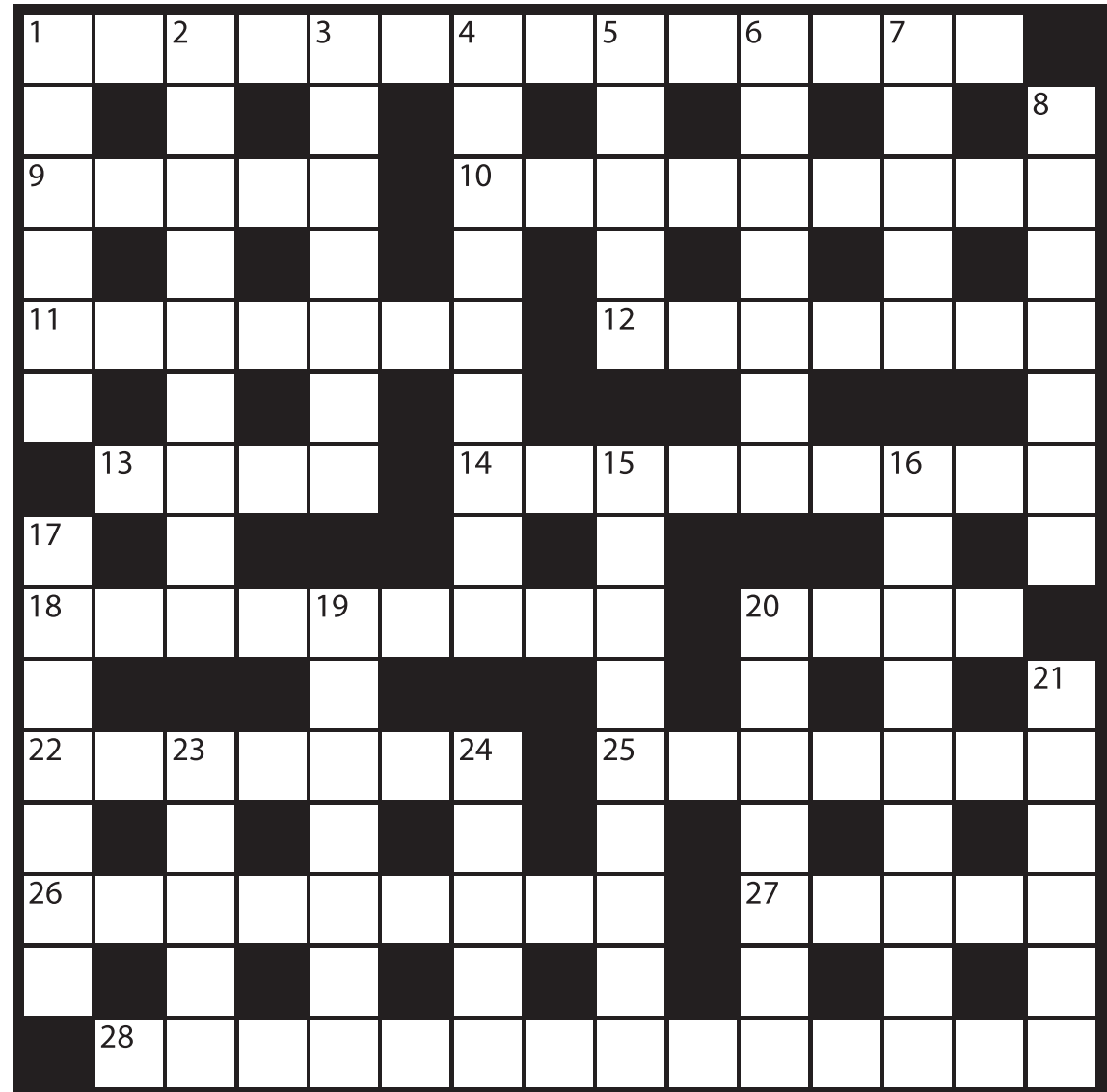


ACROSS

- 1 County point on brown terrain (14)
- 9 Senior person's tree (5)
- 10 Section of musical that goes to your head? (9)
- 11 Choose gold constituent (7)
- 12 Former Prime Minister eats her stew (7)
- 13 Go back through Pasadena as soon as possible (inits) (4)
- 14 Puts on the agenda, clues she'd rewritten (9)
- 18 Sees Latin translated as most important (9)
- 20 Sound fish for spirit (4)
- 22 Pair with one herb around book-mark (7)
- 25 Because of ingrowing toenail (5,2)
- 26 Smooth ale concoction is disgusting (9)
- 27 Surface curve hasn't cold colour (5)
- 28 Comic duo are in tree and able to endure the cold (6,3,5)

DOWN

- 1 North-east journalists required (6)
- 2 Compensates, and changes gear (9)
- 3 Type of car roof difficult to beat? (7)
- 4 I am harsh, I upset spiritual leader (9)
- 5 Cited new decree (5)
- 6 Get the message and derail broadcast about power (3-4)
- 7 Relation, English, in French resort (5)
- 8 Reason to ease cub out (7)
- 15 Large room, one we alter for festival (9)
- 16 Grub alone transforms drinking place (6,3)
- 17 I called out for French mark (7)
- 19 Not one or the other in there, perhaps (7)



- 20 Leaves chaps in torment (7)
- 21 Regularly find ancient city in sacred surroundings (6)
- 23 Redesigned La Paz square (5)
- 24 Square little loaf for goblin (5)