

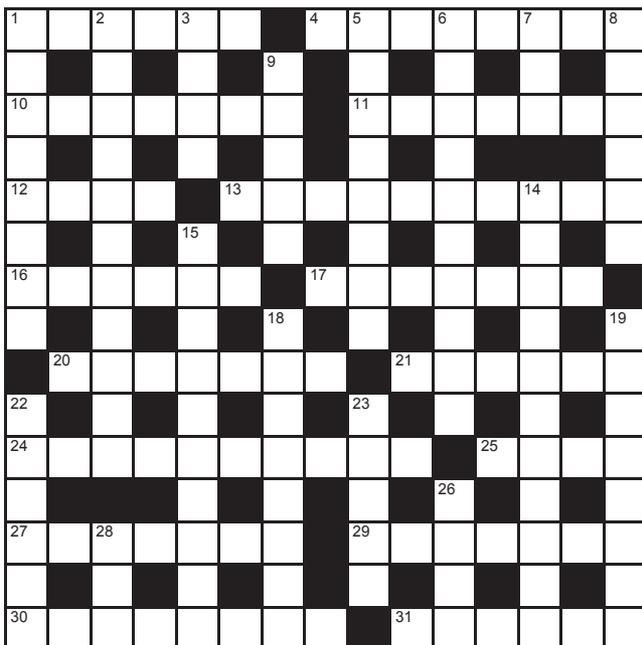
Crossword 16,012 Set by Goliath

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- 1, 4** 28 from Paris? Hear hear! (6,8)
10 Work any time for convenience (7)
11 Well-known justification for TV dinners (7)
12, 16 Heavy metal band is torture for this prime minister (4,6)
13 Bits of pork and game (10)
16 See 12
17 No more in-the-nude functions (7)
20 It turned into Sadat's kind of protest (4-3)
21 See 23
24 *Note d'amour en lit double*, crumpled and sealed with a kiss (6,4)
25 See 28
27 To clarify may be currently attractive (7)
29 Who's a braggart? (4-3)
30 Knight's weapon and destiny (8)
31 Neither Tom nor Harry between them sound Scandinavian (6)

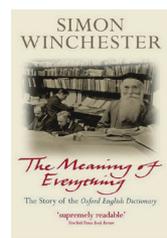
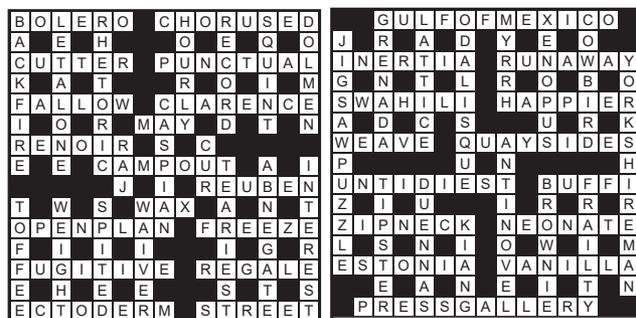
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- 1** Expensive? That's Goliath goodness (6,2)
2 Cold menu served up to a lion, perhaps? (11)
3 Set call up (4)
5 Perhaps Isère and Louron ultimately no risk for him (3-5)
6 Yet another artwork outside the institution (10)
7 Debate has not worried this young person (3)
8 Next EU problem and they walk out (6)
9 Andy Warhol finally turned poet (5)
14 31 comes off in a short time (11)
15 Shop carpet is there for a purpose (10)
18 Enthusiast with one desperate to leave dance (8)
19 Saintry rhythm provided in concert to begin with (8)
22 Is able to reconfigure descent (6)
23, 21 Many cats feature in Bond film (5,6)
26 Sport left in motion (4)
28, 25 Whiffy low-down in boat (7)



Solution 16,011

Solution 16,000



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