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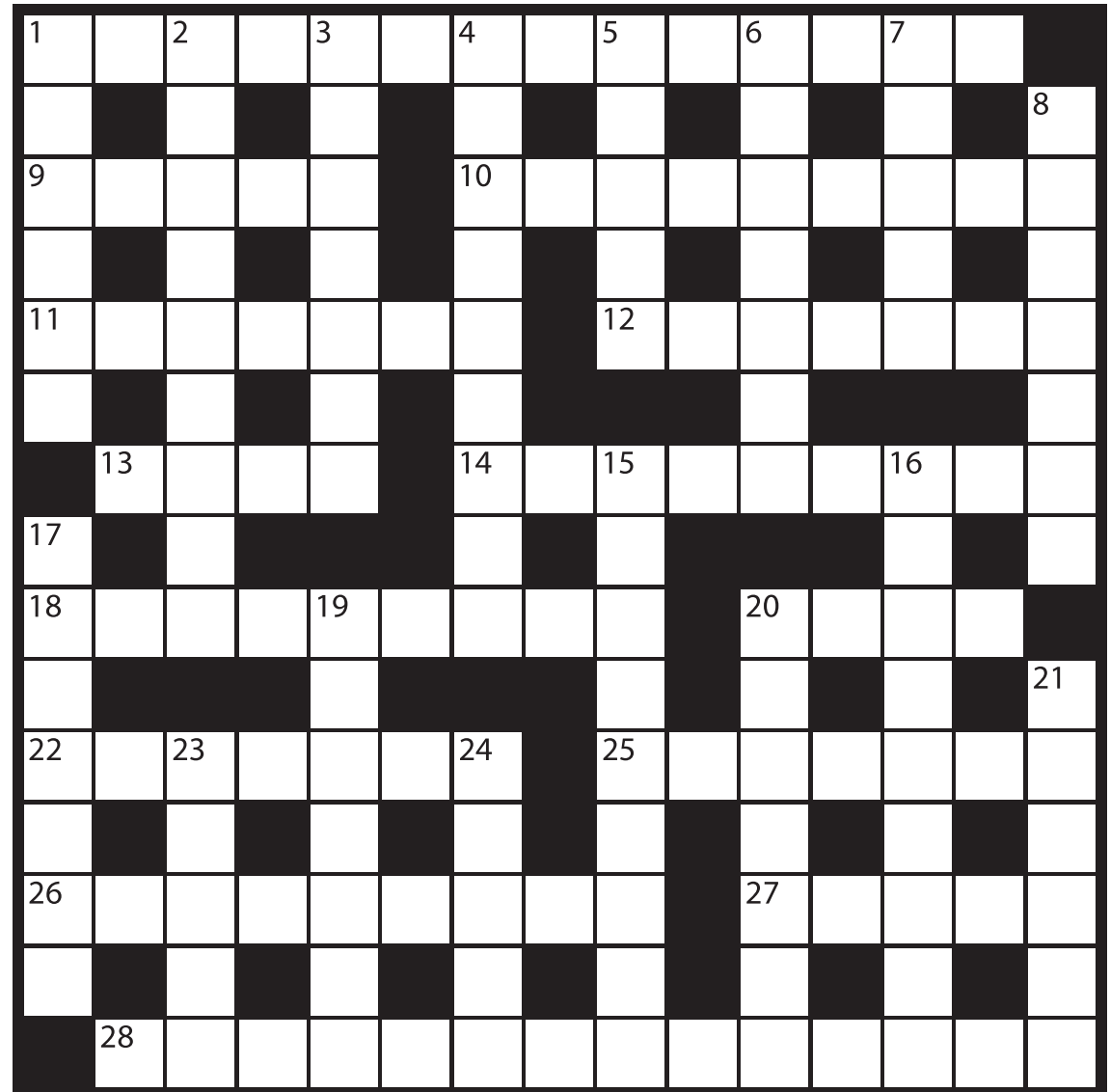
- 1 Great ball includes a cake excess (14)
- 9 In course of quarrel I cracked historical object (5)
- 10 Non-drinker at Serbian gathering (9)
- 11 Channel port with brownish-grey church (7)
- 12 One paid to work in tavern's restoration (7)
- 13 Raise 51 feet (4)
- 14 Stars in armour suddenly start trouble (4,5)
- 18 Doing what you are told, ie once bed made (9)
- 20 Got a new garment! (4)
- 22 Call promises to pay uncertain (7)
- 25 Piece of ground, or what may be used to cultivate it (7)
- 26 Having reached distant moon, I probed erosion (9)
- 27 Auctions off prison rooms, we hear (5)
- 28 Where monks meet to celebrate forty again (9,5)

DOWN

- 1 Walked with authority in Dorset, possibly (6)
- 2 Dance wildly in sea after game (9)
- 3 Proof of purchase put back in pot – piece retained (7)
- 4 Northern town jet stream (9)
- 5 Enquires about features (5)
- 6 A couple of animals in jumble of characters (7)
- 7 Study Georgia dance (5)
- 8 Speaker unknown at private chapel (7)
- 15 Resent cracks about small bribe (9)

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- 16 Establishment where you might find a weapon after dark? (9)
- 17 Agreeable soft drink (7)
- 19 Wedding response then awkward lies to worship (7)
- 20 Characteristic involving North-South haulage (7)
- 21 Desert island inhabitant off-course? (6)
- 23 Bachelor has article to cleanse (5)
- 24 Ain't going to first sinner and good person (5)