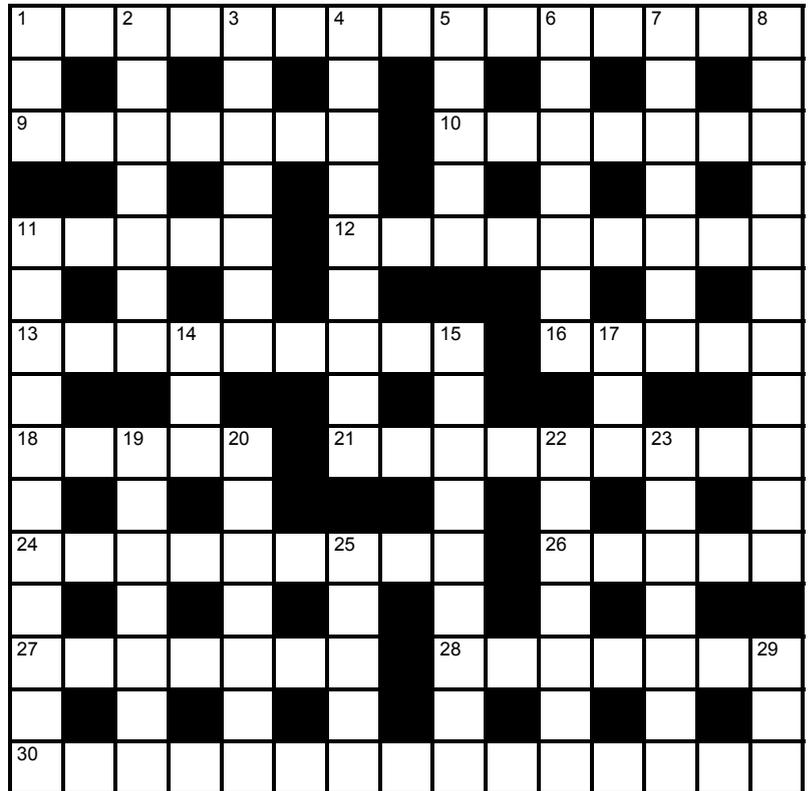


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Across

- 1 Looking after military position (11,4)
- 9 What causes locks to become stiff? (4,3)
- 10 Where the Hoosiers can be found working on a Paul Anka number (7)
- 11 State capital not on a river (5)
- 12 Pensioners smothered in brownish-grey form of talc (9)
- 13 Lost all hope of French head of state having made an agreement to abstain (9)



- 16 Tasty selection from Tsushima or Yatsushiro? (5)
- 18 Large architectural feature made of wood (5)
- 21 "Teletubby with pension irregularity" reveals writer showing malice (6,3)
- 24 Recalled no law restricting Kathleen's charity event (9)
- 26 What bullfighting fans do in a Yorkshire town (5)
- 27 Well-known entertaining centre-half scored (7)
- 28 Capital city where silly season is around the beginning of July (3,4)

- 30 Splendid managers such as provide no resistance (15)

Down

- 1 Rings husband. That's nice! (3)
- 2 See stars and end up with black eyes (7)
- 3 Former England cricket captain takes part in very brief sporting event (7)
- 4 Portslade turns out to be somewhere that inspired a poet (9)
- 5 Current Internet domain name for companies on a holiday island (5)
- 6 Crazy about pretty girls, he's going for those with no clothes on (7)

- 7 They speak of men eaten by animals (7)

- 8 Actress in great need is suffering (11)

- 11 Game in which king plays a part in tight victories (11)

- 14 Announcement of the best film (3)

- 15 Purified water is indeed nothing new (9)

- 17 Sub shelled by Royal Navy vessel (3)

- 19 Like a desk where Internet user, with head lowered, gets on top of work (7)

- 20 How might you get this girl warmed up? (7)

- 22 Like some food that's rotted in cargo (7)

- 23 In favour of rock star working for nothing? (3,4)

- 25 Electricity generated using a mixture of dry hydrogen and oxygen (5)

- 29 Golfer getting legless every now and then (3)