

# Crossword 16,395 Set by Mudd

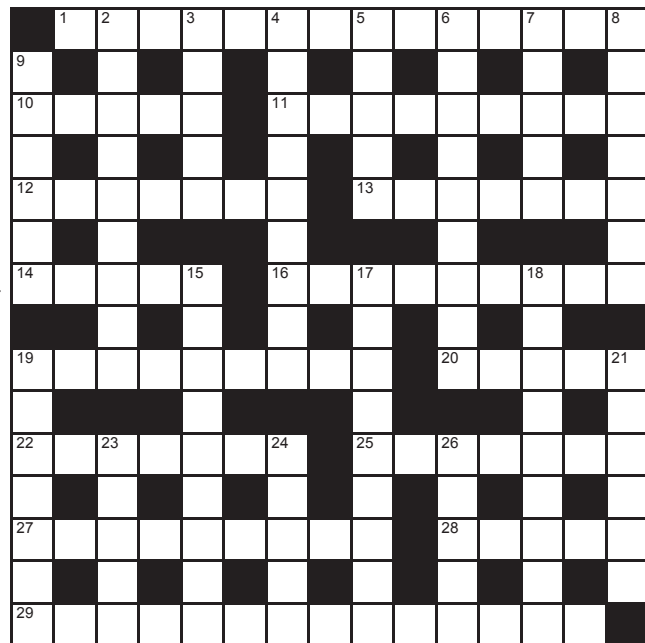
## ACROSS

- 1 Literary genre in terrific story briefly recalled? (7-7)
- 10 One after fish bones (5)
- 11 One in a suit – wearing vest? (9)
- 12 A dip covered in lemon rind on a dish (7)
- 13 Cook once stuffing spring chickens in here (3,4)
- 14 Sound of plucking pheasant now gonna mean crowing ends (5)
- 16 Hot Finnish sauna ultimately designed to inspire love (2,7)
- 19 Leader has to lead a fool (3,6)
- 20 Part of step is elevated, initially, between rivers (5)
- 22 Challenge a Liberal in power (4,3)
- 25 Silencer that's soft put in pair of listeners? (7)
- 27 Blooming cages chimed with an ape (9)
- 28 Mountain surrounded by country (5)
- 29 Crime not taking the newspaper (9,5)

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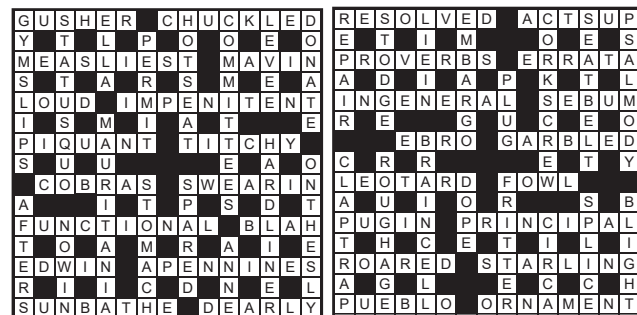
- 2 A dodgy dealer? (4,5)
- 3 Looking at investment of money in grants (5)

- 4 Nation source of drug, big name I imported (5,4)
- 5 Bird finds worm under calf's bottom (5)
- 6 Person settling close in, or abroad (9)
- 7 Opening notes, interviewer needing to review objectives, primarily (5)
- 8 Bowler aims to hit one over square leg (7)
- 9 Duck kept by old, old Briton for cat (6)
- 15 Not entirely happy Welshman in historical county (9)
- 17 Father and a bird most of all related (9)
- 18 Front part of shoe nicked, oddly (9)
- 19 Departing after second lecture (4,3)
- 21 Spirit suppressed by newspaper, on the warpath (6)
- 23 Pick up (literally) a king penguin, finally (5)
- 24 All together expressing disapproval, no good avoiding it (5)
- 26 Religious teacher, brothers' father dismissing Old Testament in religious instruction (5)

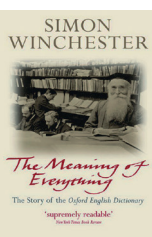


## Solution 16,394

## Solution 16,383



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