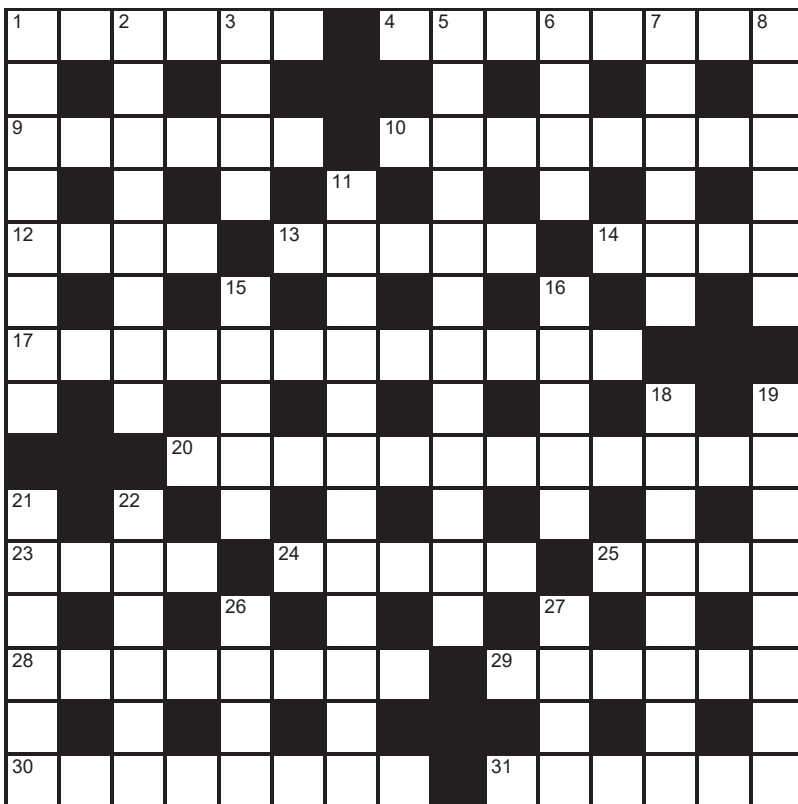


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ACROSS

- 1 Fantastic Lakeland after leaving large area somewhere in Cumbria (6)
- 4 A special thing that might be tapped around house plant (8)
- 9 Mess left exposed in coastguard's vessel (6)
- 10 Excellent supply in food for parties on the counter (8)
- 12 Favour singer Pat on the radio (4)
- 13 Restriction found in slim item (5)
- 14 On and off, Celt uses hint (4)
- 17 A companion with role that is dividing island groups on tour? (5,7)
- 20 Tenor with a few seconds broadcast showing insincerity (3-9)
- 23 Chinese leader is among French and making departure (4)
- 24 Severe sign of austerity in site with many patients? (5)
- 25 Dog in part of Liverpool lacking sun (4)
- 28 Not directly useful description of some research? (8)
- 29 This person's upset about a rule in African country (6)
- 30 Temporary set of cars in capital of Guyana (8)
- 31 Soldiers have treatment for harrowing experience (6)

DOWN

- 1 Thrill over support for illegal payment (8)
- 2 Supposed citizen having love for Austria (8)
- 3 Ambassador interrupting middle of game? It's said to gain attention (4)
- 5 Second work? Cite this possibly when entertaining a refined type (12)
- 6 Pay attention to the educational hosts (4)
- 7 Daughter has saunter with time gone and walk in the park? (6)
- 8 See director, say, turning up with right person for a short stay? (6)
- 11 Inspector stuck with a pair of fellows in part has resentment (12)
- 15 Gaudy poster not seen in dark? (5)
- 16 They are first picked up in English city (5)
- 18 Put down tips for leisure in Surrey town writer disowned (8)
- 19 Particular European institute found in varied places (8)
- 21 What cuts weight when promoted creates interest (6)
- 22 Pressure on mad rogue operator (6)
- 26 Touched soft material (4)
- 27 Announce cut for item (4)