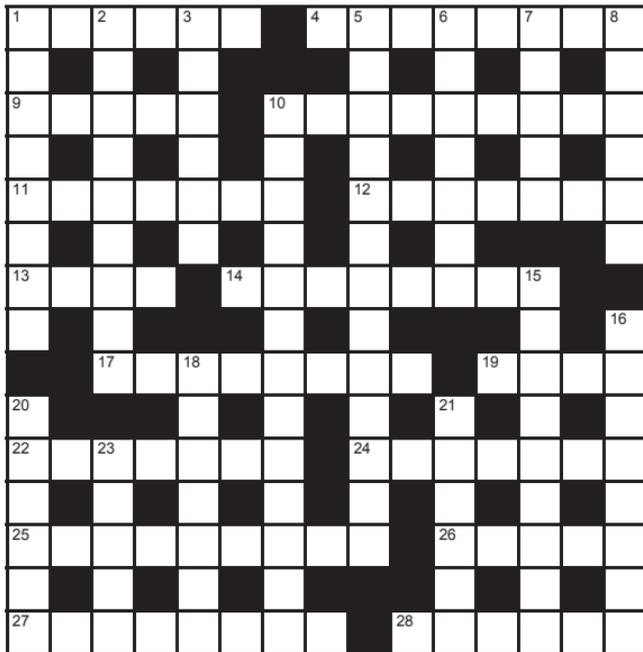


CROSSWORD

No. 16,028 Set by ALBERICH



JOTTER PAD

ACROSS

- 1 Right in fashion and new? (6)
- 4 English town expels river vessel (8)
- 9 Joint account centrally held by revolutionary despot (5)
- 10 Can, say, criminal retain spoils? (9)
- 11 European and oriental could be closely related (7)
- 12 Revolting woven fabric for carpet (7)
- 13 Fellow quits one instrument for another (4)
- 14 Playing concerto's finale, Richter displays eloquence (8)
- 17 Eating place mostly edged by lake (8)
- 19 Only some saw an evident decline (4)
- 22 Expert stops Greek character making a scene (7)
- 24 One walking unsteadily is denied second glass (7)
- 25 Lag, with rest beginning to gain ground? Taking run, he will! (9)
- 26 Surpass United in no-score draw (5)
- 27 One's lacking in awareness and judgment (8)
- 28 Austrian composer or German one, note (6)

DOWN

- 1 Annual publication of long standing admits ruin, oddly (8)
- 2 I'd upset a judge? Could be grave (9)

- 3 Educated woman introducing university lecturer's opening ceremony (6)
- 5 Uttering it, ultimately we so will struggle? (6-7)
- 6 Fossilised resin is located under church hall (7)
- 7 Animal defining the borders of Patagonia? (5)
- 8 One occupies business address that's heated (6)
- 10 Country club possibly accepts one after vocal snub by representative (5,8)
- 15 She's a tart (9)
- 16 Press statement suggesting Teddy's fallen? (4,4)
- 18 Green PE pants could be centrepiece for table (7)
- 20 Secret police succeeded, making arrest (6)
- 21 Setter's attitude is to take advantage (6)
- 23 Rising aristocrat penning lines as poet (5)

Solution 16,027

