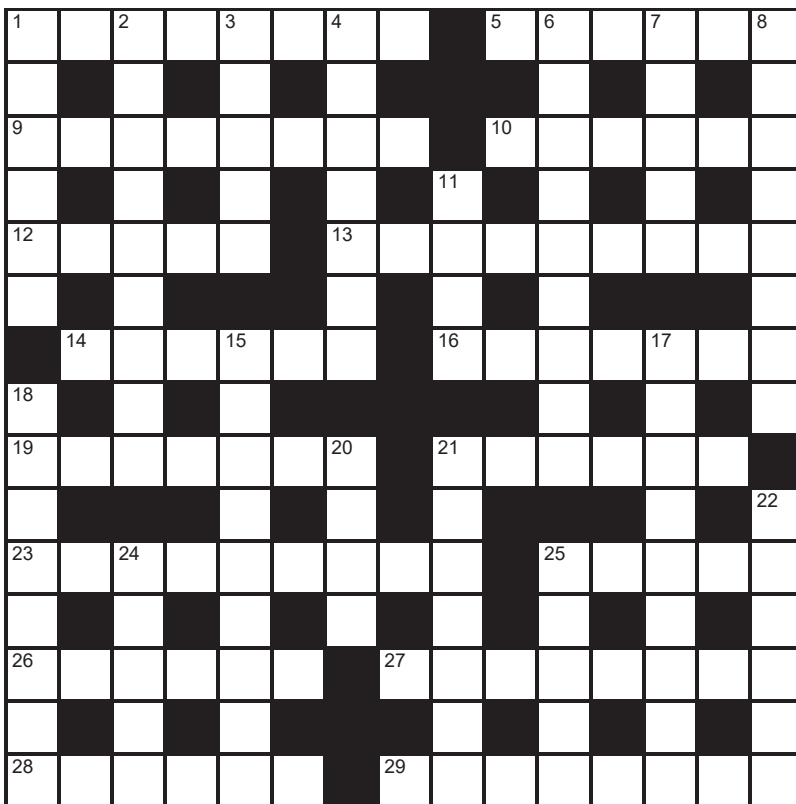


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ACROSS

- 1 New money overseas is complex component? (8)
- 5 Cringes at the thought of certain hairstyle (6)
- 9 Once again evaluate animals kept in reserve (8)
- 10 Pretentious agents principally worked in the Hollywood area (2-2-2)
- 12 Commercials featuring American president (5)
- 13 Each tune's remixed for singer (9)
- 14 The things here initially sublate academic papers (6)
- 16 Both ends of tube clogged with strangely clear, viscous substance (7)
- 19 Downloadable recording of school performers (7)
- 21 Word meaning 'cool' derived from 'brill'? (6)
- 23 Wedding official's tirade about named individual? (9)
- 25 Don't take time off (5)
- 26 Moving picture in franchise that's grossed billions (6)
- 27 Enterprise confines current working (8)
- 28 Creatures from eastern territories (6)
- 29 Popular GOP adversary also much sought-after (2,6)

DOWN

- 1 Get out of town to tour heart of vibrant country (6)
- 2 Prior to strike, one Italian editor is not ill at ease (9)
- 3 Old, unchanged rock band (5)
- 4 What an examiner does to eliminate the first sign of potential bugs (7)
- 6 Travelling Boers ate fine, cooked meat (5,4)
- 7 Having addressed fifty people publicly immediately after the start, I'm leaving (5)
- 8 Flood barriers put up to protect a lake — is it a rising concern? (3,5)
- 11 Diplomacy ultimately at the centre of Aussie politics? (4)
- 15 Leading group of directors not left out at sea! (9)
- 17 Country clubs close to beaches in Croatia, possibly (5,4)
- 18 Sophisticated step taken by wise person (5,3)
- 20 Colour of toenails occasionally (4)
- 21 Furniture got to manufacturers' stores (7)
- 22 Fellow sales exec up for a drink (6)
- 24 Capital isn't lacking among the Spanish (5)
- 25 Stories passed on around one area of France (5)

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