

ACROSS

- 1 One using drills gets right inside your head! (7)
- 5 It fires a famous steed (7)
- 9 Any clues artist concocted around Doyle's opening work! (1,5,2,7)
- 10 Fathom assembly is hiding one who doubted (6)
- 12 Banker's falsehood about 100 officers (6)
- 13 Boredom in the Parisian night, mostly (5)
- 15 It can be achieved by sailor immersed in benefit money (6)
- 16 Blimey, half a score return with an instrument (6)
- 17 Criticise fool's retreat in Kirk extremities (5)
- 18 A negro's gone out in the shade (6)
- 19 Songwriter's a novice on the phone (6)
- 21 Subject: the First Lady's Old magistrate (5)
- 22 Praises old flame, swapping lots (6)
- 24 Abandon in the wilderness (6)
- 28 Type of bike could make circle securer with it! (8,7)
- 29 Religious types staging rites on board (7)
- 30 Shows remorse on writer, Eliot (7)

DOWN

- 1 Prepared a speech on German fliers for little boy (7)
- 2 The man's crazy after grand race for inspirational songs (8,7)
- 3 Popular assistance comes back to the country (5)
- 4 Journey taken right in pram, for starters (4)
- 5 Flower tube match? (4)
- 6 Girl's laugh - what a state! (5)
- 7 I'll gain reforms and secure the Queen's progeny for actress (7,8)
- 8 Steep rate revision going backwards (7)
- 11 People looking for old group - or new (7)
- 12 Drunk implement was in the van (7)

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- 14 One's love was corrupted by the rope (5)
- 18 Keys or Key and Boycott? (7)
- 20 Stops working and goes to bed (7)
- 23 Agile man ignited at the outset (5)
- 25 Fit out with an Oriental joke (5)
- 26 Skip one's in manuscript (4)
- 27 Film honour loses nothing but a blemish (4)