CROSSWORD
No. 15,745 Set by CRUX

**ACROSS**
1. Trade fair certain to be feared by crooks (8)
5. Substitute not quite satisfying hunger (4-2)
9. A measure to contain strike in an emergency (2,1,5)
10. The best things to choose with first-class degree (6)
12. *The Mill at Henley* is partly Turner's work (5)
13. A dreadful hole employs old boozers (9)
14. Dangerous for Yorkshire folk but you can bear it (6)
16. It could be written down in theory (2,5)
19. Twin boys arrive initially in Lucerne (7)
21. Outlaw takes refuge in mountain country (6)
23. Boss keeps a PR who can understand speech (3-6)
25. Saw a danger for funambulists going backwards (5)
26. Monster cheese a French writer avoided (6)
28. It's possibly an English drink such as camomile tea (6)
29. Friend due to run wild without one, like Oliver Twist? (8)

**DOWN**
1. Allow what would be rational without its head (6)
2, 24. Opera star flips out – white powder implicated (7,2,5)
3. Sensible sounding flower seen at 24 (5)
4. Astonish everyone in a tiny remote island (7)
6. I'm on time at university, yet unprepared (9)
7. Places to hide from landlords when penniless (9)
8. Prototypal wildlife refuge (5,3)
11. Your setter needs a second reminder (4)
15. Legal tender? Not a bit of it! (5,4)
17. A simple falling-out with the defendant? On the contrary (9)
18. Some steps outside an upper window (8)
20. Puts on assorted dishes Delia suggests, for starters (4)
21. A pub has to profit by a good deal (7)
22. Not familiar with the meaning of pristine (6)
24. See 2
25. It goes up on the tenth (5)

JOTTER PAD