

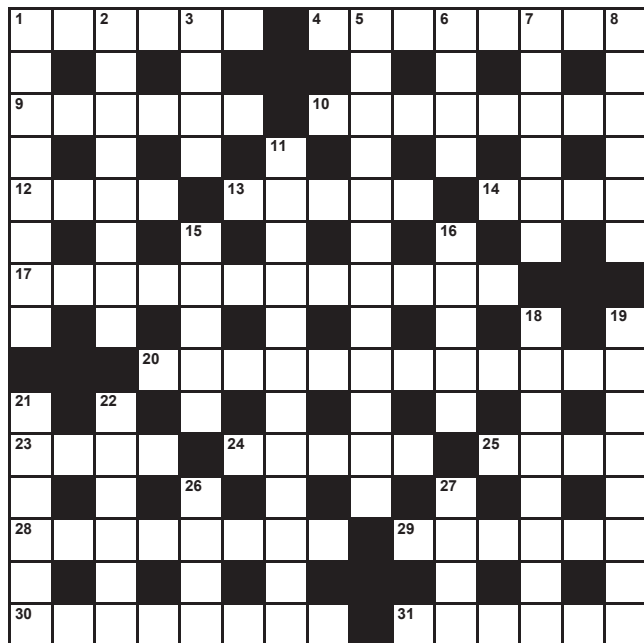
Crossword 17,065 Set by Mudd

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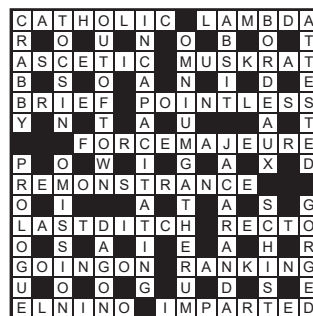
- 1 Country: one embracing American culture, initially (6)
- 4 Slow mover races off: understood? (8)
- 9 Most fresh, figure nursing stitch on the way back (6)
- 10 Ambitious student's target unknown in old game (8)
- 12 Free energy for travel (4)
- 13 Romeo has nothing right (5)
- 14 Passionate, a taped recording (4)
- 17 As Greek unity crumbling, score mark? (3,9)
- 20 Park up against sphere (7,5)
- 23 Location of water fountain's back inside school (4)
- 24 Shocking rates, a shocker! (5)
- 25 Winger's footballing offence under discussion? (4)
- 28 Fillet I put in document (8)
- 29 Painter again confined to nick (6)
- 30 Number inspired by inspirational talker unable to break free (8)
- 31 Hound, black and white animal (6)

DOWN

- 1 Plant one male on top of another (8)
- 2 A tad snowy, though no time to shiver in the current climate (8)
- 3 Patient action (4)
- 5 No more fixtures need to be rearranged (3,4,5)
- 6 Light spirit initially unseen (4)
- 7 Lady exposed, as shout of encouragement heard at Covent Garden? (6)
- 8 Seek to hold tip in (6)
- 11 Exuberant man, children's entertainer? (6,6)
- 15 House where every one of four brought up (5)
- 16 /Skill drawing up line on this organ (5)
- 18 Appropriate growing (8)
- 19 Old vow in due course for heathen (8)
- 21 Old instrument group used to bandage leg (6)
- 22 Heading off, soldiers given tip take the King's shilling (6)
- 26 Gala hosted by wife, tedious (4)
- 27 Head popping up, a fish (4)



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Solution 17,053

