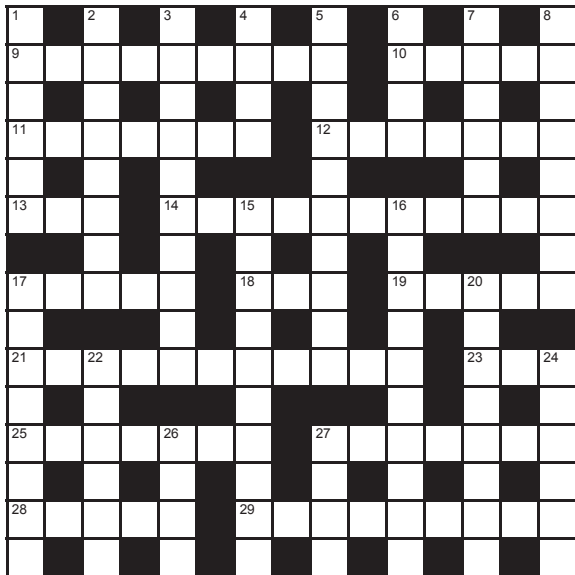


CROSSWORD

No. 16,228 Set by CHALMIE



JOTTER PAD

ACROSS

- 9 States things in camera, upsetting authoritarian leader (9)
- 10 Everyone backs Massachusetts wool producer (5)
- 11 Tiny character worried about school occasionally (2,5)
- 12 Oddly unplanned lumps on this – honestly! (2,3,2)
- 13 Clean out dungeon with a common acid (3)
- 14 Limit quantities of celebs such as Descartes (11)
- 17 Turn brown before dance (5)
- 18 Peron's space walk (3)
- 19 Once more in contact with missing saint (5)
- 21 Need French papers' answer in times of financial crisis (5,6)
- 23, 27 down Subdued muscle-bound woman (7)
- 25 River very fashionable for a drive? (3-4)
- 27 Family handle one leaving South American country (7)
- 28 See 1
- 29 Returning god is able to half-seal waterway (4,5)

DOWN

- 1, 28 Book we can parade about (3,3,5)
- 2 Check rare tins for damage (8)
- 3 Footballer's action blocked by normal activity at Scottish club (10)
- 4 Film judge apparently weighing shrunken heads (4)

- 5 U-boats surprisingly come on shore in African monarchy (10)
- 6 Note about the French jumper (4)
- 7 Somewhat threatening and hideous Indian politician (6)
- 8 Monk overthrows puritans (8)
- 15 This herb, it could identify a nation (3,7)
- 16 Certain pay-off, whatever you offer (2,3,5)
- 17 Sees club putting up screen positions (3,5)
- 20 Enjoyably odd account starts to inform (8)
- 22 Executioner initially appalled by up-and-coming celeb (6)
- 24 Primeval energy found in American heavy metal (3-3)
- 26 Caught socks in gardens (4)
- 27 See 23

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