CROSSWORD
No. 15,753 Set by ALBERICH

ACROSS
1 First of cosmonauts in orbit so developed branch of technology (8)
5 Thanks to Nancy, amateur discovers old kingdom (6)
9 Abnormal self-concern, say, shown by leaderless country (8)
10 Jerry Maguire's principal twice gets decoration (6)
12 Priest from South Africa died all right (5)
13 In favour of joining riot (9)
14 One installs machinery relatively well (6)
16 Old bridge not a means of transporting eggs? (7)
19 Polished and returned jade in the box (7)
21 German leads with greeting for non-violent freedom fighter (6)
23 Hiding strain, accountant is able to open some beer (5,1,3)
25 Passage in Purcell originally for this instrument (5)
26 Alert fellow waving flag (6)
27 With gift of story books, extremely elated (8)
28 Article seized by large river's current (6)
29 Resort in York perhaps cancelling bill (8)

DOWN
1 Wagner opera in France's nothing unknown, I added (6)
2 Bachelor's on the verge of highway attack (9)
3 Dog food? That's about right (5)
4 Well, it's a kitchen device (7)
6 Unionist has to live on new housing development (9)
7 Island's not half fantastic (5)
8 A small child needed about a day to find fossil (8)
11 A state not for eating in? (4)
15 Unrewarding time without Marvin? (9)
17 Cushion to support back (not bottoms) (9)
18 Penny off fuel keeps one quiet (8)
20 Turned up at court, showing discretion (4)
21 Part of ship's unit's heading north-west in strong wind (7)
22 Female performing expected cheesy dish (6)
24 Often nurses left parcel out (5)
25 Holding socialist's firm belief (5)

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C H I M E S I N  B R O N C O
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M O U S E R  F R E S H E R S
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L C E M I Y
C O M E O N S T R O N G
S H E L T D M Q
A C C O L A D E  I C A R U S
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