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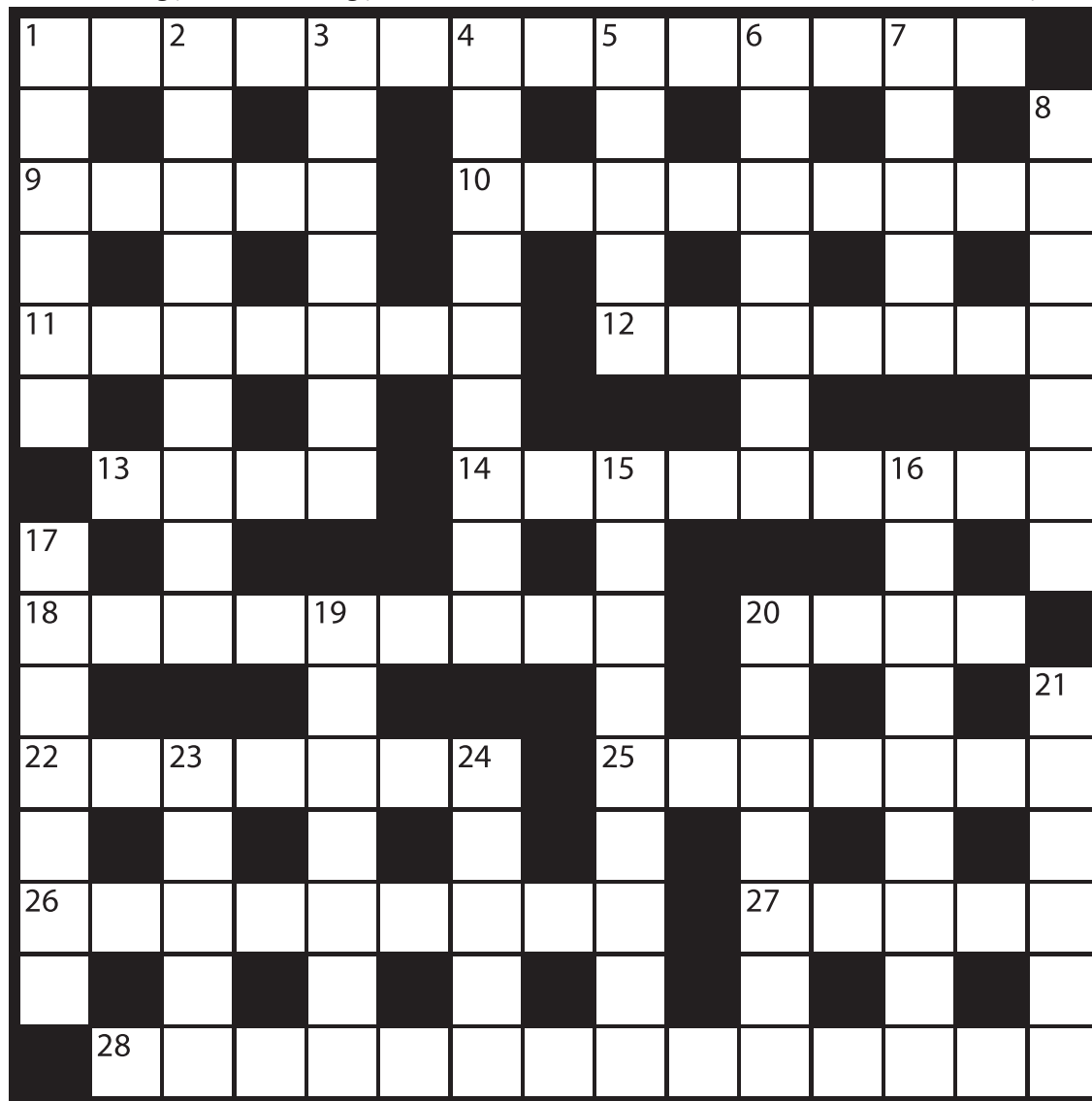
- 1 Sixties ailment treated by self-destiny (14)
- 9 Uncommonly pure Eastern coin (5)
- 10 Medical worker treats hip badly (9)
- 11 Non-amateur supporter on point of being rude (7)
- 12 Plaster-cast stationery item (7)
- 13 Sword cuts top off tent (4)
- 14 Novel reparation (9)
- 18 Tackle crack soldiers in heart of ghetto (9)
- 20 Sullen party at church centre (4)
- 22 An officer in the central part, we hear (7)
- 25 Explorer found one in landing place (7)
- 26 Toil behind land fortification (9)
- 27 Former performance is precise (5)
- 28 Corny issue resolved, bank on formal ending (5,9)

DOWN

- 1 Regret turning up on not entirely free continent (6)
- 2 Ad lib? I'm sharp with first of umpteen (9)
- 3 Adolescent golf supporter on horse last in race (7)
- 4 Dilapidated and remote cathedral (5,4)
- 5 Plans a side scuppered (5)
- 6 Said vegetable to mature is a waste (7)
- 7 Tip over firelighter (5)
- 8 Knot tie with speed, and repeat (7)
- 15 Frank is roundly set upon, but fine internally (9)
- 16 List menu changes to poor eater (9)
- 17 Tutor in pain during most of term (7)
- 19 Criticise the right beast (7)

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20 See where ice does form? (7)

21 Quite beautiful (6)

23 Doesn't finish great old piece by Handel (5)

24 Steals instruments by the sound of it (5)