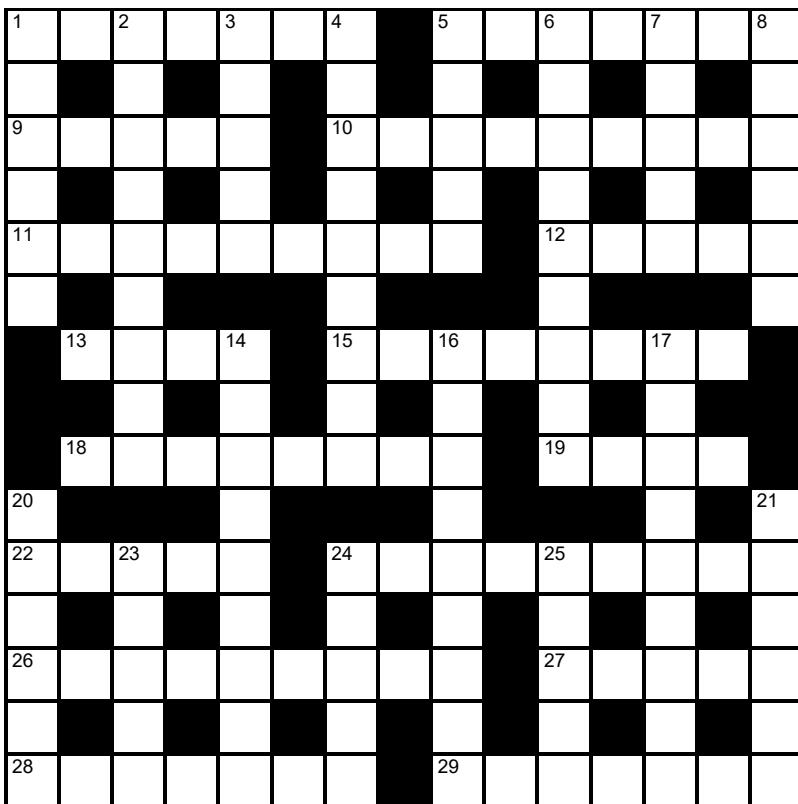


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ACROSS

- 1 Dispute offset on company books (7)
- 5 Absurd version of Faust contains nothing unusual initially (7)
- 9 Sustain calm front amid potential ruin (5)
- 10 Waver when getting very big moggy to swallow vile tablet (9)
- 11 Satanists manipulated acolyte (9)
- 12 Flower of university leaving to go across water to study (5)
- 13 Beginning to berate fool in a low voice (4)
- 15 Beetle's white eggs wife found in bedroom (8)
- 18 Incredible case of baby rescue ending in ravine (2,6)
- 19 Spot agent on plane's wing (4)
- 22 Single unwanted worker's dismissed (5)
- 24 Starting to knit throw, find central section dead detailed (7,2)
- 26 European articles occasionally fail soldiers being shot at (5,4)
- 27 Joanna from the East End recalled working with first class priest (5)
- 28 Precipitous ladder evidently leads to church tower (7)
- 29 Friend races in phone company colours (7)

DOWN

- 1 Highlight first of cinemas having large high resolution film screen (6)
- 2 Required church head to go round area on trains (9)
- 3 Exchange or use cash in Italy (5)
- 4 Sore and disheartened Navajo rest after mounting legendary conflict (6,3)
- 5 Female champion's heading for Tyne Side (5)
- 6 Heard dog's sad woof echo in mournful story (4,2,3)
- 7 Speak of betrayer after love's finally gone (5)
- 8 Run through using underground channel to hide King (6)
- 14 Device to slow traffic succeeded and went with standard model set up (5,4)
- 16 See lover out quietly then wake up late (9)
- 17 Agent turning gun on soldier is disgusting (9)
- 20 Trains that French use work (6)
- 21 Sleep with Australian after brief kiss, ecstasy! (6)
- 23 Squeeze women's advantage (5)
- 24 Herb found amongst rustic hives (5)
- 25 Push salvageable PM into partially making a u-turn (5)

Solution 17,827

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