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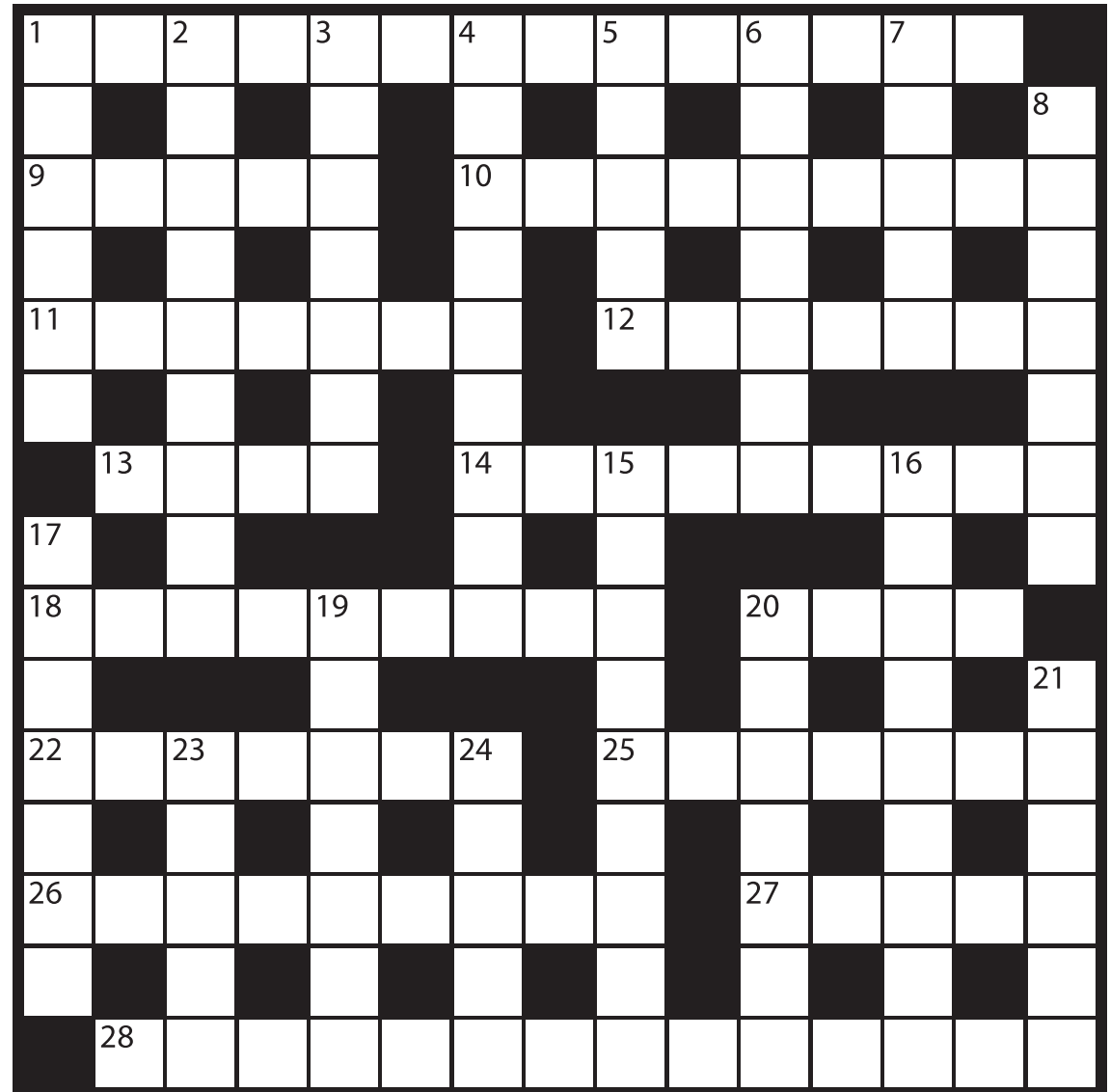
- 1 Sadly, rocks delay colonists (14)
- 9 Severely criticise cook (5)
- 10 Artist hides a permit in some poetry (9)
- 11 Coastal battling support (7)
- 12 Ruled it must be checked, we hear (7)
- 13 Appreciates somewhere to stay (4)
- 14 A wind soon eroded mountainous region (9)
- 18 To transport acts, share the driving, perhaps (4,5)
- 20 Spots can upset expedition leader (4)
- 22 Cosmetic for Mum to conceal a mark (7)
- 25 Art and I, awfully attractive (7)
- 26 Former partner giving in, we hear – that's going too far (9)
- 27 Requires massages, we're told (5)
- 28 Bodily sensation handled by a seamstress (4,3,7)

DOWN

- 1 West Indies caught by pesky distant city (6)
- 2 Comedy hit with harsh criticism (9)
- 3 Pins too fancy? There are alternatives (7)
- 4 One inheriting finds prosperity with gold (9)
- 5 Right ulna broken, caused by the Moon (5)
- 6 Agreed that everybody gets drawn out (7)
- 7 Student at university not heading north to Bedfordshire town (5)
- 8 Pleasant 24 hours greeting Australian? (4,3)
- 15 Sooner get imbalanced hormone (9)
- 16 Unrivalled crafty pair, none left (9)

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- 17 Confused, as batsman may be out? (7)
- 19 First of the composer's journeys (7)
- 20 Just cooked drink to hide depression (2,5)
- 21 Good man, as is demonstrating a period of inactivity (6)
- 23 Somewhat masochistic Russian city (5)
- 24 Like a flyer or a vehicle I'm in (5)