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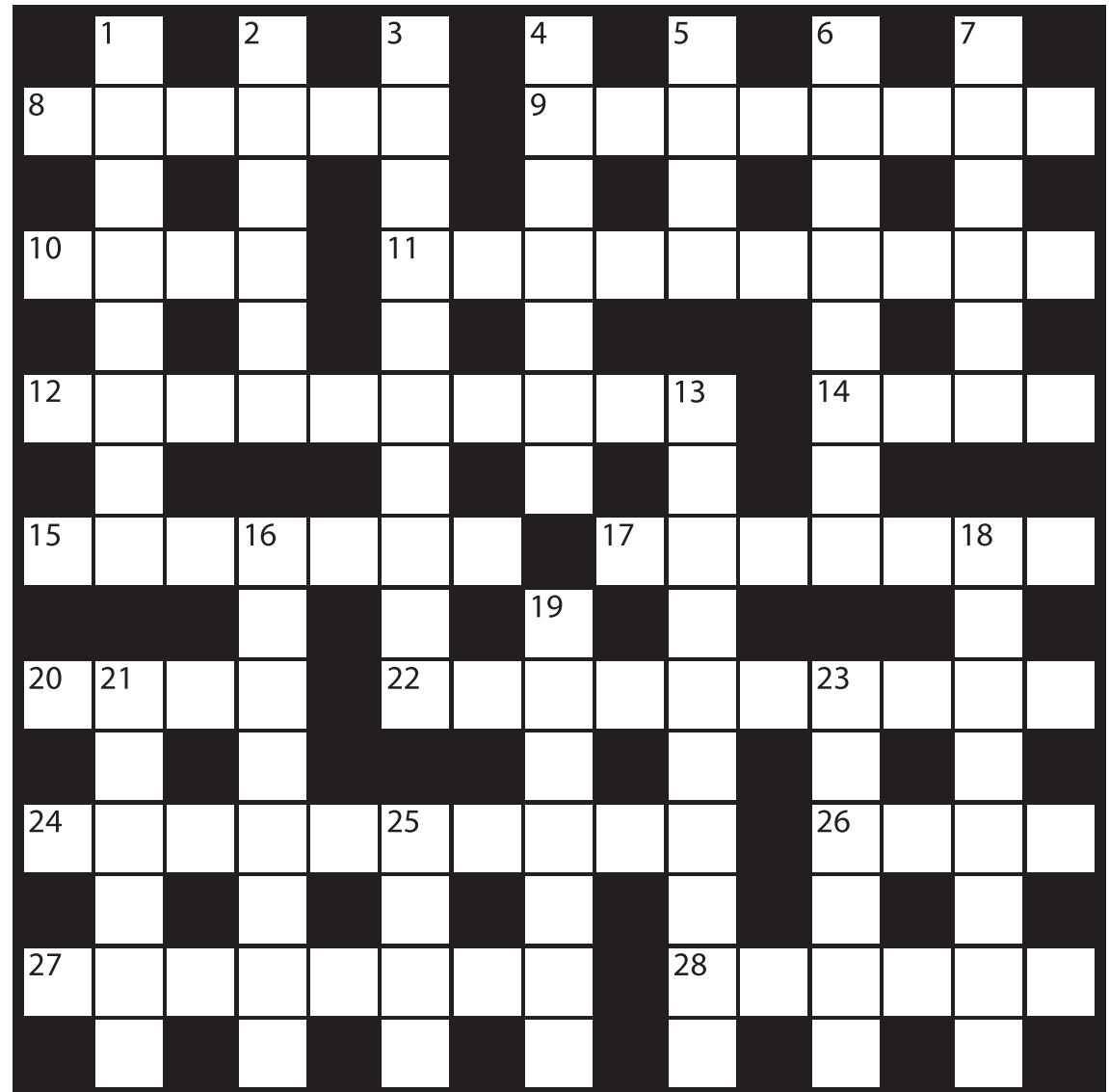
- 8 Interpret not as a piano piece (6)
9 One clings to ship when rail gets clean broken (8)
10 Metal that's ahead? (4)
11 First two of clues on next page that may bring you luck (10)
12 They observe speakers giving cheek to those studying (3-7)
14 Not at home in Wishaw? Aye! (4)
15 Popular entrances under cover (7)
17 Played the telltale and gossiped – that's about right (7)
20 Missile to move like a cloud (4)
22 One or two getting married? (10)
24 Vagrant on the canvas? (4,3,3)
26 Got rid of outbuilding (4)
27 Limited in America, tried out solvent (2,6)
28 Small mug for beer and spirits (6)

DOWN

- 1 Funny bloke involving newspapers in trick (8)
2 Roam from Darwen (6)
3 Net a crustacean and have a bad row? (5,1,4)
4 Part of the body with awfully bad prediction (7)
5 In part of forest, re-establish plant (4)
6 Gymnastic equipment for first of weaklings on every pub counter? (4,4)
7 On a high mountain, one can nearly see a llama (6)
13 Park's lake section finally enclosed by new pine trees (10)
16 Judge as normal (8)
18 Secret, weird coterie (8)

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- 19 Girl round bed finds cheese (7)
21 Bird points to headgear (6)
23 Enlist again and give up the job (6)
25 Bare getting up into bed, uncovered (4)