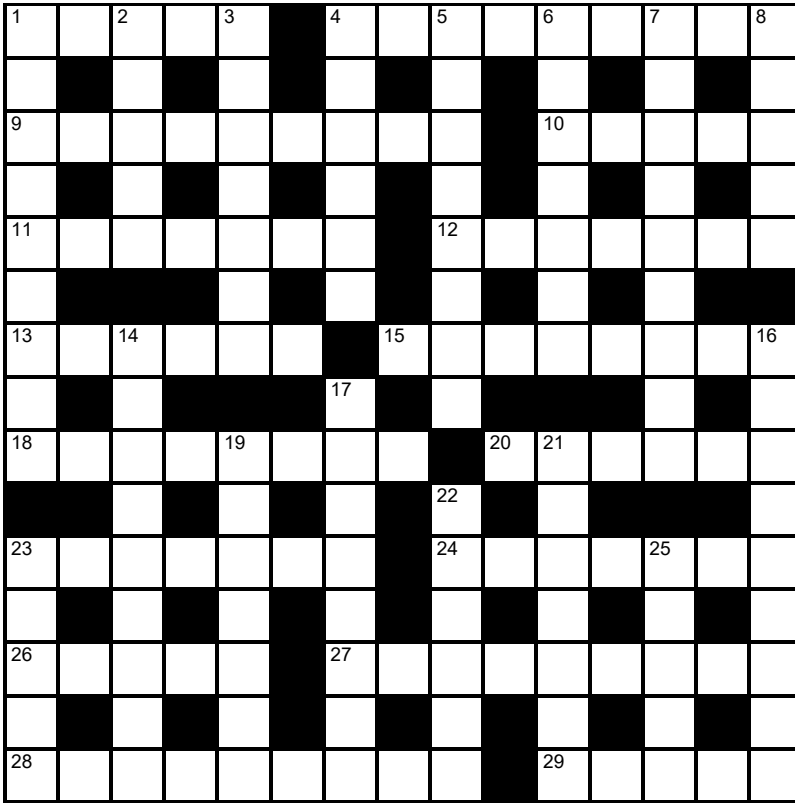


# CROSSWORD

No 17,248 Set by BOBCAT



## ACROSS

- 1 Revolutionary leader introduces doctor to dance (5)
- 4 Copycat musical makes a comeback after author's appeal (9)
- 9 Book cool position in court (9)
- 10 Pluck exhibited by women in Dynasty (5)
- 11 Change more ornate key (7)
- 12 One of us picked up drink from pub (7)
- 13 Lots of dogs heading off (6)
- 15 Weeks of decline in retirement not entirely retaining honour (8)
- 18 Unlike a coin to be biased (3-5)
- 20 Address of No 1 boarding school (6)
- 23 Not the same cycling around outskirts of Everest towards a specified place (7)
- 24 New path surprisingly leads to heavy artillery compound (7)
- 26 Faith originally held by communist (5)
- 27 Break team's opponents in game (9)
- 28 Matter in the main well liquefied? (9)
- 29 Change of heart makes little sense (5)

## DOWN

- 1 Official is second to support party led by PM (5-4)
- 2 Signal translator exposed casual worker tracking Government department (5)
- 3 Finished composition before time? No! (7)
- 4 Headline-cropping Ed. up to snuff (6)
- 5 Spoilt devil having top quality wine (8)
- 6 Performer in Dire Straits trimmed programme's finale (7)
- 7 Berlin not right to be upset about car that's too quiet (9)
- 8 Longing to do good in role of saint in festival (5)
- 14 For Germans, the earth is charged by the Spanish for fuel (6,3)
- 16 Trial run without judges is bona fide (9)
- 17 I provide evidence of depression obscuring recollection of denial (8)
- 19 Reserve last of tickets (by whatever means) for Frozen? (3,4)
- 21 Studs used to make connections by spiking drinks (7)
- 22 Segment of burrowing earthworm's working effectively (2,4)
- 23 Symbol of note embodied by cat (5)
- 25 Style hint (5)

## JOTTER PAD

Solution 17,247

