

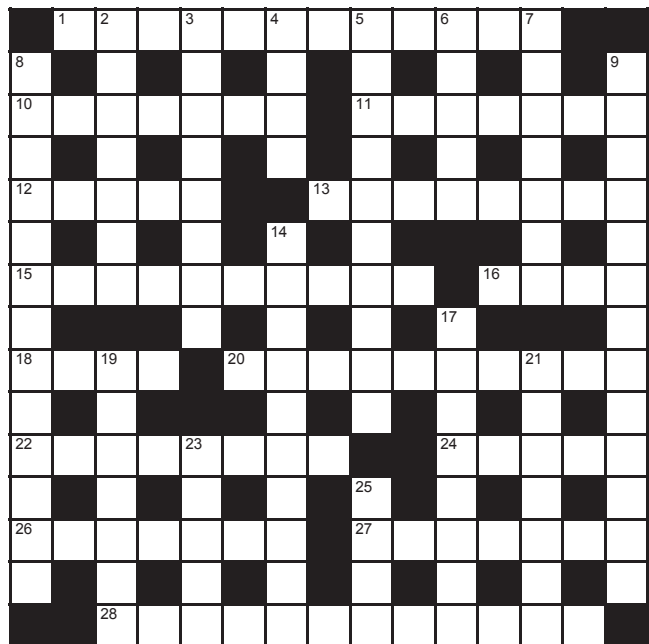
# Crossword 15,916 Set by Goliath

## ACROSS

- 1** RYA sailormen deployed as part of the navy (5,7)  
**10** The man with a woman's garment, I see, reported to be Jewish (7)  
**11** Rock album attempt is a pain (7)  
**12** Among memorabilia, displayed an epic poem (5)  
**13** Decayed tooth end is sharp (2,3,3)  
**15** Aggressive dog savaged a cousin (10)  
**16** What altar boy shares with falsetto voice (4)  
**18** Film dance (4)  
**20** Mother is on settee with no clothes or property (10)  
**22** Evil rot set in Birmingham? (8)  
**24** Nose job after a long time (5)  
**26** Terribly sectarian, but not as idiots (7)  
**27** See 25  
**28** Most impressed by markets not reacting (5,2,5)

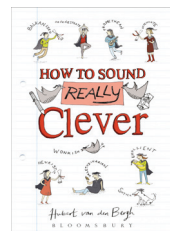
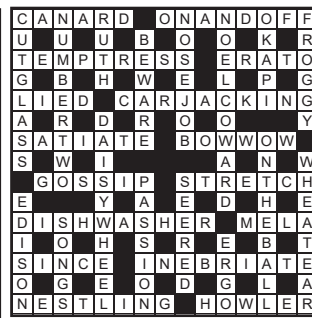
## DOWN

- 2** See 8  
**3** Help graduate at long last, to 25, 27's unacceptable breeding environment (1,7)  
**4** Spice stick (4)  
**5** Rejoin desire for listeners to give up (10)  
**6** Daphne may be extremely naughty on speed (5)  
**7** Extremes of sybaritic arousal a public disgrace (7)  
**8, 2, 19** Poor boat engine performance in believer's play (3,10,2,5,7)  
**9** Dubious drifter follows nutcase into social work (13)  
**14** Originally born in Poland, highly skilled worker supported by both sides (10)  
**17** Amount halved with anything natural (8)  
**19** See 8  
**21** Starting to rely on employer's pocket (7)  
**23** Sound prison (5)  
**25, 27** Boy's sorry end: entire summer month with a gorgon (4,7)



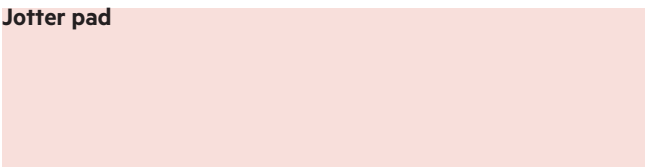
## Solution 15,915

## Solution 15,904



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