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ACROSS

- 1 Ambitious Democrat torn apart (6)
- **4** Enthusiasts collecting reportedly scanty things causing annoyance (8)
- **10** Girl more worried about American's garbled nonsense (9)
- 11 Runner from Northern Ireland for example turned right (5)
 12 Bonds, by the sound of it, with cat (4)
- 13 Less than successful attempt to get drugs causes stress (10)15 Eager to know rule on copper with debts
- (7)

 16 Handles sent back without first class
- **19** Bring to light letters from Felicity (6)
- 21 Sell rat out? Excellent (7)
- 23 Render insignificant during performance
- outside today (10)
 25 Steal instrument of punishment (4)
- 27 Mites found in Madeira cake on the way back (5)28 In favour of having little weight attached
- to Peto's plan of action (9)

 29 Was conducive with former partner
- stretched out (8)

 30 Elegant form on end of quay (6)

DOWN

rating (6)

- 1 Forsaken by the German priest at court (8)
- **2** Usually finding popular fellow artist by lake (2,7)
- 3 Created set-up to produce kind of mild cheese (4)5 Puts into service to accommodate the
- French poor (7)

 6 In the process of lining brakes he
- designed for a bike (10)

 7. Trouble in the past overwhelming.
- 7 Trouble in the past overwhelming King George (5)8 Concerned primarily about space at back
- 9 Certain to need small springs (6)
- 14 Acknowledgement of brain injury has hint of encouragement for you they say (10)17 Clumsy bishop entering small hut
- 17 Clumsy bisho stumbles (3,6)

of bus shelter (6)

- 18 Prediction of support finds His Excellency extremely coy (8)
- 20 Tread on tyre? Oddly enough (7)21 First of toddies in golf club is precisely
- what's required (4-2)
 22 Spy taking in soldiers' spirit of optimism
- 24 Particular force (5)
- **26** Spoken for female ignored Capone (4)