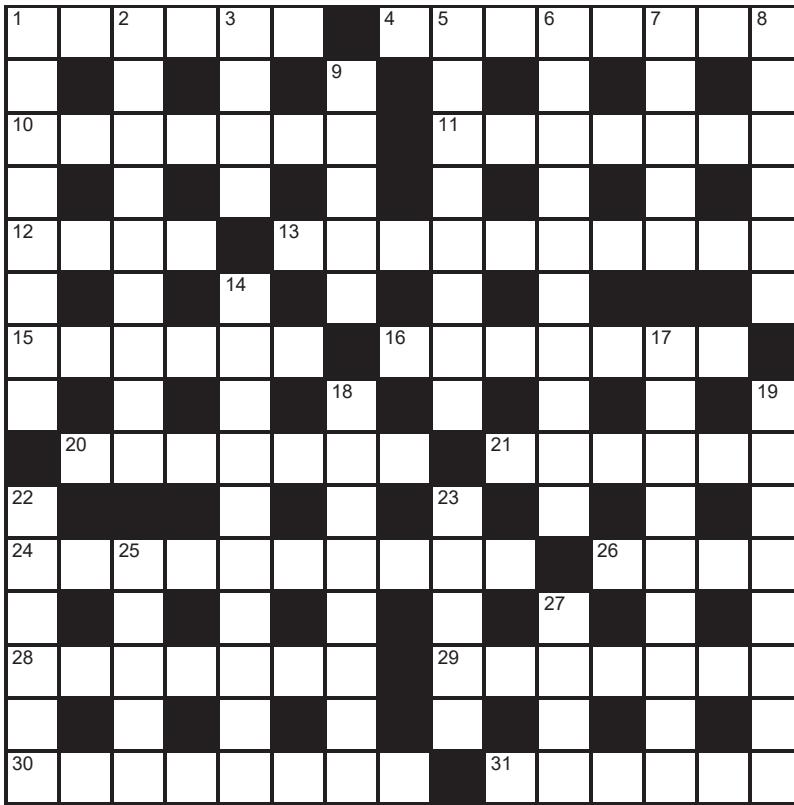
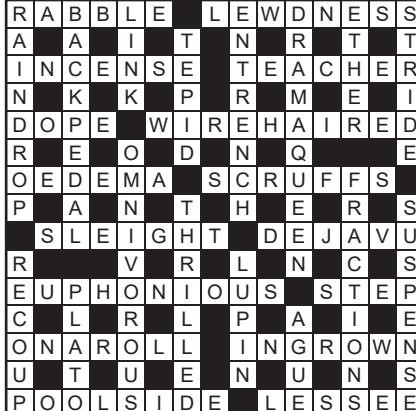


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Solution 18,001



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ACROSS

- Speaking, when wasted, of farm waste (6)
- Kitty's backed call for strike (8)
- Rancour on 6/3 and third of July (7)
- Drama writer produces *Toddlers' Safe Place* (7)
- It's steady to be unsteady (4)
- Woollen scarves for dummies (10)
- Native American is seen in state's border (6)
- Now in the database, but major row when broadcast (5,2)
- Bloodsucker left out of primeval stew (7)
- Up-to-date fashion with the navy (6)
- Works with ragged coarse poet (10)
- Regularly seen in sleazier dugout (4)
- Proceeds from unwanted purchases (7)
- Support from unsettled settler (7)
- Possible lead in to making a phone call? (4,4)
- Grape variety for port (6)

DOWN

- Second highest in range is most forbidding (8)
- Hives off double 'air cut' (9)
- Heartless, speedy attack (4)
- Epitomises patterns which include wi-fi mostly (8)
- Prior with good idea about US rodent (7,3)
- That's more than enough from Botham — please! (5)
- Shackleton sounding hesitant at home (6)
- Funds raised for vessels (5)
- Withhold food from south-east Greek isle, mostly (4,6)
- Firm's client is a drunk (9)
- Enters illegally at interval. That's wrong (6,2)
- Most irate tragedians, worried, dropped little advert (8)
- Cut and ran (6)
- Fast, love. Slow (5)
- Duck as it crashes at port (5)
- Workers turn to food that's available (4)

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