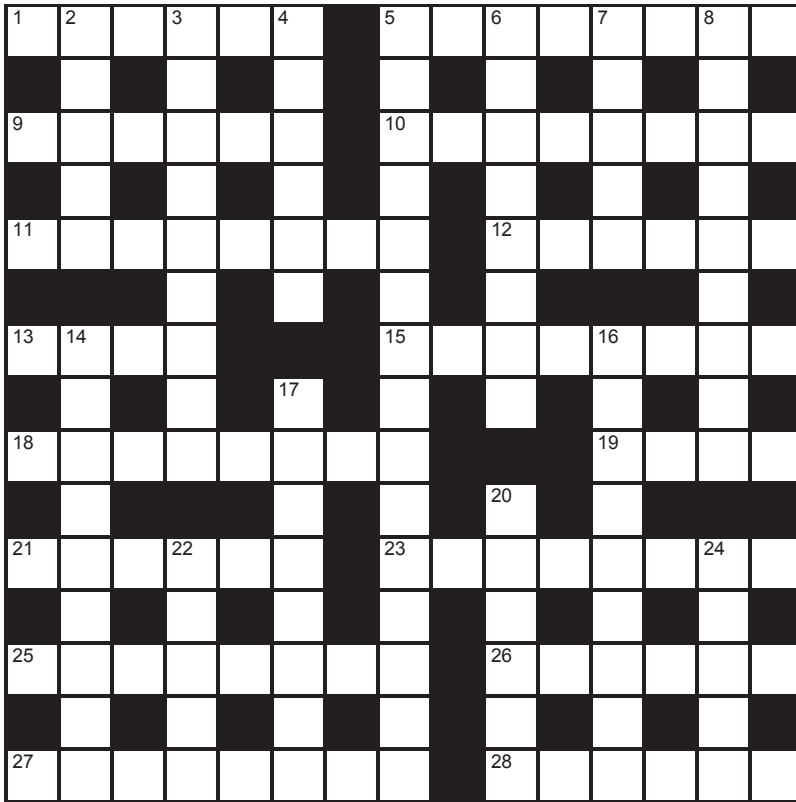


CROSSWORD

No 16,749 Set by BRADMAN



ACROSS

- 1 Pigeon getting copper's helmet? (6)
- 5 Power of tot – I walk all over the place (8)
- 9 Wire not sophisticated, wanting head covered – this cloth could hide it (6)
- 10 One German saint and one German genius (8)
- 11 Church in weird style exhibiting happy-clappy mode? (8)
- 12 Flier getting hit, needing hospital for short time (6)
- 13 A little drink knocked back in Italian city (4)
- 15 A Parisian maiden getting questioned becomes exposed (8)
- 18 In despair, having lost American Bob? (8)
- 19 Parties needing hard cash (4)
- 21 Jeer, first off, showing spirit (6)
- 23 One politician wanting harmony and protection (8)
- 25 Princess's characteristic to be absent-minded (8)
- 26 Demands of old lover met with deeds (6)
- 27 Fish chaps brought to port – last of fish netted (8)
- 28 Milk business not excellent – if cows are this? (6)

DOWN

- 2 A husband that you might get after superior religious instruction! (5)
- 3 Join up with the fellow, then yap freely inside (9)
- 4 Unproved statement in submission for PhD? (6)
- 5 Calm down – I don't want to see that chest! (4,4,5,2)
- 6 Wanting company to advance money, as you might say? (8)
- 7 I may be poured out by server at table (5)
- 8 A measure of Violet Elizabeth's malady? (9)
- 14 Nowadays Bradman's getting into fixed routine (2,3,4)
- 16 Any rested drunk could be this (9)
- 17 Pack bananas as one of the ship's crew (8)
- 20 Two pages – second page gets looked at (6)
- 22 A longing to be the leading character in horticulture (5)
- 24 Celestial object – it turned brown (5)

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