

**CROSSWORD 18,081 by JULIUS**

## ACROSS

**1** Dessert wine that comes when the plates have been shifted (10)

**7** Space Race ultimately a yawn (4)

**9** Catch small horse (4)

**10** Twice phone common-sounding naval officer (10)

**11** Retired clergyman held in prison in underground chamber (6)

**12** Bearded son stationed in area sheltered by peacekeepers (8)

**13** Torch casting a full beam one pound off (8)

**15** Julius is eating extremely toothsome thing (4)

**17** Report boycott ending in spring (4)

**19** Hobbling, wrapped in bandage? This might be torn (8)

**22** Locksmith that is beginning to regret having put on weight (8)

**23** Excited person I met on Tinder (latest revision) (6)

**25** Cliff starts to breathe erratically with dull pain in the bonce (6,4)

**26** Beatrice married Ray (4)

**27** County borders (4)

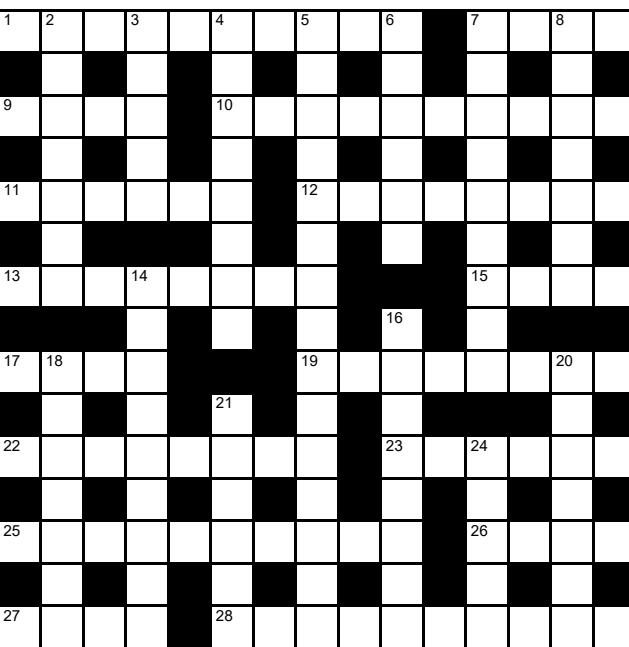
**28** Drowsy lecturer turned on wild dog very loud (7,3)

**DOWN**

- 2 Admiring letters cool dude received (3,4)
- 3 Texan golfer regularly scoring much better than par (5)
- 4 Second century stone circle, note, that allows people to move freely (8)
- 5 Classic work of “Durer” — if no umlaut — has been forged (3,6)
- 6 Bad smell during snog from Connery put the tin lid on it (6)
- 7 New Islam blog that focuses on world events (9)
- 8 Introduce papa, thin on top (7)
- 14 Spooner’s mendicant makes filthy piles of dosh (9)
- 16 Uplifting lied sung at uncovered section of mass (5,3)
- 18 One strong latte he ordered? (7)
- 20 49%? Very much! (3,4)
- 21 African person born in late September runs away for a year (6)
- 24 Clean Windows? (5)



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ORO PN  
JUKEBOX USED CAR  
NCL RER  
IDLE THREAT EELS  
DASS S E  
SHEER INCISIVE  
PDDO E  
GARGOYLE MEDAL  
RANI  
WEAR TICKLE PINK  
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