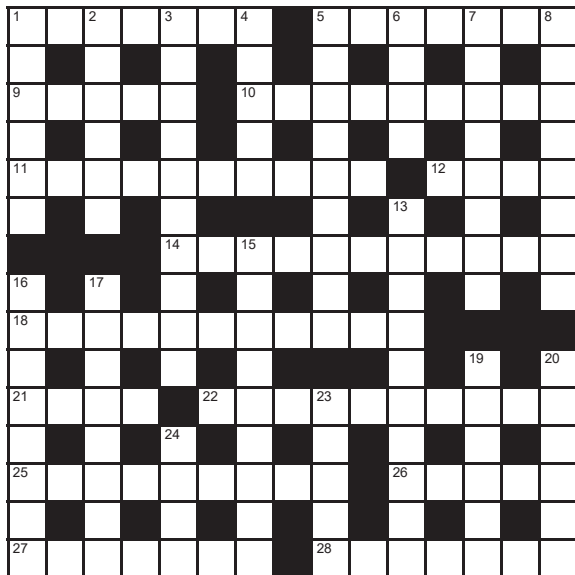


CROSSWORD

No. 16,239 Set by GAFF



JOTTER PAD

Keep going

ACROSS

- 1 Utterly intense outdoor activity (7)
- 5 Tour transport (7)
- 9 Bent white stick (5)
- 10 Time to leave – little pure activity in house with this property (3,6)
- 11 Carrion's condition from over year of decomposing (5,5)
- 12 First-born of Charlie's aunts (4)
- 14 Assemble to restrict nice work in facility (11)
- 18 21's new Greek character in novel magazine (11)
- 21, 4 Rigid glue interfered with one in movement (4,5)
- 22 Church leaders claim saints have vision (3,4,3)
- 25 Drunken sots are in contention (9)
- 26 Tend to dash back to Kent maybe (5)
- 27 One may be content to educate a cherub (7)
- 28 Handed over bore (7)

DOWN

- 1 Irresponsible stock controller? (6)
- 2 Head in wards once minor tampering shows up (6)
- 3 Wherein couples slide towards point-scoring (3,7)
- 4 See 21

- 5 Hull constituent, retired general, could be bitter Liberal (5,4)
- 6 Regularly called on queen, briefly (4)
- 7 Heard sailors confess to motoring slowly while on lookout (8)
- 8 Pretty stupid to start following river discharges (8)
- 13 Rogue dealing aces without a suspicious look (4-6)
- 15 In Erin perhaps anything is more mischievous (9)
- 16 Rank bad gear shipped out (8)
- 17 Fare better than most (8)
- 19 Girl nearly mounted (6)
- 20 Top diplomat wears decoration (6)
- 23 King from female line (5)
- 24 Knowing hard-hearted cheerleaders (4)

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