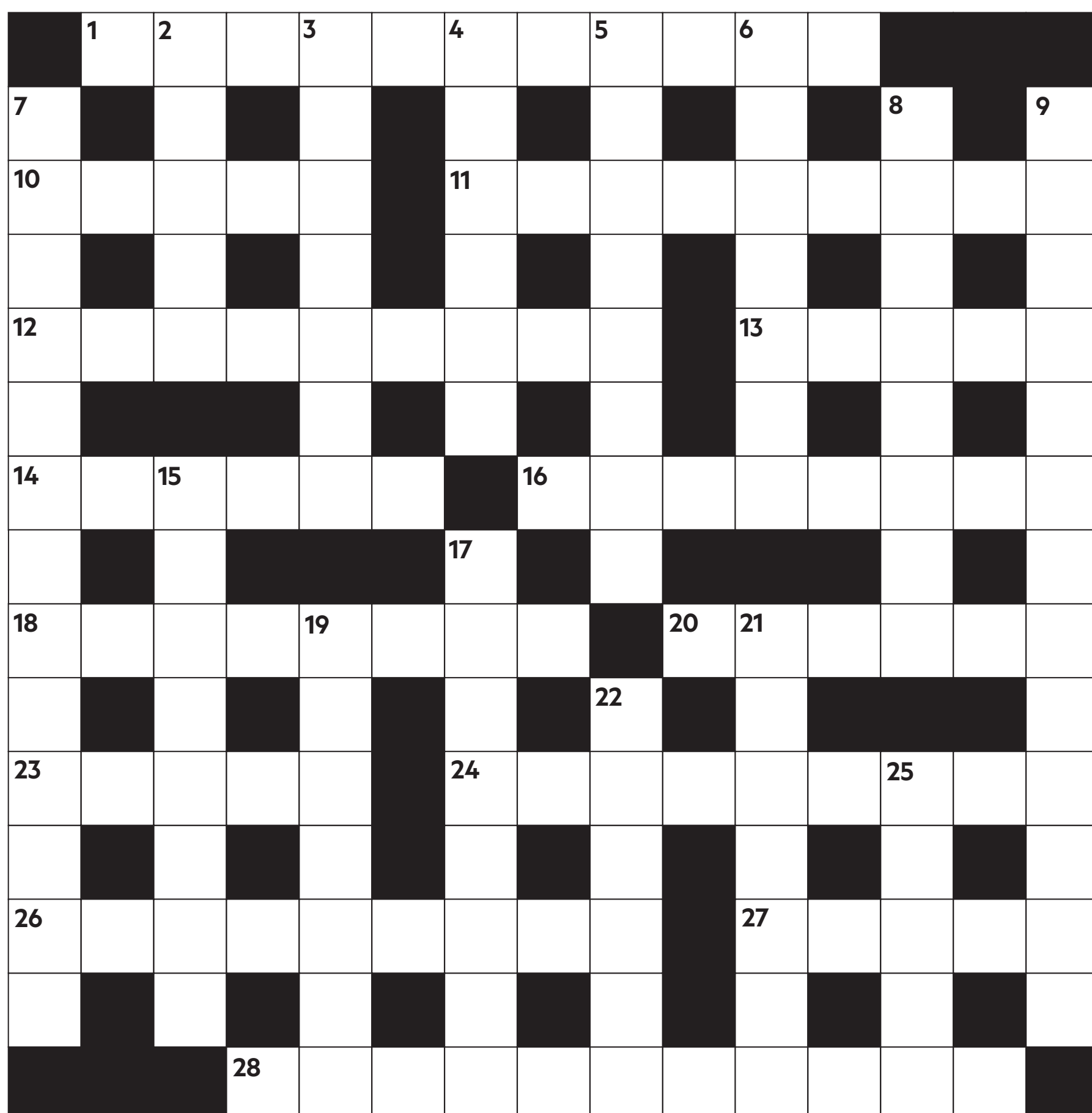


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The Across clues are straightforward, while the Down clues are cryptic.

ACROSS

- 1** To be expected, foreseeable (11)
- 10** Caper, prank (5)
- 11** With a secret identity (9)
- 12** Giuseppe ____, Italian revolutionary (9)
- 13** Chocolate substitute (5)
- 14** Spanish rice dish (6)
- 16** Bravo! (4, 4)
- 18** Cutting, nicking (8)
- 20** Pure (6)
- 23** To do with sound (5)
- 24** Eddy (9)
- 26** Scottish 'invisible hand' economist (4, 5)
- 27** Buffalo (5)
- 28** Orange-fleshed root vegetable (5, 6)

DOWN

- 2** Reversible blade (5)
- 3** Sound measure for destroying bed lice (7)
- 4** Pepper I put in the fridge, initially (6)
- 5** Playful singer Burl's old records (8)
- 6** Reasonable record for one west coast US state (7)
- 7** Take off bowler, perhaps, and retire (4, 2, 4, 3)
- 8** Glass of vino sure to be drunk — not on! (8)
- 9** Craftily gull one baddie for cheating (6-7)
- 15** European resolved tension, bringing in Austria (8)
- 17** Hail new independence leader, reforming sometime soon (2, 1, 5)
- 19** Journo noticed cutting implement (7)
- 21** Habitual changes when cutting a fish (7)
- 22** Serve dips, perhaps, without first two bits of hummus (4, 2)
- 25** Start group performing first (5)

Solution 595

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