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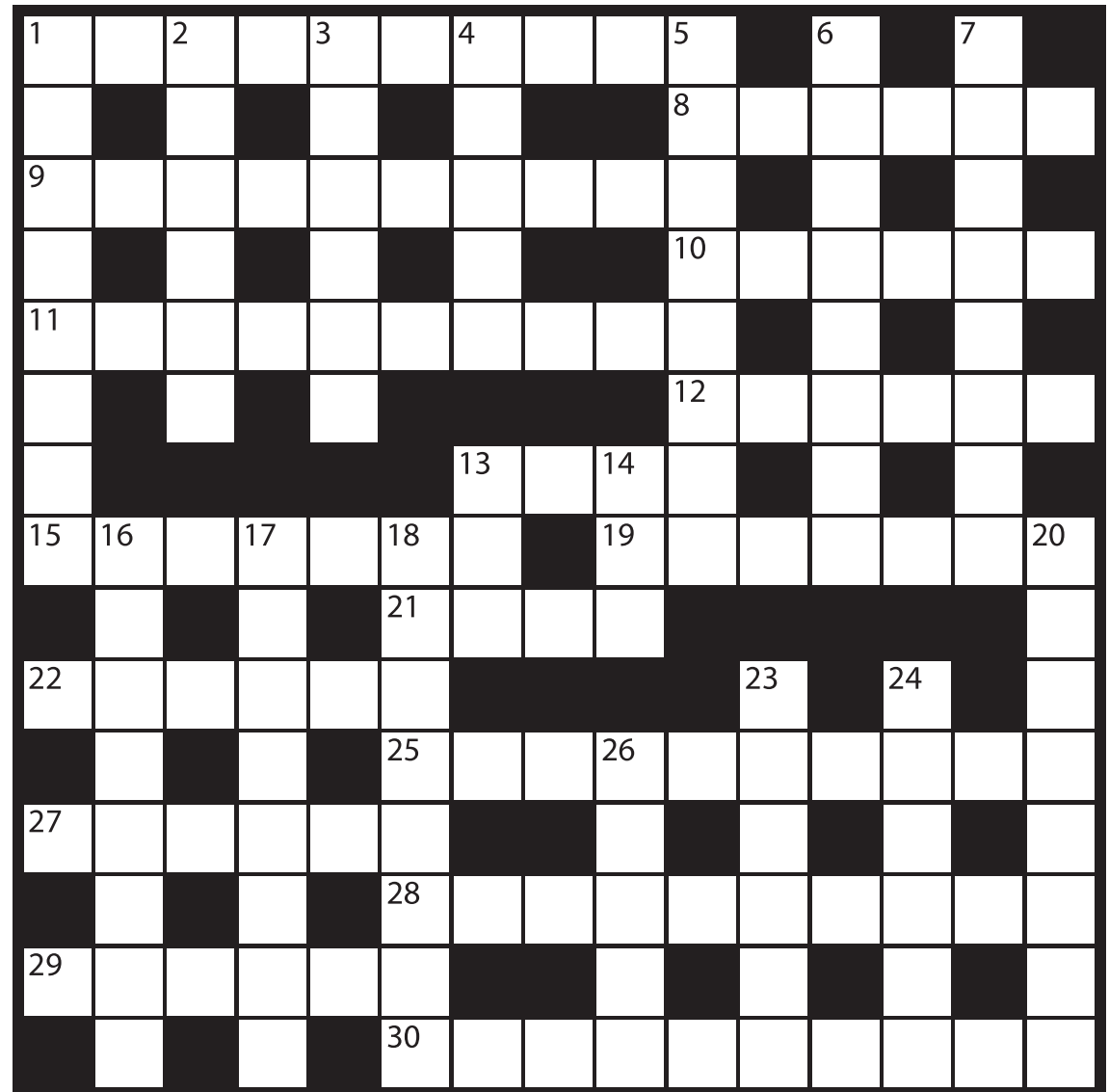
- 1 Appear rash altering rewording (10)
- 8 Brave change by literature head relating to words (6)
- 9 Fraction of a minute to assess as mediocre (6-4)
- 10 Salad in spaceship? (6)
- 11 Wedding participant renovates big red room (10)
- 12 One predicting nothing, clear fraud (6)
- 13 Dispense drinks, we hear, for the needy (4)
- 15 Avenger reforms to carve designs (7)
- 19 Remember, mud always overwhelms this island colony (7)
- 21 Sounds like spooky North American lake (4)
- 22 Send for total, then add a thousand on (6)
- 25 Revelation when clouds rise unexpectedly (10)
- 27 Lover in cafe gets upset (6)
- 28 Comforting words repeated in that place (5,5)
- 29 One enjoying cruelty's unhappy first (6)
- 30 Those present at 22:00 do the foxtrot? (10)

DOWN

- 1 Hub spike gets repaired for the two-wheeler (8)
- 2 Flinch from wind again (6)
- 3 Think about water feature, with hesitation (6)
- 4 Less common, and more lightly cooked (5)
- 5 Increasingly, for eternity (8)
- 6 Shout aloud, for I am trapped by shellfish (8)
- 7 Identified lad holding beautiful girl (8)
- 13 For every salesman on the way up (3)
- 14 Award for part of Robespierre (inits)(3)
- 16 Marine upsets a lunatic (8)

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- 17 Co Antrim characters turn out to be amorous (8)
- 18 Sell Tate composition, causing prolonged quarrel (8)
- 20 Go before having to surrender poker stake first (8)
- 23 Ran away, despite being secured (6)
- 24 Enter building clutching upper-class serving dish (6)
- 26 Swear there's nothing missing from the circuit (5)