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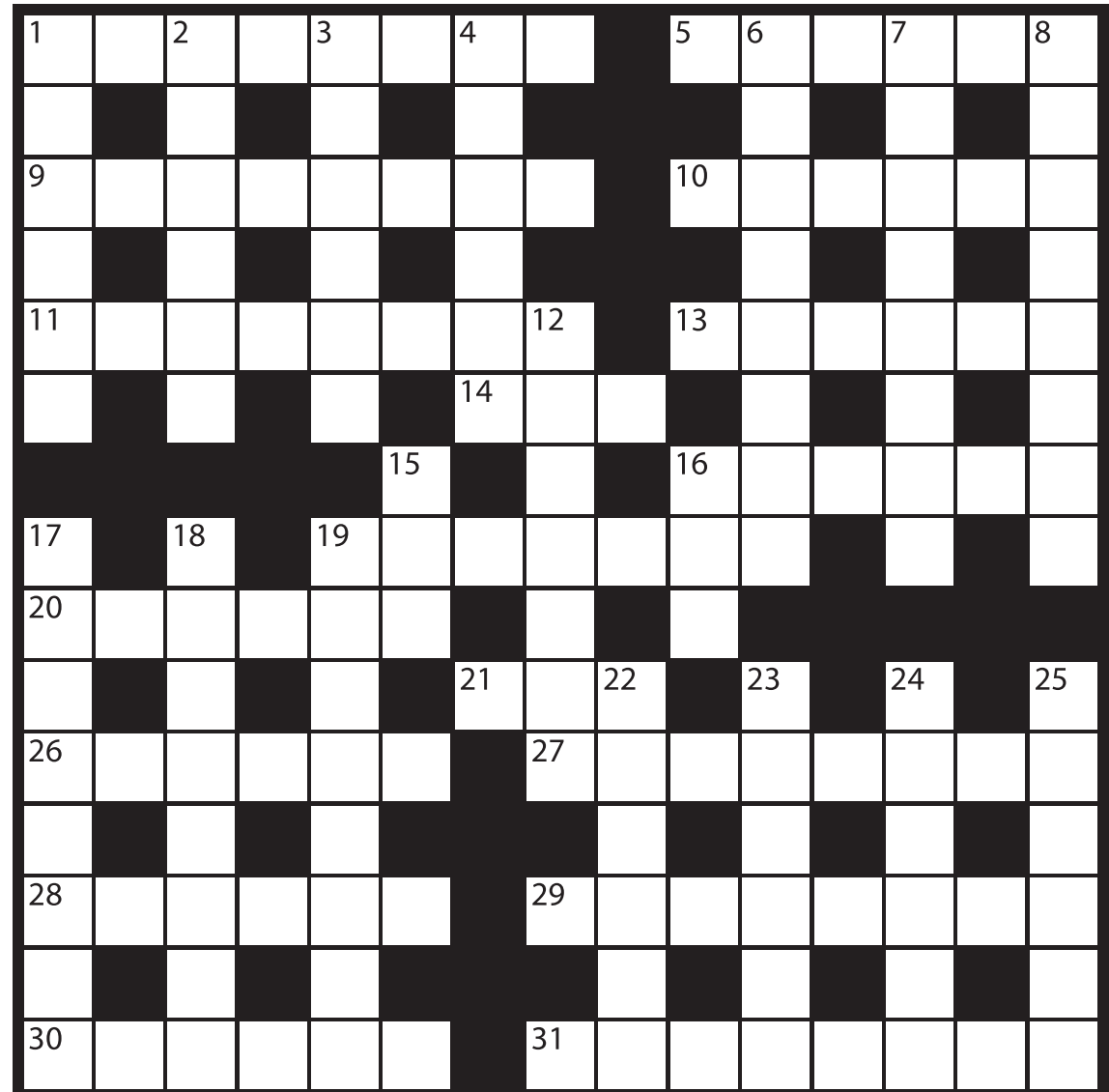
- 1 Loyal Tory thug. Lou according to Spooner? (4-4) (8)
- 5 Old holding note that's harmonized (6)
- 9 Put down drink and lift to shoulder and higher (8)
- 10 Flint incorporates gold for one display (6)
- 11 Alcohol-free concoction of lager and rye (4,4)
- 13 TV programme with Rieu. A good thing? (6)
- 14 Snatch navy's first seaman (3)
- 16 In front of beer cocktail (6)
- 19 Is he car manufacturing checker? (7)
- 20 Hard drinker clutches soft hat (6)
- 21 Wash friend's back (3)
- 26 Castle that is for recruit (6)
- 27 Family sends out consideration for others (8)
- 28 A tiny rectangular opening adapted as a letter-box (2-4)
- 29 Heaven is being in majorettes' display (8)
- 30 Roam to acquire a what-d'you-call-it (6)
- 31 Sponger passed on round (8)

DOWN

- 1 State changed rule for smell portion (6)
- 2 Judge corrected impure characters (6)
- 3 Bag contains yellow English herb (6)
- 4 Translation test for early English nuns (6)
- 6 Traveller lifted ear on fanciful bird (8)
- 7 End of line and circle in quaint sort of mathematical statement (8)
- 8 One who fuffs – the drier sort (8)
- 12 Veil or mask fashioned with heavy frame (7)
- 15 Container for grate (3)
- 16 Back room bell in London (3)
- 17 Bird gazing round loch (8)

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- 18 Shot up and made haste to contain rabble (8)
- 19 One graduate in elect assembly is unpaired (8)
- 22 Blab about one lawbreaker (6)
- 23 Lear? King and, we add, mad (6)
- 24 Laugh at Donald originally - eider possibly (6)
- 25 Space affected time and view (6)