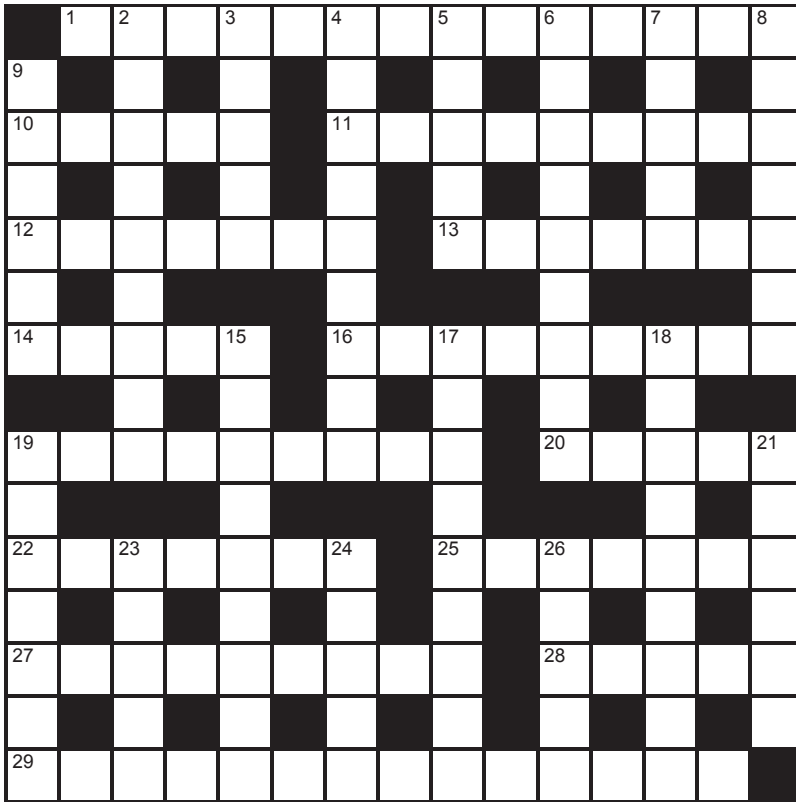


CROSSWORD

No 16,784 Set by ALBERICH



ACROSS

- 1 From which you can pay someone's electricity bill? (7,7)
- 10 Youngster's boxing ring fills up (5)
- 11 Nothing in school guaranteed calmness (9)
- 12 Chicken roll contains mayo at last (7)
- 13 Garment that's found in Benetton but not Burton (7)
- 14 What's smelt? First off, a type of fish (5)
- 16 Spooner's finest clothes for one making limited appearance in pub? (5,4)
- 19 Understand bar staff's first, sadly, to become superfluous (9)
- 20 He scored Australian runs after leg breaks (5)
- 22 Copper's tackling sailor about naval weapon (7)
- 25 This great novel is one of love that reigns (7)
- 27 Drawing out European legal ruling? Not half (9)
- 28 Drop a stitch when talking (5)
- 29 And isn't she soon ordered to do nothing? (3,2,4,5)

DOWN

- 2 No unread novel grabs daughter, that's plain (9)
- 3 One interrupts holiday to do test again (5)
- 4 Country fresh air can ultimately bring you stamina (9)
- 5 Husband leaves injured, carrying weapon (5)
- 6 Following game, endless tea and savoury cake (9)
- 7 University in America with large common (5)
- 8 Speaker, one using social media? (7)
- 9 Wine collection lacks the Spanish and French red (6)
- 15 Put up with heretic's language (9)
- 17 Alienates sergeants in mess (9)
- 18 Country houses artist turned up to decorate florally (9)
- 19 Disease caught off insects (7)
- 21 Government welcomes politician to fold (6)
- 23 Nelly catches second wind (5)
- 24 Sickie regularly taken by working offspring (5)
- 26 A somewhat experimental phase (5)

JOTTER PAD

Solution 16,783

