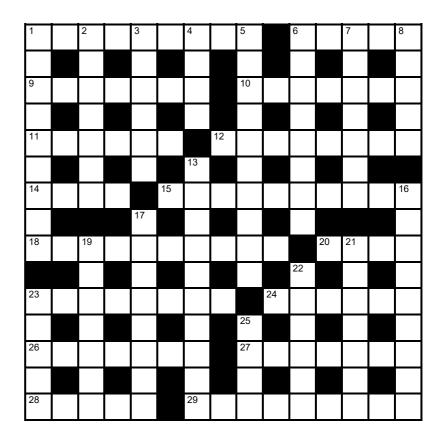
Across

- 1 Pumps delivered by Spooner's thin Europeans (9)
- 6 See through quiet beer without beginning to belch (5)
- **9** Fixes salesman with music (7)
- 10 Hide the real deal (7)
- 11 Announcement of basement retailer (6)
- 12 Stag takes hint to find man with a plan (8)
- 14 Box perhaps in centre everytime (4)
- 15 Legal document describes a tin whistle? (10)
- 18 Toff caused criminal to be stifled (10)
- 20 Assess sad sounds (4)
- 23 Seducer found destiny having laugh by Olympic City (8)
- 24 Short cut symbolises the law (6)
- 26 Unruly nieces consume hot takeaway (7)
- 27 Starts alternative newspaper on spirits (7)
- 28 Wise men point to a long time (5)
- 29 Concoction from evil sounding dissertation (9)



Down

- 1 Trooper spots hangers on (9)
- 2 Rascal goes to upper-class university on a whim (7)
- 3 Quiet! Fashionable queen gets black eye (6)
- 4 The French way to end (4)
- 5 Seems fleet at sea shows personal pride (4,6)
- 6 Extensive debts follow internationals' return (8)
- 7 To make things better first of all encourage new hope and never create enemies (7)

- 8 Blue compared to pink is more unusual (5)
- 13 United Nations' simple sounding head creates uncertainty (10)
- 16 Wonders how horse ties in a tangle (9)
- 17 Cruisers could be Peeping Toms dropping uniform and snorting a gram (8)
- **19** Appropriate installation (7)
- 21 Single member raises topic and hinders progress (7)
- 22 People produce shiny finish (6)
- 23 They're tied up in Oxford? (5)

25 Brass comes from Hydrogen or Nitrogen (4)

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