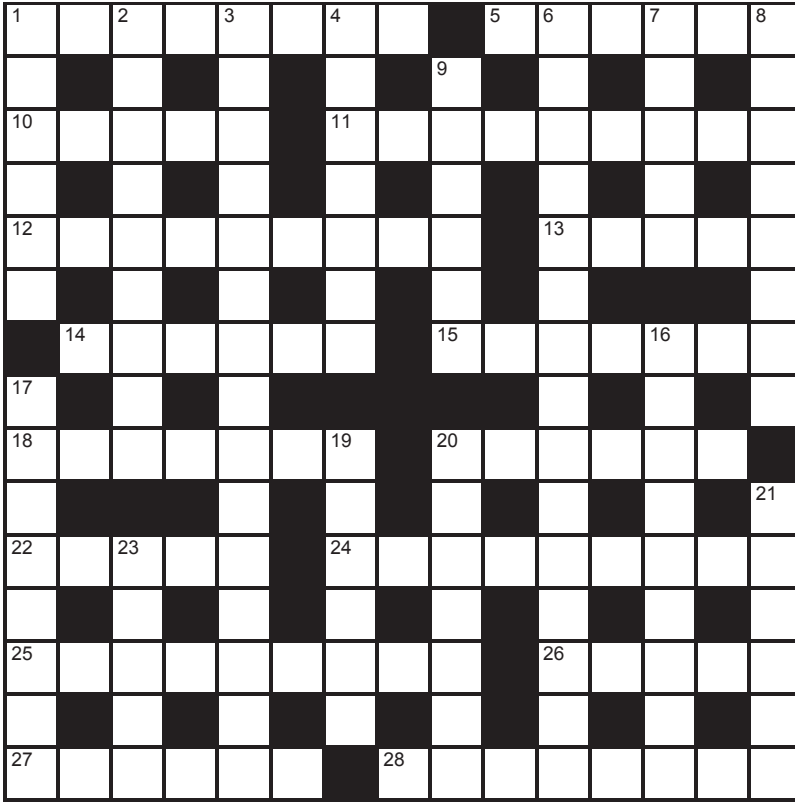


# CROSSWORD

No 16,819 Set by JULIUS



## ACROSS

- 1 Cameron (ex-prime minister) leaving no10 injecting American drug (8)
- 5 Variety of marrow pulp (6)
- 10 Learned Muslim character from Greece heads two newspapers (5)
- 11 Financial statement using extra spin (3,6)
- 12 Sample of photo is a handy feature (9)
- 13 Marines unit displaying heat (5)
- 14 Where work is to be done within year? (2-4)
- 15 Left out retiring actor Johnny, old, raddled, discontented (7)
- 18 Oh heck! Poor Victor . . . he died of TB (7)
- 20 Cranking up REM following intro from Jerry Springer (6)
- 22 Measure, say, Reading University business grad (5)
- 24 Crow flies around, winds people up (5,4)
- 25 Lady Chatterley's right-wing position (9)
- 26 HM receiving Julius, eastern ruler (5)
- 27 Specialist batsman no stranger to the bottle? (6)
- 28 British passport used to feature this cover (8)

## DOWN

- 1 Put down sample tape, having erased contents (6)
- 2 Rubbish, naff clue last in puzzle for "wealth" (9)
- 3 Scottish keep punishing lads butchering English (9,6)
- 4 Number-cruncher helping to deliver assurance (7)
- 6 Most equestrians, unfortunately, could be described as posers (8,7)
- 7 Humour a daughter of Mnemosyne (5)
- 8 Sounds like Atwood's tale-teller is her own work! (8)
- 9 Banished former partner (idle drunk) (6)
- 16 Catastrophe! No men allowed to host these amazing events (9)
- 17 A! 10CC's new stream is hot! (8)
- 19 Upturned box containing a tin (empty) (6)
- 20 Ms Adamson holding lion's ear regularly, such skilful handiwork! (7)
- 21 One of three notes beginning to explain Earth's natural attraction? (1-5)
- 23 Minister's house servant cleaning out staircase (5)

## JOTTER PAD

Solution 16,818

