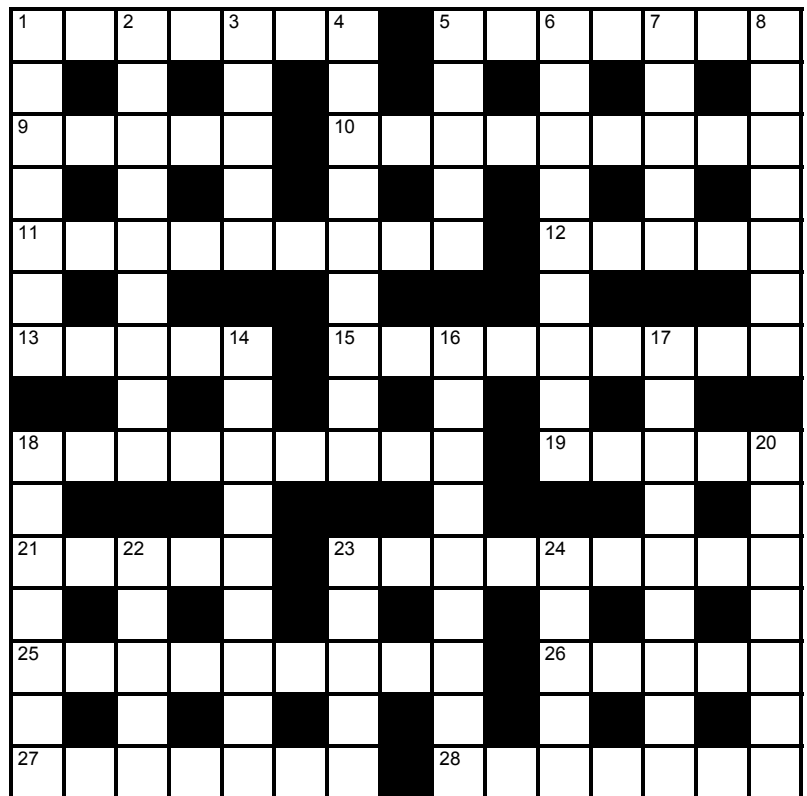


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Across

- 1 Tribe's overthrown champion lacking power (7)
- 5 Heartless quibble about nothing to start with becomes tortuous (7)
- 9 Fast time, nothing slow (5)
- 10 Smell of European capital is a distinctive feature (5,4)
- 11 Get lost novel appraised (9)
- 12 Able to sting (5)
- 13 Fetch affluent guards worthless material (5)
- 15 Talk sexy without boundaries with similarly affected Serb military leader (9)
- 18 Main partner to join forces with religious community (4,5)
- 19 Carry out punishment brought about by head of teaching (5)
- 21 Jerk briefly with minute expression (5)
- 23 Delivery is key, what a six for us! (9)
- 25 It's fantastic being wonderful girl's love (9)
- 26 Annoyed European admitted to returning obscenity (5)



- 27 Mechanical device resulting from engineering chatter (7)
 - 28 Virgin cradling child in craft (7)
 - 6 Son's wearing net garment to enhance natural features (9)
 - 7 Endlessly repeat a whack (5)
 - 8 Justice for Liberal voter, gaining seat (7)
 - 22 Enter, one bearing plonk (5)
 - 23 Worn out clothes line causing complaint (5)
 - 24 Very old place turned upside down to uncover exes? (5)
- Down**
- 1 Pleasant sounding doctor has look internally (7)
 - 2 Balance worker's bronze on centre of ledge (9)
 - 3 Church representative conceals love bite (5)
 - 4 Woman's to manage upbringing accepting one carer (9)
 - 5 Long-gone headless sea creature (5)
 - 14 Push forward and bug lover to get married with chief (9)
 - 16 Spineless creature harassed war hero clutching last of retirement money (9)
 - 17 Severe don in a car crashed (9)
 - 18 Cut futuristic film's lost provided backing, upsetting movie reviewer (7)
 - 20 Reject it, day in bank, while being taxed (7)