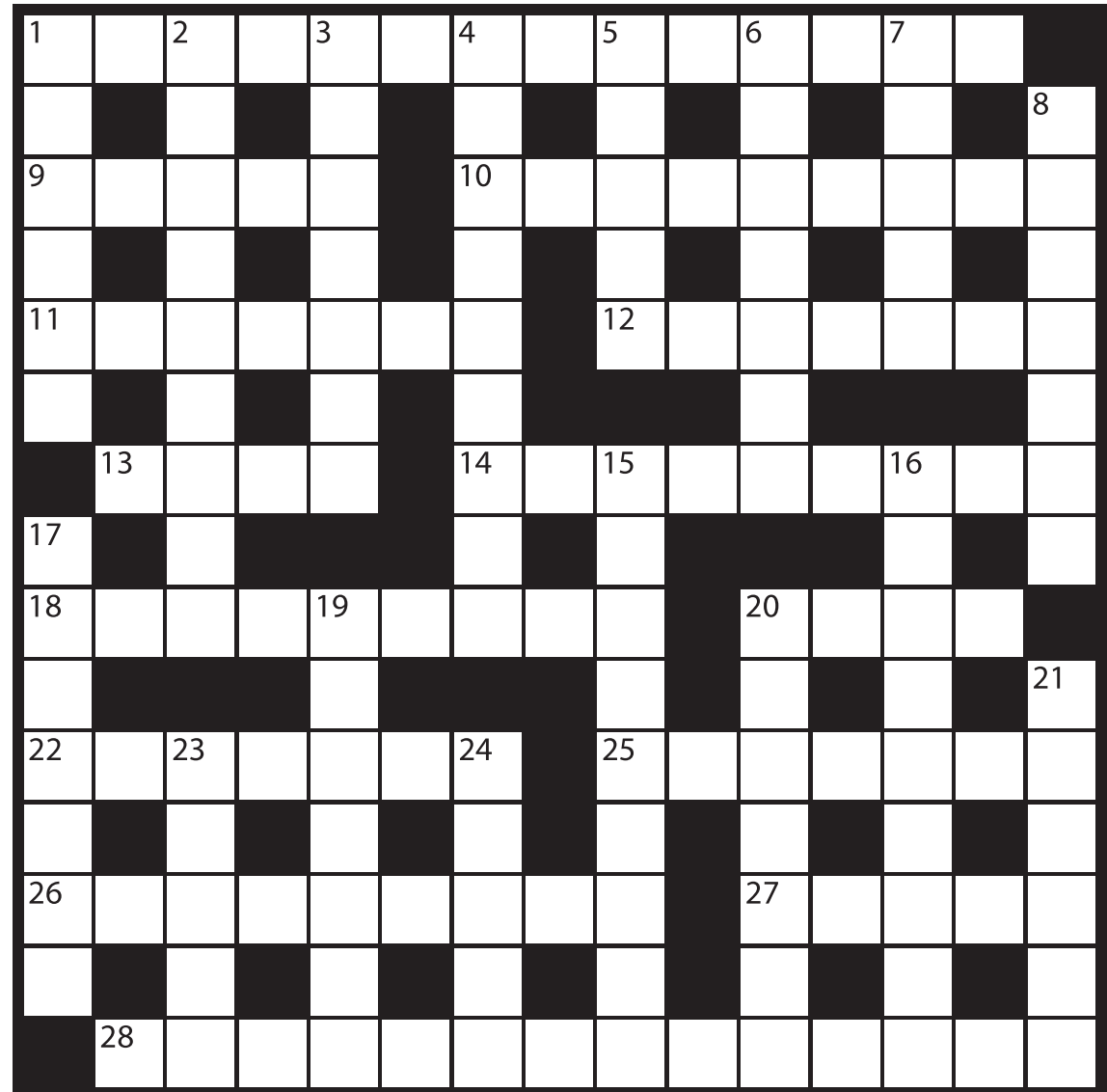


ACROSS

- 1 Awful sitcom's her loss as teacher (14)
- 9 Twelve take a nap on point (5)
- 10 Distance from middle of bookmark, when expanded (9)
- 11 Fears model slips (7)
- 12 Put off, though set in action (7)
- 13 Wolf injured the bird (4)
- 14 No right in indiscretion to show cheek (9)
- 18 Examiner's to look at alternative (9)
- 20 Lots of carriers (4)
- 22 I can remove twisted net revealing antique (7)
- 25 Brownd off, like the honoured guest was (7)
- 26 Nymph is to be treated with auto-suggestion (9)
- 27 Sneaky lie-in for Australian singer (5)
- 28 Where monks meet to celebrate forty again (9,5)

DOWN

- 1 Calm and unhurried high teas involving editor (6)
- 2 Endless mist, US road could be risky (9)
- 3 Net deposit that's undesired (3,4)
- 4 Fashion garment – rough and ready? (9)
- 5 Turn as boy gets cold dish (5)
- 6 Sheep showed sign of injury having wandered (7)
- 7 Dish to stop including Asian starter (5)
- 8 Decoration had shortly, we hear, been interfered with (7)
- 15 Temp formulating trap with remit (4-5)
- 16 Establishment where you might find a weapon after dark? (9)



- 17 Harp Ian wrestled from ferocious one (7)
- 19 An ugly thing, and painful, too! (7)
- 20 Second-rate bat gets support (7)
- 21 Stick commercial in this place (6)
- 23 Thicket, policemen said (5)
- 24 Soil colour around area (5)