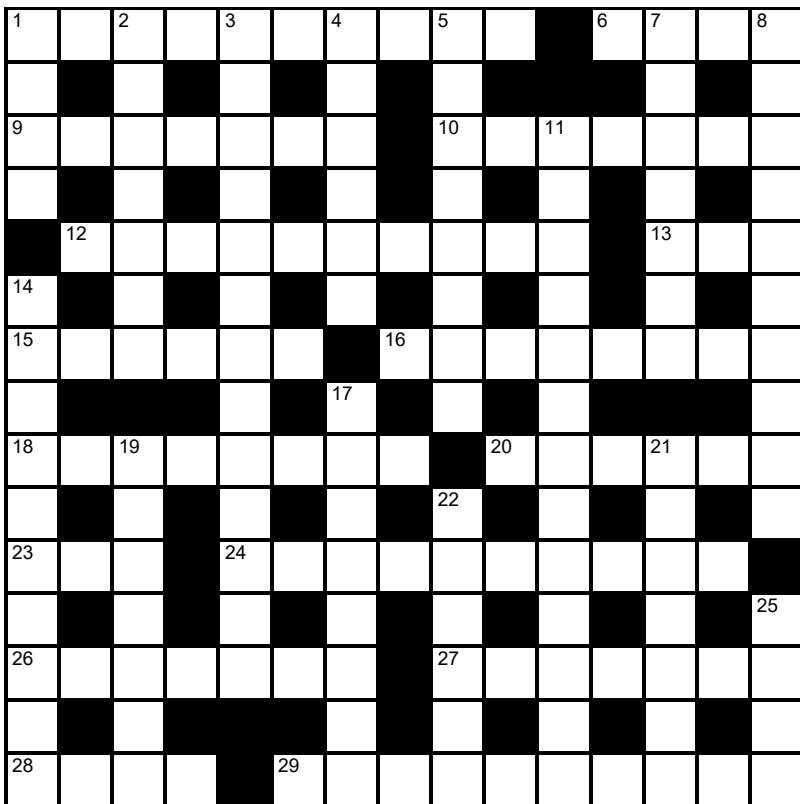


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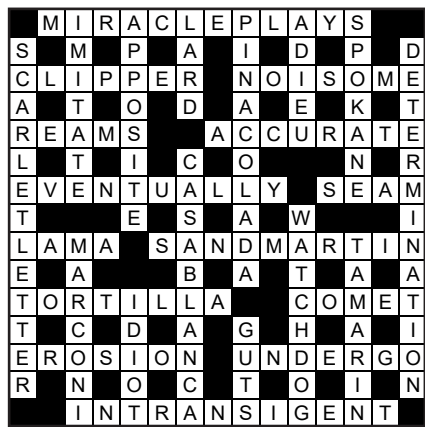
- 1/6** Played out luvvie keeps house in disarray (3,4,3,4)
9 Might a daughter selected be this? (7)
10 Zulu pierces heart of muscly lion in quick movement (7)
12 Rare orchid excited builder's mate (3,7)
13 One has no time for higher education (3)
15 Toby stripped pine tabletop, perhaps (6)
16 Uranium leaks from a few nukes represented unsafe release (4,4)
18 Much-abused official drops small burdens (8)
20 Head modelled gold trousers, 1d (2,4)
23 Turn to gas lacking black alternative? (3)
24 Meteorological equipment a submariner bumped into unloaded earlier (10)
26 Stamp showing Queen Victoria, say, the first put out by India (7)
27 Peak number catching commercial jet (7)
28/29 Lord Jim given protective cover, initially like every good book (4,5,5)

DOWN

- 1/14** How prince laments finding old friend with his head in his hands? (4,4,6)
2 Cleaner picked up jumper in lounge (3,4)
3 Tax no problem for me, mate, with lovely big house in an enclave (7,6)
4 Knight keeping rare mounts for equestrians (6)
5 Guy's among others at Polish dances (8)
7 Bearded lady's courtship nicely delivered (7)
8/25 Writing to defer payment for girl or boy's term upset school (10,4)
11 Doctor chooses her bra, one that's luckily armour-plated? (9,4)
14 See 1
17 Dunes are crumbling beneath the waves (8)
19 Writer experienced prison (4,3)
21 A little Jacob male Welshman's rearing? Yes and no (3,4)
22 Sailing enthusiast stole rope (6)
25 See 8

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