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JOTTER PAD

ACROSS

- 1 Party platform given by chairman defending Ulster party? (9)
- 6 Crash arose with sun obscured (5)
- **9** Solitary figure still on errand partly (5)
- **10** Word of sympathy supporting European consequently (9)
- **11** It's foolish to rank hero in Asian country (5,5)
- 12 Prison disturbance (4)
- **14** Cousin abroad entertaining fellow with a clear outline (2,5)
- **15** Clio sat composed and uncomplaining (7)
- **17** Rich university attracting old American that's stupid (7)
- **19** Tax reversed near exotic restaurant (7)
- 20 Observe bit of music (4)
- **22** Dessert in a carrier left by one in area (10)
- 25 Form of reasoning in prelude (9)
- **26** Hobo getting little money on public transport (5)
- 27 Troublesome child overlooking initial mistake (5)
- 28 Loan cadet arranged, based on hearsay (9)

DOWN

- 1 Fruit found in some London markets (5)
- 2 Poor Finn treated before time it's typical of a charity? (3-6)
- **3** Repetitive element in river parking soon to be scrapped (3,3,4)

- 4 Model with male in Greek island – a TV staple? (7)
- **5** Son seen to fragment unity (7)
- **6** Take a look at food on way up (4)
- 7 Current pair featuring in a paper (5)
- 8 Bandit, familiar figure in jungle reportedly (9)
- **13** Complex book kept by enthusiast in school (10)
- 14 Home supporter with headwear is childish (9)
- **16** Roman and Croat at sea missing a seabird (9)
- **18** A route fringed by revolutionary workers showing endurance (7)
- **19** Elder, say, protecting first class new novice (7)
- **21** Tour planned to cover Dutch house (5)
- **23** Get rid of first of pollution in river and lake (5)
- 24 Mark award, nothing less (4)

Solution 15,942

