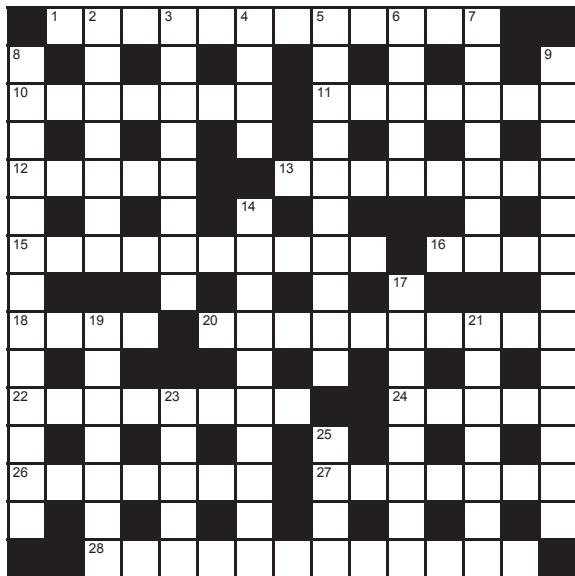


CROSSWORD

No. 16,245 Set by MONK



JOTTER PAD

ACROSS

- 1 One entering college hashed 28 (12)
- 10 Duty reported by extremely valuable sentry (7)
- 11 Style shown by little boy Oscar after one month (3,4)
- 12 Compelled to abandon daughter in split (5)
- 13 Implements silent manoeuvres in America (8)
- 15 It offers submarine training to the UK (10)
- 16 European space station, one over parts of Asia? (4)
- 18 Frank's opposite starts to come and go? Yes (4)
- 20 About to welcome ordinary boy – first fix a drink (4,6)
- 22 During spring, heart of bride sank in an extreme way (2,6)
- 24 Kill number two following an upset (5)
- 26 Priest and old lady returning bong (7)
- 27 Constant love for French people's outrage (7)
- 28 Perhaps try private rendition of 1 (5-7)

DOWN

- 2 Hampshire town picked up Eastender's transfer (7)
- 3 Ceremonial followed by head, old and slowing down (8)
- 4 Will one fix score on pitch? Au contraire (4)

- 5 Guide had time to demote leader when cutting allowance (4,3,3)
- 6 Giant trip train regularly offers (5)
- 7 Metal layer, one with unusual casing (7)
- 8 Worried 9 panics, perhaps (13)
- 9 8 worked in a special school (13)
- 14 Footballer indicating where Spain meets France? (6,4)
- 17 Dejected players not running up-front (8)
- 19 Go on about endless deception of the corporation? (7)
- 21 Harpo Marx's half-broken jar (7)
- 23 Stamp gold rings for so long (5)
- 25 Watch team getting oddly dismissed in minutes (4)

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