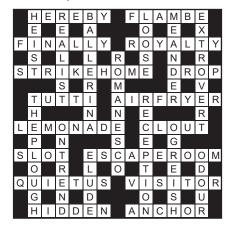
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ACROSS

- 1 Computer article with flyer (5)
- 4 Reportedly uninterested following
- rodents around side of ship (9)
- **9** Esteemed message in broadcast (7) 10 Shave fleece of rebellious sheep,
- perhaps (7) 11 Worker I see learned revolutionary way
- 14 Curse go-cart now and then ending in bush (4)
- 15 One pint drunk with mate that's anxious (9)
- **18** Internet users consuming electronic auips (3-6)
- 19 Name of German man ignored in cushioned seat (4)
- 21 Bop and twerk? It couldn't get any worse (3,4,6)
- 24 Artist requiring help in conflict with a great master (7)
- 26 Parisian's in with French revolutionary wanting Pierre's clothes (7) 27 Revelations gentleman really likes to
- hear (9) 28 Fear about being restricted by patriarch (5)

DOWN

- 1 Base piece goes around base (4)
- 2 Pigeonhole character in remark (11)
- **3** Cordiality month after hostility (6)
- 4 Sexy show Channel 4's invested in (9)
- **5** A good crowd not up for hassle (5)
- **6** Gap dentist regularly covers (8)
- 7 Advanced exercise class for climber (3)
- 8 Analysis of detectives department (10)
- 12 Priceless lie best man and I concocted (11)
- 13 Garments of kit worn by husband with game coming up (4,6)
- **16** People easily persuaded to linger feeding cat (9)
- 17 Monster's child strangling Greek character (8)
- 20 Cork unfinished wine saved for later (6)
- 22 With initial lowering, craft puts down
- 23 Second-hand American edition (4)
- 25 Standard box missing top (3)