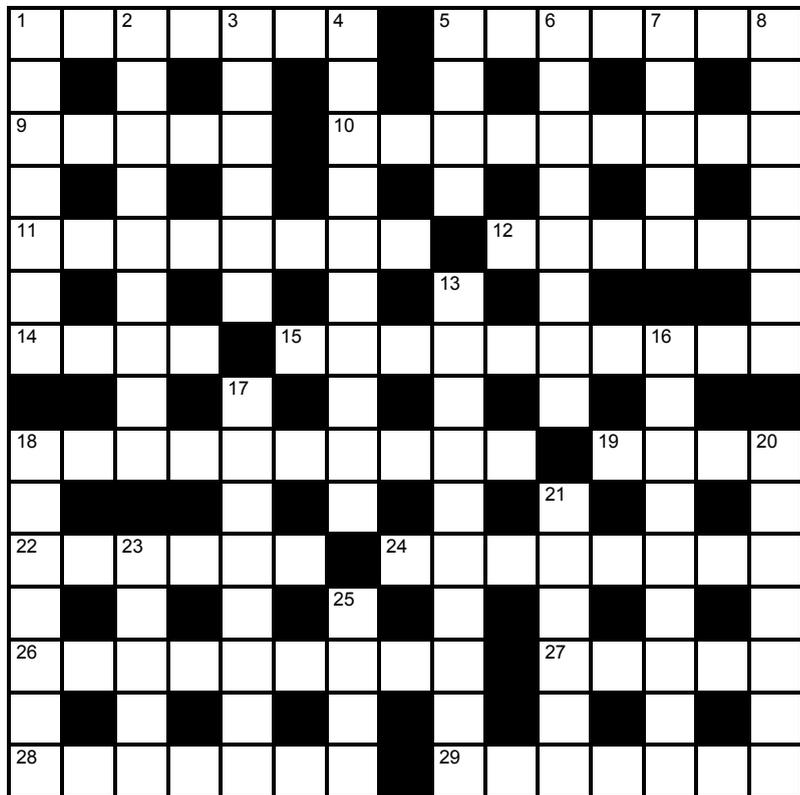


Across

- 1 Alter pitch of small instrument lent without case (7)
- 5 Greek character flies back to obtain a horse (7)
- 9 Force simple son to be expelled in error (5)
- 10 Very soon artist with bare torso will find lover (9)
- 11 Material reduced by 40%, pale, in a state of decline (8)
- 12 Servant from the old part of Arabia (6)
- 14 Granny acquires a type of bread (4)

- 15 Satie's final piece for singer transcribed into unauthorised works (10)
- 18 Behave appropriately when gay curate surprisingly holds love-in! (3,4,3)
- 19 Extremely excited after a game of golf's opening stages (4)
- 22 Becoming quite accomplished (6)
- 24 Gabby's vulgar utterances heard by wives when stripped (8)



- 26 Artisan muddles up names after flashback! (9)
- 27 A little piece of ham (5)
- 28 Southern resort bar opening? Cool! (5,2)
- 29 Actions relating to issue of mine? No, my partner's (7)

Down

- 1 Miss out on a century in Yorkshire town (7)
- 2 Petitioner is unable to pursue Liberal involved in a mis-selling scandal (9)
- 3 Weak aide turned daughter off (6)

- 4 Occupants of next-door house bring mobile (10)
- 5 Game and match reported (4)
- 6 Solomon, for one, describing character a long time ago? (5,3)
- 7 Startle retiring gentleman of a certain style (5)
- 8 Crumbled sulphur deposits (7)
- 13 Speculative ways of financing border protection? (5,5)
- 16 Kitchen assistants get grime all over the place before start of shift (3,6)

- 17 Depressed conductor's gesture (8)
- 18 Inspector's car raced but never finished (7)
- 20 One might be pickled rejecting her kind offers (7)
- 21 Touts regularly begin to sell the French fight (6)
- 23 Family given introduction to gangster in clink (5)
- 25 Warning submarine captain to turn back (4)