

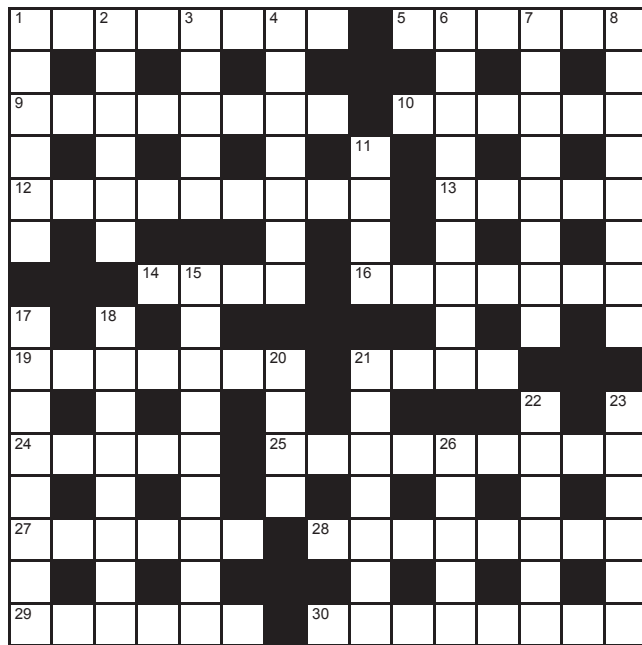
Crossword 16,852 Set by Mudd

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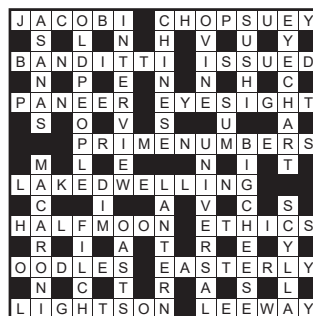
- 1 Sauce bottles provided by top set (8)
- 5 Something sharp felt in abdomen, tack (6)
- 9 Group good at spelling test somewhere in the West Midlands (8)
- 10 Fish cut (6)
- 12 Unaware, having experienced power failure? (2,3,4)
- 13 Some couch, in general, for rest (5)
- 14 Stop setter, me oddly! (4)
- 16 Complain: curse about mildew (7)
- 19 Out of one's mind, demons in perhaps? (7)
- 21 English composer in Elgar needed (4)
- 24 More thoughtful did you say? Sort of (5)
- 25 Tune lost in hunt for singer (9)
- 27 Grasp and restrain two mammals from behind (6)
- 28 Composition of a student not articulated clearly (8)
- 29 Mighty figure cracking basin (6)
- 30 Fish, cheese and eggs sent back (8)

DOWN

- 1 For starters, everyone instinctively knows cut in salary coming – day taken off work (6)
- 2 Silliness: fine to embrace it (6)
- 3 Colombian leader inspired by European trip (5)
- 4 What's raised to get attention in class? (7)
- 6 Little bit sad when Eagle landed? (9)
- 7 Brilliant date fixed to host solemn Christian event (8)
- 8 So far bang on time, protagonist's claimed (8)
- 11 Bypass spring (4)
- 15 Waterproof material boy and I found in lake (9)
- 17 Catcher supports spinner (8)
- 18 Two cans I mixed up for wooden panelling (8)
- 20 Staff initial on membership card (4)
- 21 V good person after a profit (7)
- 22 Pat goat? (6)
- 23 Lethal compound of lead lining walls in deanery (6)
- 26 Giant strain, by the sound of it? (5)



Solution 16,851



Solution 16,840

