



Across

- 1 Singular fellows consuming separate drops of negus and port, strong alcoholic drink (8)
- 5 Fruit of mother with child (6)
- 10 Lover from Italy's capital (old) (5)
- 11 Inordinately posh chain; no place for bullish behaviour (5,4)
- 12 Sorted out main trail for postal delivery service (4-5)
- 13 Gold coin put into circulation (5)
- 14 Ancient silver and base metal with surface removed (3-3)
- 15 A co-host broadcast in this sort of collusion (7)
- 18 Naughtily stirs up over-fastidious moralists (7)
- 20 Cats do run wild in sizeable groups (6)
- 22 Fluttering almost boring little creature in trouble if north wind blows (5)

- 24 Rat breeds cunningly getting little songster (9)
- 25 Sailor running amok nail up his hat (9)
- 26 Some intricate roleplay to provide entertainment (5)
- 27 Afros like, say, regularly traditional in style (6)
- 28 Knowing and clever to spread this insecticide (3,5)

Down

- 1 One-time supermodel losing weight becomes very puny person (6)
- 2 Lawless hired gun pocketing millions; outstanding example of his kind (9)
- 3 Many of thousands wandering for a long time (1,5,2,7)
- 4 Leafy vegetable supporting Italian river duck (7)
- 6 Moggie with scorched feet is in an agitated state (1,3,2,3,6)

- 7 From time to time boxing has turned up man considered refined and cultivated (5)
- 8 Top set up is welcomed by rising men, producing jobs for relatives (8)
- 9 Endlessly select mostly satisfactory packed food for eating outdoors (6)
- 16 Great artist's exotic star model (3,6)
- 17 Drunken son with this alcoholic appetizer produces profanities (8)
- 19 Excessively strident US con man's side kick trapping shopper ultimately (6)
- 20 Partly record in a list indicating arrangement of sequence (7)
- 21 Judicious finally to linger for Vincent's night (6)
- 23 Pale greenish part of shrubby leaves (5)