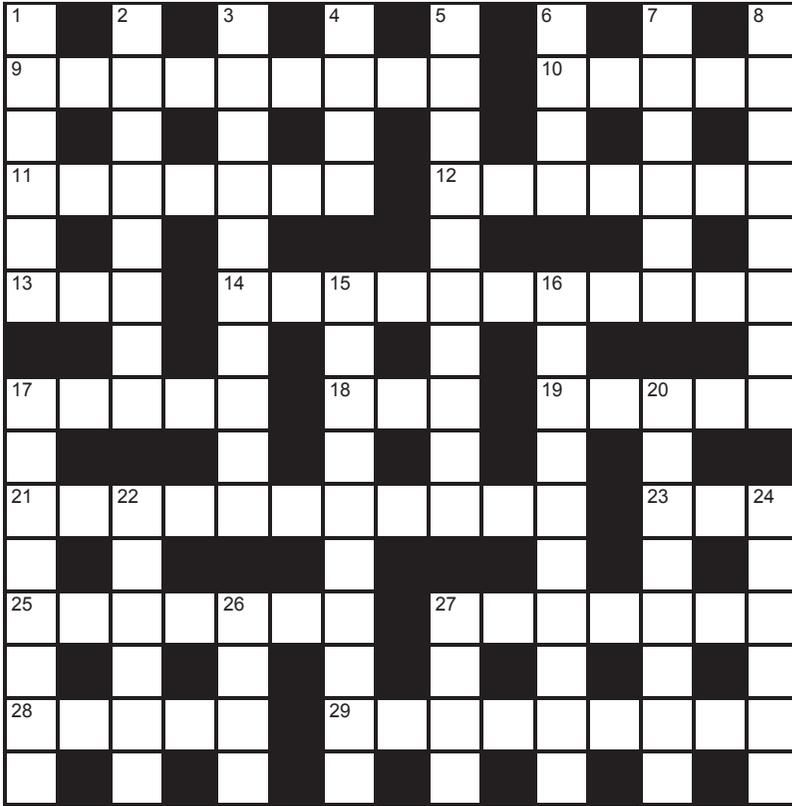


CROSSWORD

No 16,803 Set by BRADMAN



ACROSS

- 9 Mike has hair styled by one wise man (9)
- 10 Holy bones maybe Roman Catholic priest collected (5)
- 11 Oil in river by house at edge of settlement (7)
- 12 Resident of French province sent to religious school (7)
- 13 Slide involving some riskiness (3)
- 14 What may excite Mrs: heron may in part of Kent (6,5)
- 17, 18, 19 Entertains with rhyme (5,3,5)
- 21 Northern town with one cunning old church ruler (11)
- 23 Only one half of the pantomime animal? Goodness! (3)
- 25 King, the fellow to go down with viceroy (7)
- 27 What business needs to get going in London? (7)
- 28 Officer in charge of biological unit (5)
- 29 What rival claimants to baby wouldn't do for Solomon – wailing diminishes (3,6)

DOWN

- 1 Punishments or signs of love? (6)
- 2 Winner such as Bob at Aintree in 1981? (8)
- 3 or maybe me at Wimbledon in 1975, in a rush, heart fluttering? (6,4)
- 4 Artist, good person set up as policy chief (4)
- 5 Person to tell what you're thinking as one entering pit full of fear (4-6)
- 6 Member of family, 23, participated in marathon maybe (4)
- 7 Item of clothes that is on fire? (6)
- 8 Plant in a container in the manner indicated (8)
- 15 Maiden, one French friend wanting to be a companion somewhere in Florida (5,5)
- 16 Easy for one? (10)
- 17 A crew with keg at sea that may be afloat after accident (8)
- 20 A sort of image, no? (8)
- 22 Washes cold meat – first requirement for safety (6)
- 24 Listen, stupid recruit! (6)
- 26 Have a desire to reside in Whitchurch (4)
- 27 Banks contain all your savings? Only bits of them (4)

JOTTER PAD

Solution 16,802

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