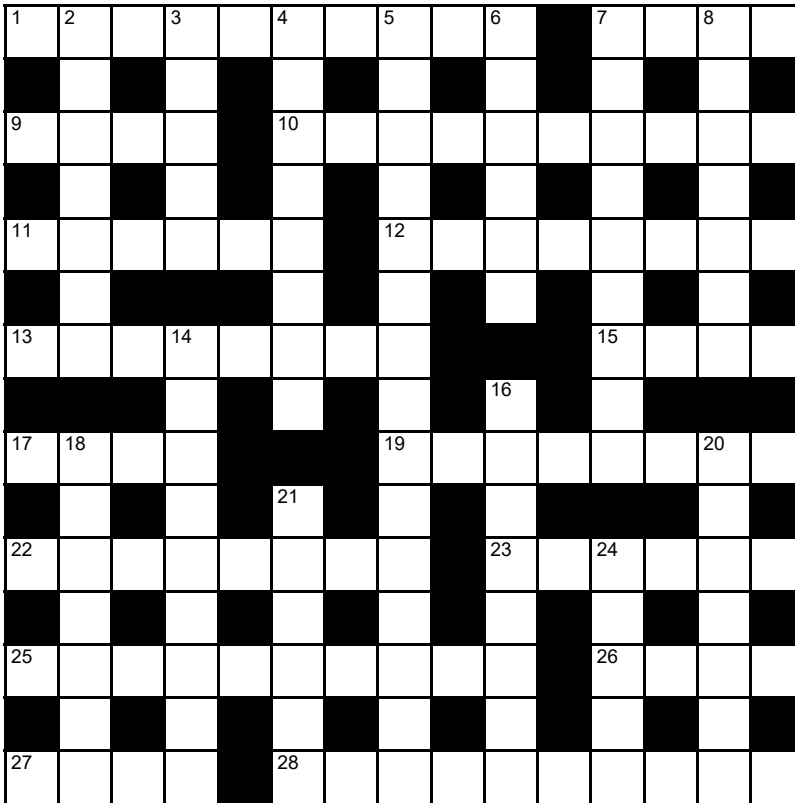


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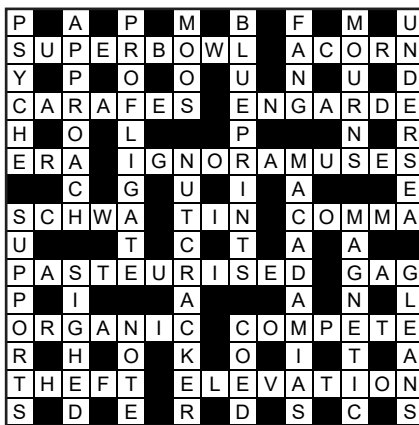
- 1 Soldier handles turns about right, then failing (10)
 7 Fairy Liquid initially taken from bottle (4)
 9 Test Conservative entering medical unit (4)
 10 Everyone calling to have Victor withdraw share (10)
 11 Nuts — not round — contain acid found in wine (6)
 12 Anthems: elected left-wingers embracing one (8)
 13 French love uniform used twice for decoration (4-4)
 15 Scots woman has no following in Hebridean island
 17 Majestic European prince appearing occasionally (4)
 19 Clergyman without house becomes irritable (8)
 22 Student repetition not on for academics (8)
 23 United, featured in old papers, surpassed in performance (6)
 25 Bills passed illegally diverting doctor and French marshal (5,5)
 26 Work, or anything but? (4)
 27 Into bed with duke and duchess? (4)
 28 Prince, be with wounded rider, old 1 (10)

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- 2 Note hidden in cake needing no decryption (2,5)
 3 Poison new introduced to blood vessel (5)
 4 Court associates risk with railway (8)
 5 I'm in call with tout wild about sport having many uses (15)
 6 Scots one collars detective for elevation in refinement (6)
 7 Peronista in frenzy offers support (9)
 8 Prisoner outside licking fried bread cube (7)
 14 Relative, macho, not married, with dirty habits (9)
 16 Yours truly holding corrupt tycoon in cell (8)
 18 Priggish characters regularly seen in nuclear plant (7)
 20 Parrot from India — friend imports it (7)
 21 Little room in temple hospital for compassion (6)
 24 Half-hearted piano in botched edit (5)

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Solution 17,510



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