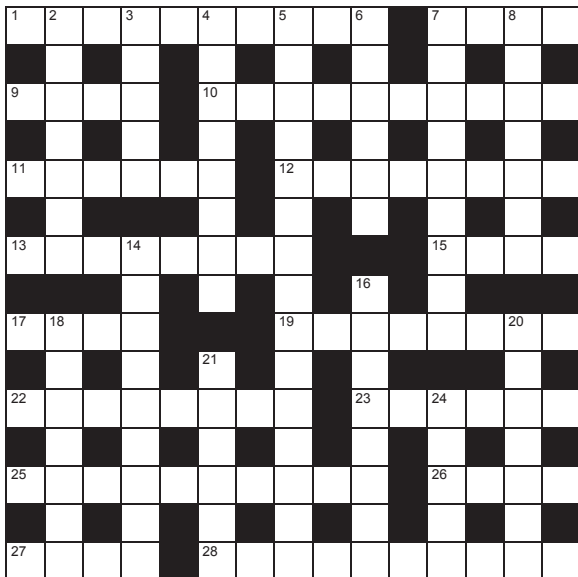


CROSSWORD

No. 15,846 Set by JASON



JOTTER PAD

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 Gawks 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 (5,2)
- 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)

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