

Across

- 1 See 15
- 4 American clay pit, strangely unusual (8)
- 9 Barely adequate setter has a quantity of work rejected (6)
- 10 Former drink provider is pale, having a spell inside (8)
- 12 Takes Reliant Robin owners with us, for IoM event (8)
- 13 Australian Premier inhales this? (5)
- 15/18/1/27 5 and 10 announce themselves here, every Wednesday at nine, when one wants a hand, not a hotchpotch! (4,3,7,3,3,2,6,3,3,6

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- 22 It spaces pairs (5)
- 23 Description of transport for owl and another bird cooped up, swapping sides (3-5)
- 26 Man gets crust and always returns for dish (8)
- **27** See 15
- 28 In a fuddle, right? Horribly bad! (8)
- 29 Trust fairy to hide key (6)

Down

- 1 Base householder repudiates Queen about time! (4,4)
- 2 Explore made out road (2,1,4)

- 3 Sniff through these traps, not sprung initially (5)
- 5 Warm fruit sustains temperature (4)
- 6 Things happening with ambassador, facing workforce shortage, embraced by secretary! (9)
- 7 Where you may go - or the opposite, with Ministry involved (7)
- 8 Stay or bra, perhaps, that is ripped off? (6)
- 11 Aim to get involved in endless search for soap (7)
- 14 Speaker chopped wet tree (7)
- 16 Surpass response about stopping flow (9)
- 17 Filmed 1960s submarine

- departing with dipped beam (8)
- 19 Fine for this type of book about endless tune... (7)
- 20 ...endless rant, and Lee perplexed! (7)
- 21 Cut short American money given to daughter (6)
- 24 Girl, for instance, got up carrying fashionable papers (5)
- 25 Lover of ancient weapon given hearing (4)