

Rookie Corner 523

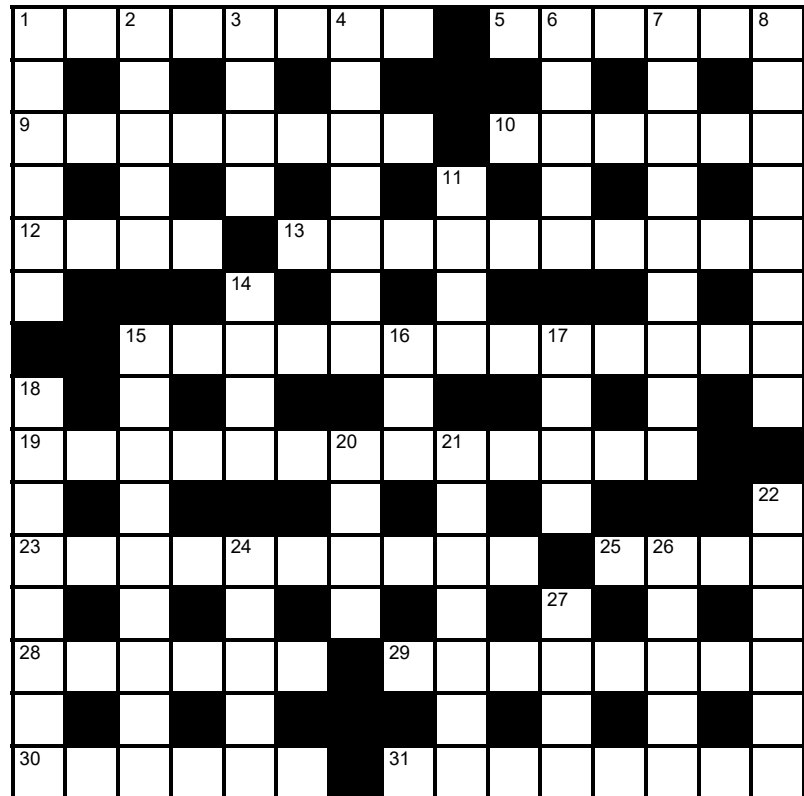
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Across

- 1 A strike in metropopolis could be a disaster (8)
- 5 Walked and a doctor went first (6)
- 19 Storage for trophy table (8)
- 10 Investigates hold-up during exercises (6)
- 12 Join short course (4)
- 13 Shopper becoming possessive? (10)
- 15 Guess there's one male in crude demesne (5 8)
- 19 Doll's jumbo hobby item (5 8)
- 23 Overhaul city's tax charge (10)
- 25 Clever, the French sailor's first (4)
- 28 Origin of soothing air (6)
- 29 Facing work on river location (8)
- 30 Mesh with female's bottom (6)
- 31 Affiliate only 40% with Feds - inside for a bit! (8)

Down

- 1 Goose's laugh (6)
- 2 Found in bed, risen wearing nothing from toe to head (5)
- 3 Lash on Dart maybe (4)
- 4 Completed drilling (7)
- 6 Airman loses direction, crashes into black vehicle (5)



- 7 Oil crab until cooked (9)
- 8 Resigned to work as an inventor (8)
- 11 Turns book (4)
- 14 Rod's port? (4)
- 15 Turned and possibly superfluous (9)
- 16 A blow may thicken it (3)
- 17 Confession of a ME coward? (4)
- 18 Yank, and a nice arm gets dislocated (8)
- 20 Little thanks after ten (4)
- 21 Joint for each aircraft (7)
- 22 I'm in the money - a bond (6)
- 24 Rate one hopes to get for money (5)
- 26 Partner's not well in prison (5)
- 27 Desire to be stretched (4)