CROSSWORD
No. 15,846 Set by JASON

ACROSS
1 British clot rings blowers of their own trumpets? (5,5)
7 Limit small fish (4)
9 Desire what Groucho had – time’s running out (4)
10 Grouse merchant, we hear, supplies liquid stock? (4,6)
11 Gawps at Covent Garden traders calling out “apples and pears” (6)
12 Joke about English and QE2, say (3-5)
13 High point seen on the Strand? (8)
15 Foolhardy run to the west of wood (4)
17 Passed on belief: a sure sign of egotism (4)
19 Dip out of faculty for fluking quietude (8)
22 Endlessly discuss certain fortune (8)
23 Check canopy (6)
25 Printer’s kind dog (10)
26 Shelter is left warm and dry (4)
27 Airborne menace kick and punch back (4)
28 Nut cake’s best, a changing position (6,4)

DOWN
2 Reading article with a different slant (7)
3 Female Arabic barber (5)
4 Become aware of fabulous website on Oscar (2,4,2)
5 Potty which is not up to being tried (3,6,6)
6 9am services turned up hidden from view (6)
7 Continue with private playing (7,2)
8 Cartoonists’ bloomers? (7)
14 Frank, a refined chap, could be a bachelor (4,5)
16 Protect page in front of book (8)
18 Peer over that before long (8)
20 Some sort of cat among the birds – it gets no worse (3,4)
21 Saleswoman aboard coach – flipping excellent! (6)
24 Council erroneously holds back an historic item of interest (5)

Solution 15,845

JOTTER PAD

RESTRAIN OBJECT
EA UMGEVO
JANUS APARTMENT
ETSIGNWNA
COALITION EASEL
TCANELL
GRUNGE TENABLE
AURYLO
BUZZOFFBOOBOO
OUUAUUCT
VOWEL JAYWALKER
EAELNHE
ARISTOTLEDREAM
LISTAMAACO
LITTEROFFENDER