

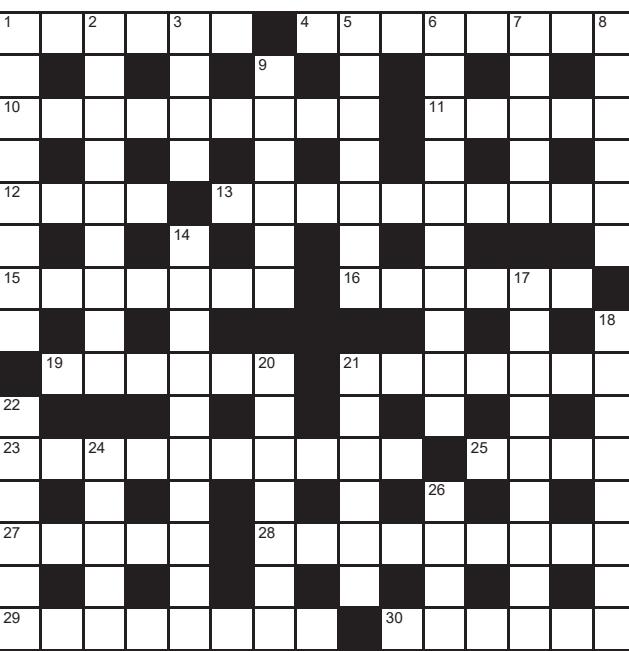
CROSSWORD 18,037 by ROSA KLEBB

ACROSS

- 1 Feeling dejected, cat bites leg (6)
- 4 Occasional long film about lawgiver, leader of Israelites (8)
- 10 Has time at sea aboard special vessel (9)
- 11 Entertain warm Aussie on regular basis (5)
- 12 Scrap section of Riot Act (4)
- 13 Legislature exercising paternalism, regardless of society (10)
- 15 Result of cutting deal? (7)
- 16 Perhaps Constable and I start cycling (6)
- 19 Benefit for Paddy (6)
- 21 Can retrospectively tax fertiliser (7)
- 23 Came across pronounced antipathy for science (10)
- 25 Slight mumble (4)
- 27 American beauties periodically fade (5)
- 28 Au fait with mines exploding (2,3,4)
- 29 Performed transplant on Kitty and Edward? (8)
- 30 Returned spade after a day, not wanting it (6)

DOWN

- 1 Football legend is French, and most disorganised (8)
- 2 Spooner's green energy for strong building (4-5)
- 3 Call bloke up on phone at last (4)
- 5 Old man swallowing a tablet for small lump (7)
- 6 It hangs in cave and, strangely, it lactates (10)
- 7 Fruit drop picked up (5)
- 8 Make councillor take Ecstasy (6)
- 9 Flan containing hot whiskey and Scotch (6)
- 14 Some dreadful film entrepreneur's gratification (10)
- 17 Scoundrel caught partner dividing loot (9)
- 18 Grubby earl, awful in the sack (8)
- 20 Writer enthralled by wild nature of bulls (7)
- 21 Deny springing wife from old London prison (6)
- 22 Undermine one's mate (6)
- 24 Vehicle initially provided for vagrant (5)
- 26 Catch them bare, both unclothed (4)



Solution 18,030

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