

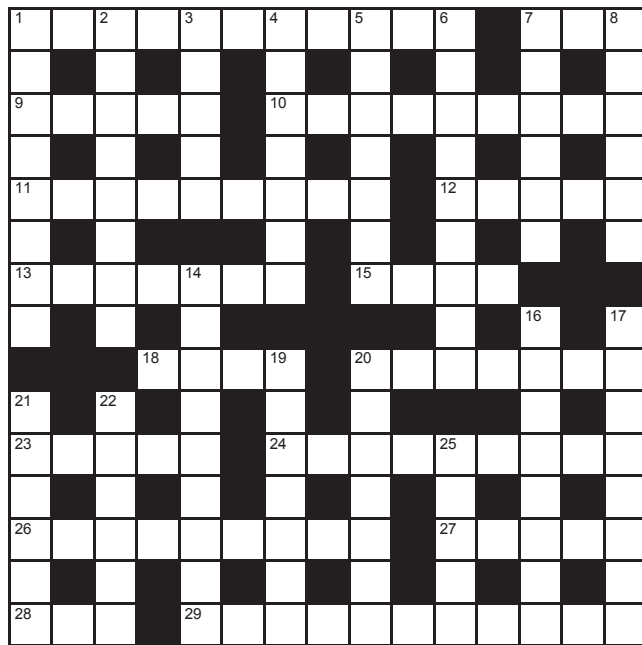
Crossword 16,774 Set by Chalmie

ACROSS

- 1** Fake blue implant about to burst (8,3)
7 See 28
9 Substantial old city for eastern country (5)
10 Raiders murder as a sport (9)
11 Fake writer putting navy into space a little way (3,6)
12 Pipe across top of radiator on which to dry clothes (5)
13 See 21
15 Pose holding posh diamonds? (4)
18, 20 Fakes haircut, upsetting clerics (4,7)
23 Some going west in the USS Independence's launch (5)
24 Slap paint around in American medical procedure (6,3)
26 Making public city is blocking decoration (9)
27 Is quiet, OK? (3-2)
28, 7 Room with nothing in by chance (6)
29 Year of wandering in space to look at 14 justice (3,3,2,3)

DOWN

- 1** Threatens left's objectives (8)
2 Turning all angry about something in the throat (8)
3 Airline was first to go north, initially to Alaska (5)
4 Veils politician in deceitful ways (7)
5 Devotees suffering as one war god punches another (7)
6 Note something that's right is comparatively sinful (9)
7 Boring director back, wary after losing battles (6)
8 Run away, though not to go off after degree in PPE (6)
14 Current king brought up in location of biblical people (9)
16 Obese chap crosses a line emptying out rubble, causing a problem for cyclists (4,4)
17 Model has got out of bed before, presumably (1,7)
19 Unemotional fool a drip during exercise (7)
20 Persist in belief that company is concealing fish bone (5,2)
21, 13 Fake attack riled jittery stars (6,7)
22 Dross I analysed uncovered fake writer (6)
25 Confused cats eating preserves (2,3)



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