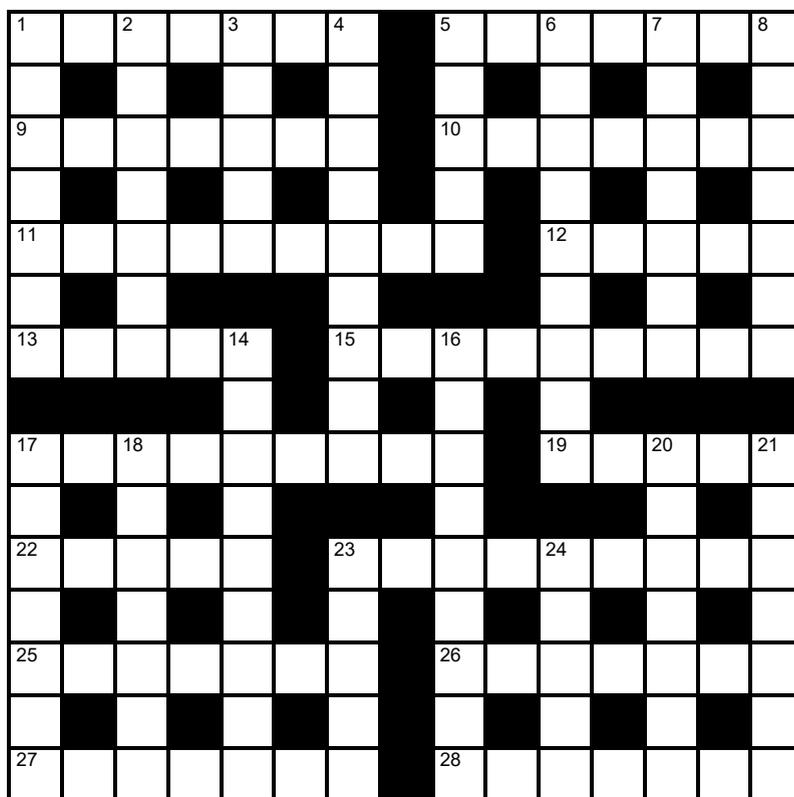


**Across**

- 1 Ban on leaving boomerang flying around (7)
- 5 Penniless Bob Dylan performance for ancient city (7)
- 9 What 'D' does at public event (4,3)
- 10 At first a new acting engagement made Idris completely washed out (7)
- 11 Head off alone with no approval for cosy corner (9)
- 12 Geisha keeps swallowing milky drink (5)
- 13 Unhinged like a group of teachers? (5)
- 15 Retired educator found hanging around galleries (3,6)
- 17 He goes before Belgian town to produce conjuror's command (3,6)
- 19 Massage one can't do without, so to speak (5)
- 22 Prussian navy music (5)
- 23 Excessively fraudulent we hear. It hurts. (9)
- 25 Could a no good fish describe this pastime? (7)



- 26 Payment taking week is difficult to deal with (7)
- 27 Hefty holy man is the greatest (7)
- 28 Reportedly disturbed daughter seated on high chair (7)

**Down**

- 1 First erotic proposal creates feeling (7)
- 2 Unwanted hangover after too much ale? (4,3)
- 3 Start off crossing narrow crest (5)

- 4 Clearly confused and randomly ordered figures of speech (9)
- 5 Empty space left in reserve (5)
- 6 Runners' chat helps Jack ascend (9)
- 7 Postgraduate entering after all the others gets severe reprimand (7)
- 8 Power source transparent after UN reversal (7)
- 14 Risky hero runs around county (9)

- 16 Do not dare change. No sweat! (9)
- 17 Unfashionable but not unsafe arrangement used to reinforce footwear (7)
- 18 We all were yesterday! (7)
- 20 Hold fast in French mountain range (7)
- 21 Feared a Rastafarian perhaps (7)
- 23 Penny-pinching drunk (5)
- 24 Walker says hello to king and queen (5)