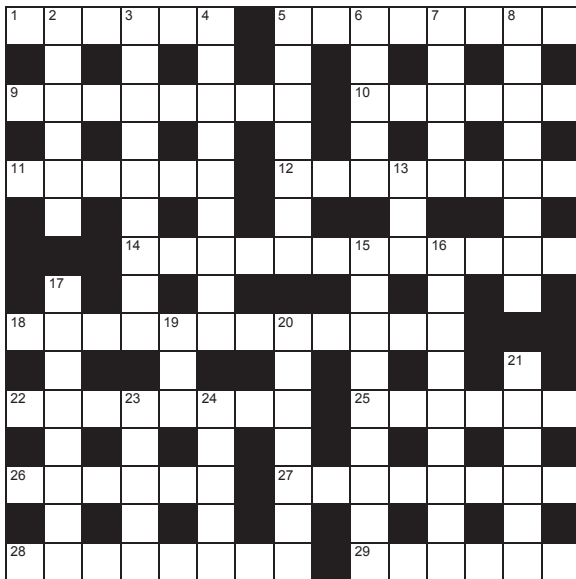


CROSSWORD

No. 16,440 Set by GOZO



JOTTER PAD

ACROSS

- 1 Old saw that's lost its cutting edge (6)
- 5 Reissued order to a fighter in the ring (8)
- 9 Group of activists admitting old member as friend (8)
- 10 Seat is ordered for afternoon nap (6)
- 11 Ford car range (6)
- 12 A trolley porter brought round with various dishes (1,2,5)
- 14 Sleeping rough holding rugby forward and instrument (12)
- 18 Foreign worker organised rebate, gratis (12)
- 22 Backed slave distributing coal outside – outside! (8)
- 25 “With milk added”, the Spanish shout is heard (2,4)
- 26 Outsiders who decolonize Java and Vanuatu, strangely seen before (4,2)
- 27 Toiling away at first, reproducing artwork (8)
- 28 Former partner I nourish with one returning obsession (4,4)
- 29 Carried back once is just too much (2,4)

DOWN

- 2 John and relatives make a quick visit (4,2)
- 3 Protection from officer by end of day – and no mistake (9)
- 4 Cook's ship on trial (9)
- 5 Draw support for fabric which secures curtains (7)

- 6 Star dancing with a Jamaican (5)
- 7 New in district, found place of entertainment (5)
- 8 Groups run away from poor stone cutter (8)
- 13 Cut-price ingredient of a BLT, perhaps (3)
- 15 Unwelcome redevelopment of town along with track extension initially included (3,6)
- 16 Illumination on board carriage that's not heavily armed (9)
- 17 Charladies lost cover around distant train terminus (8)
- 19 “Say When” used regularly brings wonderment (3)
- 20 Touchy leading economist with reason (7)
- 21 In which there is commotion about one kick. Not half! (6)
- 23 In literature, a developing novelist (5)
- 24 Small car for Middle Easterner (5)

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