



**Across**

- 1 & 29 *A seasonal greeting* (5,9)
- 10 It keeps the surfer from encountering problems (9)
- 11 Past Noel on first of December, perhaps (5)
- 12 Crushed rose of love (4)
- 13 Set up fee cut - fate arranged (10)
- 15 Diary details newspaperman (7)
- 16 Listen out for Christmas yarn (6)
- 19 Offhanded - had left hurt (6)
- 21 Play area poorly

patronised finally four more go to leave (7)

- 23 Collect for a mass say (10)
- 25 Sweet Charlie (4)
- 27 Bubbly red-head goes in for curly style (5)
- 28 In keeping with a large bee collection (9)
- 29 *see 1* (3,4,3,4)

**Down**

- 2 Start 4 dug over fake grass (9)
- 3 Terrible upheaval to haul away surface (4)
- 4 Motor fuel is volatile so watch it! (7)

5 Value the ceremonial staff, though broken (7)

- 6 Cutting down on the pastry? (10)
- 7 Mostly comedians in TV & radio (5)
- 8 Tumultuous greetings get lost when he's in voice.... (6)
- 9 ....African's best friend who lacks one (7)

- 14 Little movement in middle sized river in obscure time-zone (10)
- 17 I got pub hero a fresh plant (9)
- 18 Oddly at leisure without us in the studio (7)

20 Initially looks like a real phoney surrounding the dope (7)

- 21 After sentence get a telly for nothing (3,4)
- 22 Palm off affair (6)
- 24 At the end of tragic death I feel bad for the boy (5)
- 26 Oddly die away when the grass is so (4)