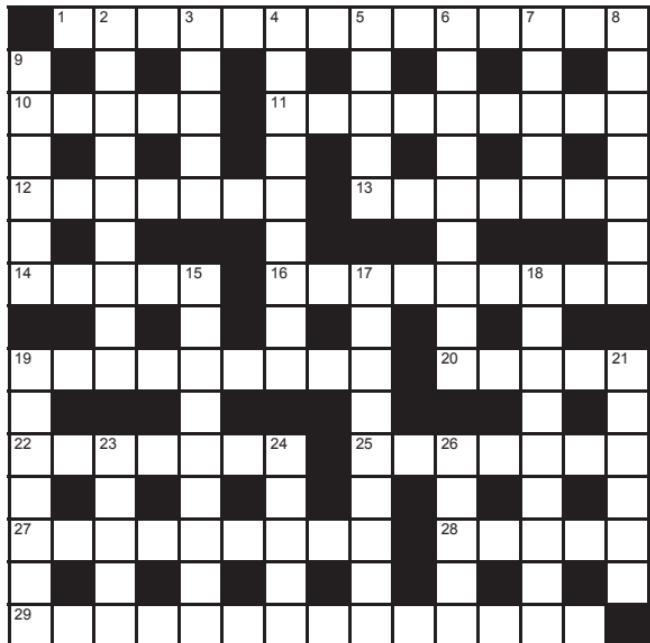


CROSSWORD

No. 15,902 Set by BRADMAN



ACROSS

- Old AEH sharp, sir? Possibly in his major work! (1,10,3)
- Trained ace, this writer's one who manages the paper? (5)
- Let-up in respect of assigned task (9)
- English bishop gets into row, the dog! (7)
- Loony has kilt as formal item of attire (4,3)
- Have a meal, imbibing drink – and don't slouch! (3,2)
- Went down and ironed? (9)
- Boy never poetic embracing French and becoming a poet (9)
- Belief supported in speech (5)
- Bring action against revolutionary soldier invading Scottish isle (7)
- Island having problem, a journey finishing halfway through (7)
- Protester putting rubbish on register (9)
- Police officer with a boring job going about (5)
- Thursday: we'd met clueing to cause bewilderment with extra complication (5,3,6)

DOWN

- Being helpful type can be awful strain, a mum admitted (9)
- More than one spoke (5)
- Bird in region going over top of hill? (9)
- Organic stuff brings nasty smell to you and me (5)

JOTTER PAD

6 Bouncy son, one to be found stuck in opening (9)

7 Actress delivering short line, then short number (5)

8 Presented article penned by two men (7)

9 Grandma has place set up in French city (6)

15 Sum up place with a cathedral to a T (9)

17 Twister – such may set sail from Irish port (9)

18 Easter run organised? I'm not hurrying! (9)

19 Elevated status of smart drunk seen outside party (7)

21 Emperor or Indian ruler invading borders of terrain (6)

23 Unfortunate dears brought low (5)

24 Hundred up, a hundred – Hampshire's opener getting score! (5)

26 Power of the ideal man taking out Rolls-Royce (5)

Solution 15,901

