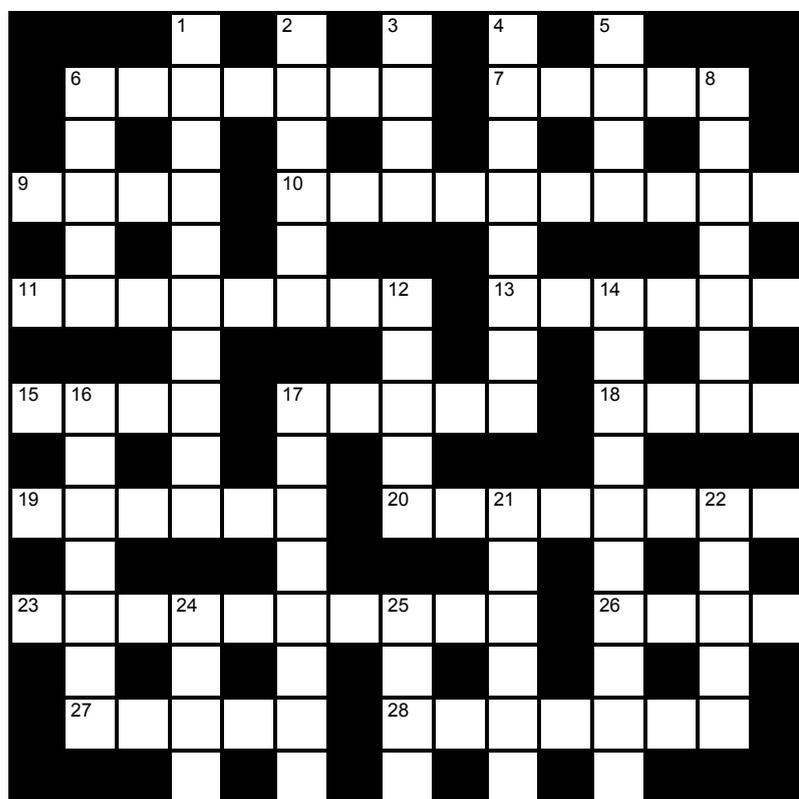


Tennis 1



Across

- 6** John ekes out brief inspection (4-3)
- 7/26ac** Marg lands broken major tennis match wins (5,4)
- 9** Keen headless Biblical king (4)
- 10/24dn** Spout near a nail confounded Down Under tournament (10,4)
- 11** Rare rest disturbed stopping device (8)
- 13** Decimal number before sin - western sport (6)
- 15** Alternately tie Brits to wading bird (4)
- 17** Apologetic - loses a poet to reasoned thinking (5)

- 18** Use the teeth inside tub - it eats away (4)
- 19** Len and Sam stir up old English cleric (6)
- 20** Open-air? Right, misguided fool, disrupt the State Emergency Service! (8)
- 23** Cool cry met frantic two-wheeled vehicle (10)
- 26** See 7 Across
- 27** Look after little wise Etonian (3, 2)
- 28** See 12 Down

Down

- 1** Gems and so on - Ed altered exclamation of surprise (8,2)

- 2** Narnia lion with bone at an angle (6)
- 3** French see climbing costs (4)
- 4** I rig a cut emerging from ancient language (8)
- 5** Round object initially broken at Lower Littlehampton (4)
- 6** Champion from L.A. Very talented (5)
- 8** I stir DA, clumsy journal writer (7)

- 12Dn/28Ac** Tennis champion wild about deer and wild about frog (5,7)

- 14** Sir Les Bune invented medicine inhalers (10)
- 16** Breadroll and charged particles create sore feet (7)

- 17** Doctor and church open in lap for tasty meat (4,4)
- 21** Cook to excess or dove flying (6)
- 22** Gaze steadily, I hear, used to go up or down (5)
- 24** See 10 Across
- 25** Food shop originally capital area for eating (4)