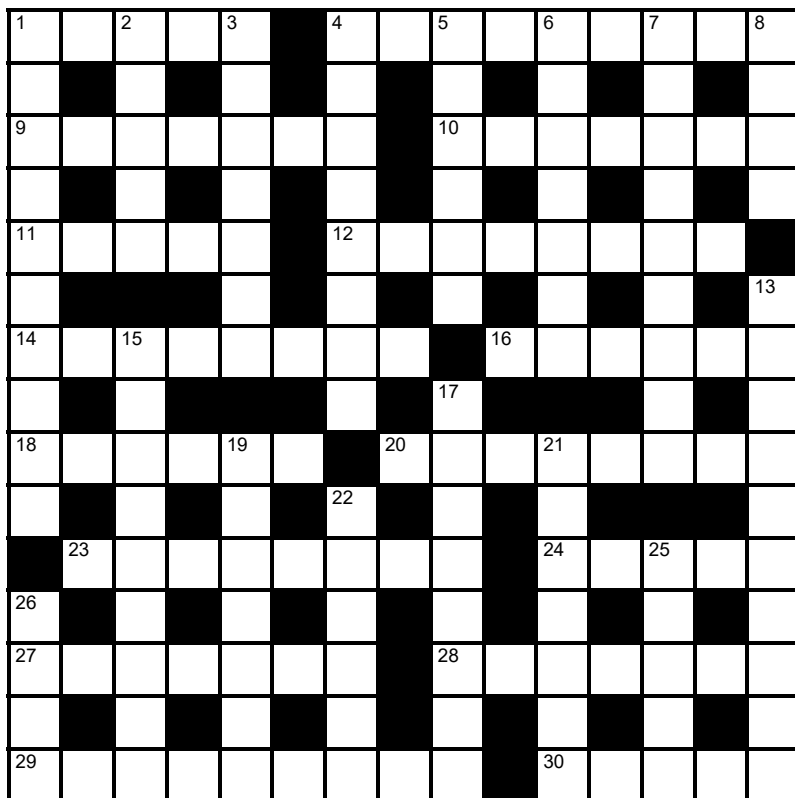


Across

- 1 Old writer fighting to be heard (5)
- 4 Versatile Elaine Paige's original cover of pop banger (9)
- 9 Miss Turner has trapped wind after flipping pasta (7)
- 10 Collins' latest American dictionary defines Yankee as "person from a northern state" (7)
- 11 Burst into tears emptying out Pelicot's cellar (5)
- 12 Flash crook visits city in the UK? (8)
- 14 Heavy metal is not *One Direction!* (8)
- 16 Chalicea nearly puts out a terrible chestnut (6)

- 18 Animation is checked by film's number one fan (6)
- 20 Clearly, arm curls end in you getting ripped and buff (8)
- 23 Sensitive Joe and Charlie go to France, initially ... (8)
- 24 ... far from Paris, close to Limoges's private parts (5)
- 27 Pancake filled with mostly fish sauce (7)
- 28 Audible's "Ultimate Mark Twain" is welcome (7)
- 29 Silvanus exhausted solvers, primarily opting for cycling clues (9)
- 30 European escape is happening (5)



Down

- 1 Spring chicken's top and stockings principally need to be appropriate (4-6)
- 2 Withdraw from country club, for example (5)
- 3 Maybe eat what's served up? (4,3)
- 4 Hurried to swallow pain meds here (8)
- 5 Creeping thing on the stairs? (6)
- 6 Brutal Lamar almost did for Drake? (7)
- 7 Visionary pal's novel receives backing from Hilary Swank (9)
- 8 Go for a spin with Merckx? (4)
- 13 Time mushroom picker retired, in hindsight (10)
- 15 Explosive draw on tap (9)
- 17 Look for Queen Vic's killers (8)
- 19 Raises rampant Manx cats? (5,2)
- 21 Spooner's blinking bounder is a bore (7)
- 22 These housing blocks might have problems with running water (6)
- 25 Picture that is all over Vogue? (5)
- 26 Murdoch's trucks held up in tense Turkmenistan (4)