CROSSWORD
No. 15,776 Set by CHALMIE

THE CLUES FOR EIGHT 1 ACROSSES
CONSIST OF WORDPLAY ONLY

ACROSS
1. Writer wary about being in difficulty (10)
2. Openings like to be filled with fresh flower (9)
6. Kills rotten saint (4)
7. Give birth with assistance (5)
10. European formed union in the home counties (5)
11. Unexpected help as bills come for bald men (9)
12. Do better than average in southern Germany (8)
13. Climb over pole to wash (5)
15. Recent disturbances have a point (7)
17. Gunners returning talked about new angular measurements (7)
19. Look over current book containing design (7)
21. Tortellini one's cousin swallows (7)
22. Sort of column found in Gondor, I confirm (5)
24. Classy shotgun goes off, though it wasn't ordered (8)
27. Brussels detective travels around (9)
28. Misrepresent ideology, ignoring final part (5)
29. Breathing apparatus is good – and bad (4)
30. Illegally enters health resort protected by locks (10)

DOWN
1, 26. Apes Sky's devious means of getting in (8)
2. Openings like to be filled with fresh flower (9)
3. Establish where some people lie about being late (5)
4. Ring more difficult to keep for collector (7)
7. Fighting over the last bit of bacon (5)
8. Enforced break in South American hotel (10)
9. Woman's passport maybe found in hospital (8)
14. Series about city space being demolished in December (10)
16. Can't get out votes against head (2,6)
18. Clue "shy" as anagram (9)
20. Tom Hanks initially sedated by loud noise (7)
21. Is definite hot relative is out of the way (7)
23. Country's rare flower (5)
25. Pass British artist in shade (5)
26. See 1

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BACKBIT WILDING
A A T A I N A
DERBY TATTHON
ENTOTE DAI
GREYFRIARS EBBON
GROXTIE
SUFFRAGETTES
D D O L X N S S
EMILYDAVISON
CASTPHS
RAGEJETEXHAUST
E O T ASCONR
PANKHURST BAGSI
I A A T I E K
TALLISH PRAIRIE