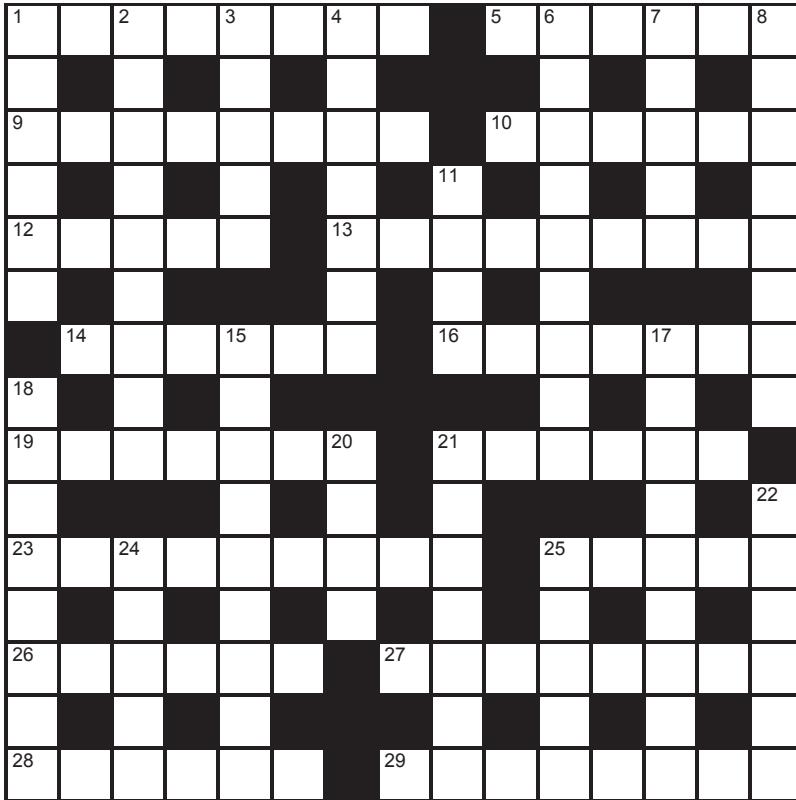


CROSSWORD

No 17,034 Set by LEONIDAS



ACROSS

- 1 Good fellow in row G has argument (4-4)
- 5 Collection initially is feted as “top of the range” (6)
- 9, 10 Onboard expert with a verdict: brake's worn (8,6)
- 12 Chuck cycling for fish (5)
- 13 Old quote Dolly regularly used with enthusiasm (9)
- 14 Charm smuggler into bath when naked (6)
- 16 *Home and Away* briefly set on fine island (7)
- 19 Perception of thing is shifting (7)
- 21 Vehicle butcher reported (6)
- 23 Brazilian stripping for the beach? (6,3)
- 25 Waffle dish changing hands (5)
- 26 One in flight essentially leaving taxi here (6)
- 27 Pub talk about brewer's last diagram (3,5)
- 28 Name juvenile in centre of demo (6)
- 29 Shallow end pike's ravaged (4-4)

DOWN

- 1 Mob having leader supplanted by Dutch tinker (6)
- 2 Unofficial titles such as clink and choky (9)
- 3 Females securing second jabs (5)
- 4 Most elegant swallow occupies shelter (7)
- 6 Hit that must have come from Sky (3,6)
- 7 Kept bringing up Hindu gods (5)
- 8 Spooner's tipsy enthusiast is steerer of boat (8)
- 11 Letter for radio penned by Czechoslovakian (4)
- 15 Celebrated finale below stage (area really empty) (9)
- 17 Bother adorning most of tomb with marble (9)
- 18 Pay out when organising bus rides (8)
- 20 Draws Cram running toward the north (4)
- 21 Batch of beers let go, saving nine pence (3-4)
- 22 Advice for 9, 10's own safety (4,2)
- 24 Drunken doctor admits fighting with sticks (5)
- 25 Bird missing kernel of slim nut (5)

JOTTER PAD

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