

**ACROSS**

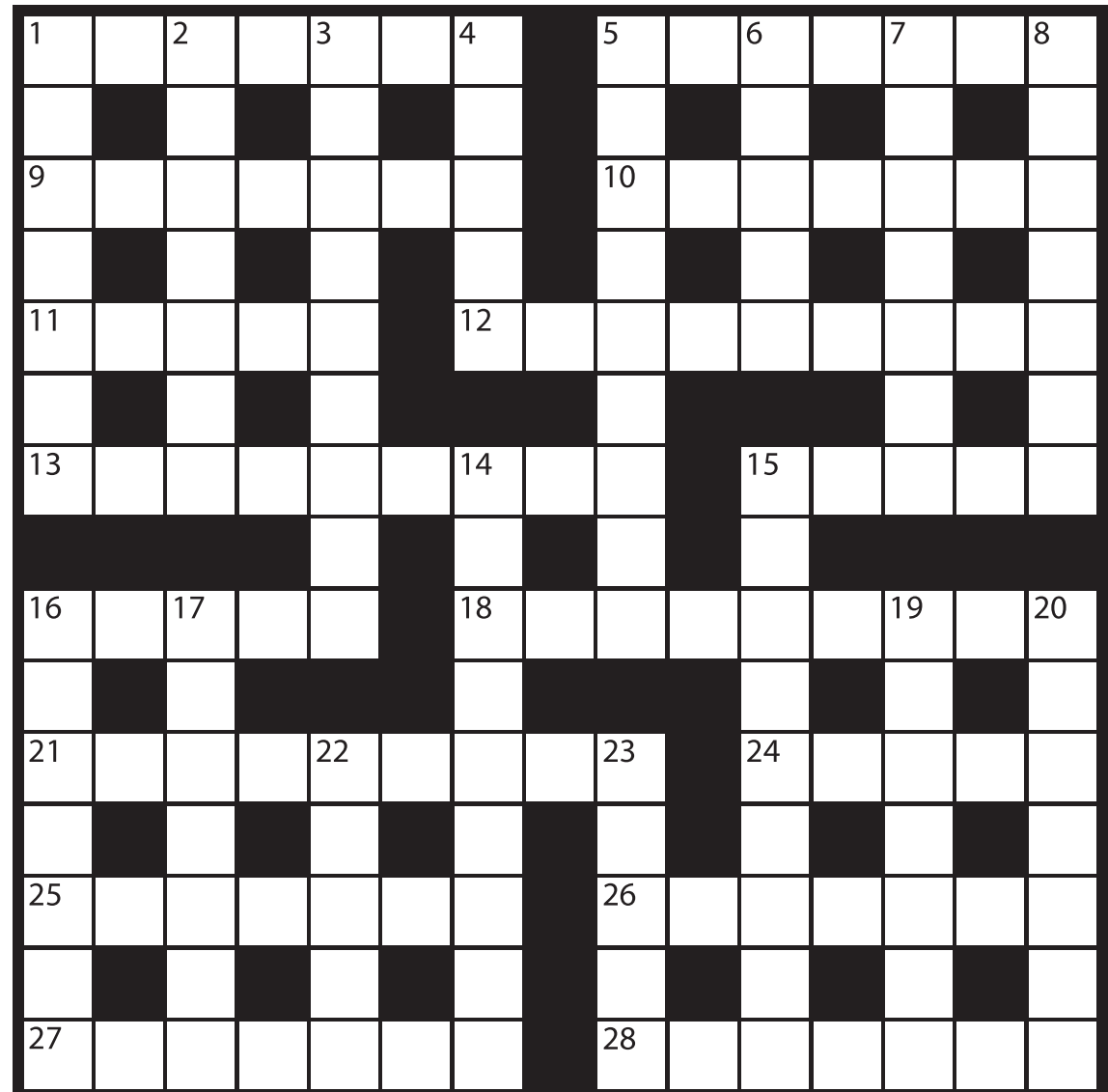
- 1 Terrible hiding coming after son's noisy party (7)  
 5 Commends increases on parking (7)  
 9 Denies function adopted by whistle-blower (7)  
 10 One who doesn't have, we hear, glossy coat (7)  
 11 Poster girl's at home, protected by young dog (3-2)  
 12 Moving along thus for attack (9)  
 13 Disagreed as sides tend to change (9)  
 15 Bosses without one must get cooks (5)  
 16 Row about Mike's stop-watch (5)  
 18 USA listed new word for tiredness (9)  
 21 Shifting fur, avoids unpopular state (9)  
 24 Old Bill is spot on! (5)  
 25 Big cat, lion, runs into apartment (7)  
 26 Stern-faced expert's twisted expression (7)  
 27 One could shift stock illegally (7)  
 28 Fools put on openers! (7)

**DOWN**

- 1 Bare all in front of editor like a tiger (7)  
 2 Popular female workers may be babes (7)  
 3 Vanish quietly into new paradise (9)  
 4 Bigwig is moved to hold this gadget (5)  
 5 Friends entertaining strange ideas for fences (9)  
 6 African capital's credit squeezed by an accountant (5)  
 7 Sticks up broken leg to avoid customs duty (7)  
 8 Imaginary beings disturbing priests (7)  
 14 Story about nobleman's challenging Republican task (4,5)

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- 15 Standard cold interior must be renovated (9)  
 16 Craftsman eating theologian's fish (7)  
 17 Poles will keep company charms (7)  
 19 Ignorant of a conflict within a Parisienne (7)  
 20 Values seem set wrongly (7)  
 22 Help against area in trouble (5)  
 23 Fix date, accepting one's inflexible (5)