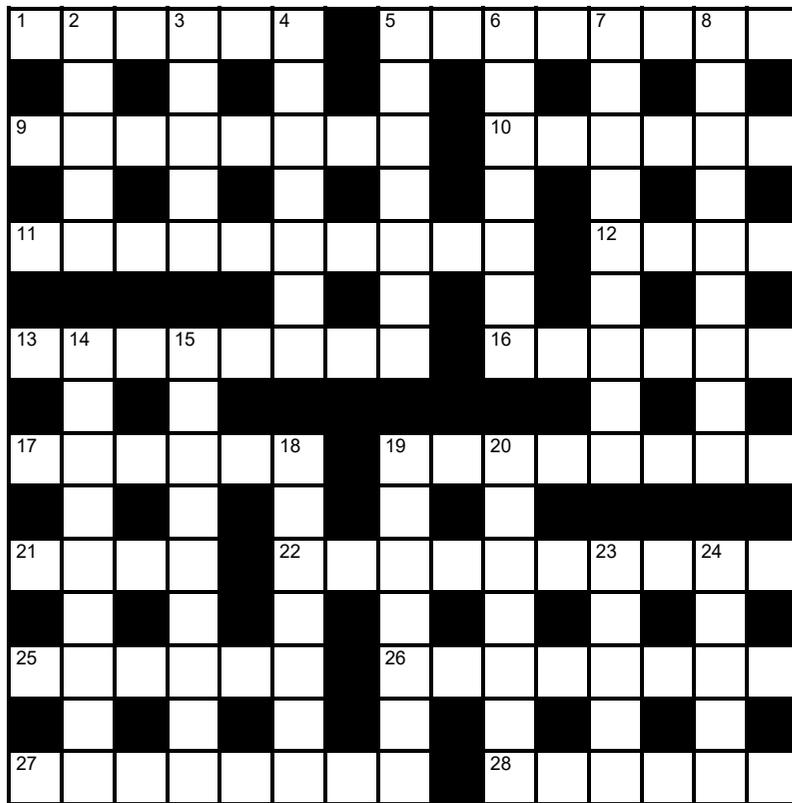


Favourites



Across

- 1 Slyly at first, Abraham's wife returning to constantly pester (6)
- 5 Utensils for whipping up prepared whiskey sour you sadly rejected (8)
- 9 Fellow with queen, one mostly a person accompanying (8)
- 10 Pale-faced mate with hat (6)
- 11 Clothe oneself too simply in this garment for wearing below another, say (10)
- 12 Whirling motion of Merckx maybe (4)
- 13 Firmly wraps up heart of crosswords and becomes confused (8)

- 16 Some of frozen block in a body (2,4)
- 17 Bump off, we're told, this way to travel in snow (6)
- 19 Closest circling area where Turkey is, for example (4,4)
- 21 Repulsive fruit we hear (4)
- 22 White flowers, arctic birds and feathery bunches of frozen crystals (10)
- 25 Get back old US President, touring Italy (6)
- 26 Permits including a fine empty line in publicity material (8)
- 27 Covers with grease supports surrounding small empty maisonette (8)

- 28 One on the fiddle; part of a racket! (6)

Down

- 2 Like faint-hearted person, very pale (5)
- 3 Gala, perhaps, is big in New York (5)
- 4 Rustled up this pastry dessert (7)
- 5 Seasons to lay to rest surrounded by extremes of winds (7)
- 6 Stalemate, I'm out of date (7)
- 7 Dreadfully like rebel; one that can do you in (6,3)
- 8 Driblets that keep falling on Burt Bacharach's head (9)
- 14 Turbulent wee glides for these feral fliers (4,5)

- 15 Farmyard I sorted out as scene of milk production (5,4)
- 18 Expression of joy of US street women with bit of old money (7)
- 19 Pasta for airheads? (7)
- 20 A few words announced in breaches of the peace (7)
- 23 Comparatively skilful storyteller drops folio (5)
- 24 Battered with top chopped off and consumed (5)