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JOTTER PAD

ACROSS

- 1 Primate's capital broadcast (5)
- 4 Sign impedes manual worker in Bow?(9)
- **9** Send on bold attacking player (7)
- **10** Female writer, briefly cross (7)
- 11 Major was one to brief member of the clergy (5,8)14 Poetic river Greek character's last to
- leave (4)
 15 Small role as accommodating copper in
- film (9)

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 18 Frisk teen roughly, finding piece of
- kitchenware (5-4) **19** Depressed Oxbridge rower? (4)
- 21 Having landed in a strong position? (2.5.6)
- 24 Selling drugs in London borough by
- **26** Nationalist at uprising after start of parade (7)
- 27 Au pair? I'd surname wrong (9)
- **28** Exposed, a king in hideout to the west (5)

DOWN

- **1** Take some cordial if thirsty (4)
- 2 Nanny changing nappy, so prim (4,7)
- **3** Member of band's crew reportedly travelled with one close to Bowie (6)
- 4 Letter opener? (9)
- 5 Dish of boiled tripe (5)
- **6** They have no illusions about American catalogues (8)
- **7** Mature and wise? Not initially (3)
- 8 Diane, tense, strung out (10)
- **12** Pleased as punch, knight wearing kilt picked out (7,4)
- 13 Raise capital for American author (4,6)
- **16** Husband bitten by angry trapdoor spider for one (9)
- 17 French poet and some genial reverend coming over (8)
- 20 Endless fruit for Muslim ruler (6)
- 22 Worry over mother's blind faith (5)
- 23 Briefly examine large-headed nail (4)
- 25 Appearance of couple heading off (3)