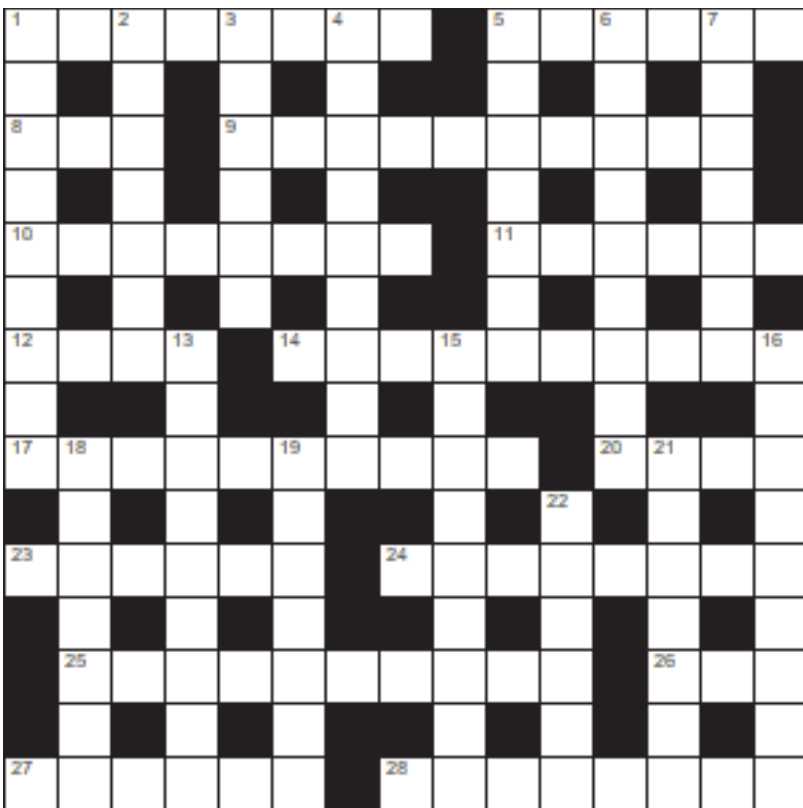


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ACROSS

- 1 King's daughter joins failed rockstar in retirement (8)
- 5 Vessel returned with family linen? (6)
- 8 Creature in a state before noon taken away (3)
- 9 Caught nameless ex-jailor making sudden withdrawal (4,6)
- 10 Rite translated into language mostly for educated lot (8)
- 11 Briefly cooked outside of lobby once in while (6)
- 12 Time with fringe group opposing us (4)
- 14 London landmark rally blocked by British king (6,4)
- 17 Young son spies purveyors of magazines (10)
- 20 Long long record originally is criticised (4)
- 23 Medic retreating Blue Fungal Disease (3,3)
- 24 Gratification guaranteed on request (8)
- 25 'Backwater' from clue 'Animal crossing river' (10)
- 26 Support radius, twice twisted? (3)
- 27 Starts to get narky over relative's spiritual knowledge (6)
- 28 Fried food big teens demolished (8)

DOWN

- 1 Phoney map outlining city limits of Aden (9)
- 2 Old Leonidas at last lifted award? (7)
- 3 Play some more once composed at top of class (6)
- 4 Wind up below column naked. Awkward! (3,2,4)
- 5 Non-partisan UN later reassembled (7)
- 6 Inscrutable player thrust fellow into contest (5,4)
- 7 Heavenly midday ale regularly left inside of nick (7)
- 13 Note dashes and more than one typo (9)
- 15 Scold *Club Ecstasy* stocking defective latex (6-3)
- 16 Danish ace redeveloped estates on Majorca (9)
- 18 Clay layer beneath 80% of planet (7)
- 19 Lacking courage, as he is compared to heroine? (7)
- 21 9 maybe is missing such fruit over long period (7)
- 22 Police dept. moggy periodically scratched mutt (6)