## FT Crossword: Weekend Magazine number 438

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

## **ACROSS**

- **7** Journal (9)
- 8 Roughage (5)
- **10** Spoil (6)
- 11 Decorative column (8)
- **12** Feel sorry about (6)
- **14** Gather together (6)
- **16** Carry, convey (4)
- **17** Amusing (5)
- **18** Expense (4)
- **19** Ancient Greek city state (6)
- **21** Get bigger (6)
- **24** Tiny object (8)
- 26 Violent mob member (6)
- **27** Derision (5)
- 28 Yellow-flowering lawn plant(9)

## Solution 437

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## DOWN

- 1 Very large tea on top causes mayhem (5)
- 2 Somehow I'm sure to be taking working Frenchman (8)
- **3** Season odd bits of tart with wine that's to be cooked (6)
- **4** Mistake from one in the field (4)
- **5** Girl meets American wife (6)
- **6** Bit of folio's back including English poetry (4, 5)
- **9** Tear found around one manuscript that's fragile (6)
- **13** Grammatical term's seen to be different after time (5)
- **15** Guard the pack we shuffled (4, 5)
- **17** Reorganising the Foreign and Commonwealth Office is a calamity (6)
- **18** Kiss simpleton after getting about (8)
- 20 Turning Tory around, taking in one on the right (6)
- **22** Display artist in flat with a touch of elegance (6)
- 23 Regular characters from great town are successful (3, 2)
- 25 Animation included by free-lancer (4)