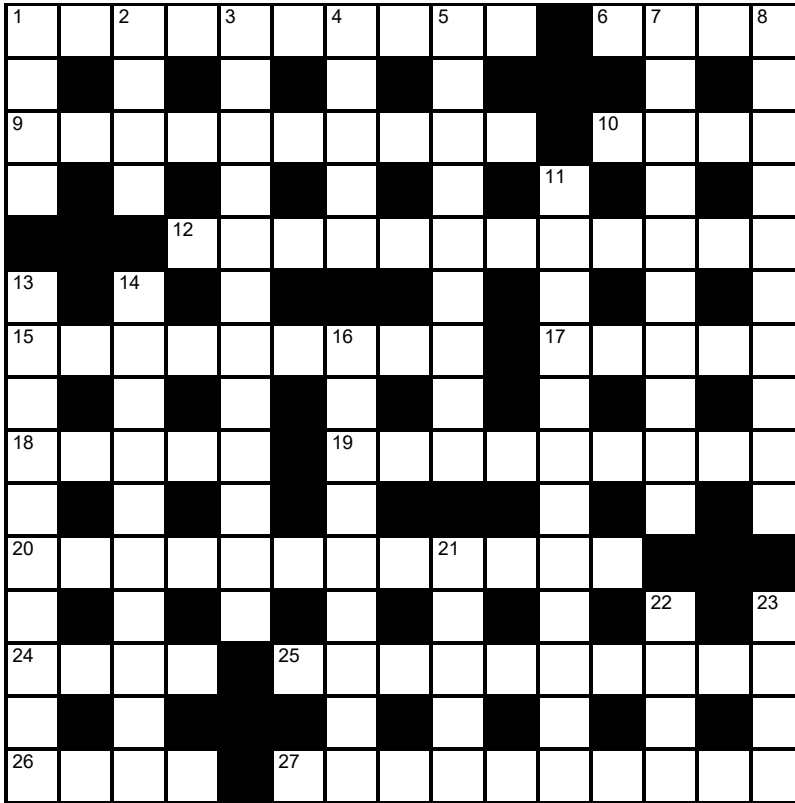


# CROSSWORD

No 17,431 Set by AARDVARK



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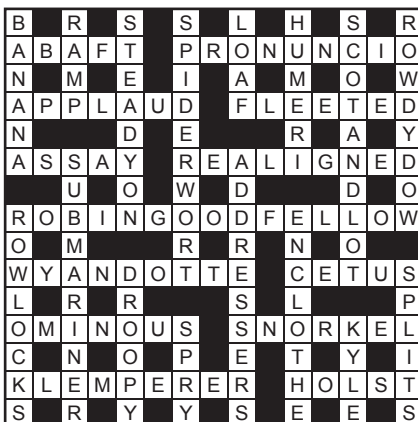
- 1 Jailbird's back in prison, crazy and condemnatory (10)
- 6 State level of intelligence when describing artist (4)
- 9 Beat Nick in tournament (5,5)
- 10 Regular findings of moose and stag bones (4)
- 12 To make melodious, use less of a particular organ (4,2,3,3)
- 15 It's a pain to pick up body hair (9)
- 17 Each member of flock to finish meal? (3,2)
- 18 Made a fuss without getting at religious doctrine (5)
- 19 Exposed spouse-to-be in United ground (2,3,4)
- 20 Last-minute, disheartening hitch interrupts tour by cricket team (8-4)
- 24 That's a relief map, at right-hand edge, showing fell (4)
- 25 Perhaps watch over function by church seeing what's paid (10)
- 26 Photograph crossbeam when it's separated? (1-3)
- 27 Unknown by grave mostly cast light on Napoleonic battle (10)

## DOWN

- 1 Court members, when Wimbledon final often held, swapping sides (4)
- 2 One's banged part of femur driving northwards (4)
- 3 Having aimed to diversify, Stuart passes college course? (5,7)
- 4 How's your father? Not bad, getting through that upset (5)
- 5 Alliance outwardly Green when getting in fuel (9)
- 7 Courteous still around training college (10)
- 8 Bike hired to trail right up a one in four (10)
- 11 Possibly Danish blue vessel that's used in kitchen? (12)
- 13 One might come down with this yellow flower, a sign of affection (7,3)
- 14 Large body of water developing leakage blocked by Nevil (4,6)
- 16 Ice ran out for the liqueur (9)
- 21 Crime is discovered in the building (5)
- 22 Against hand lotion, in essence, repeatedly (4)
- 23 Car entrepreneur to live somewhere Antipodean (4)

## JOTTER PAD

Solution 17,430



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