

**ACROSS**

- 7 Passing ten trains, oddly (9)  
 8 Stewed pears left over (5)  
 10 Make an announcement – personal (8)  
 11 Raced madly round a shopping precinct (6)  
 12 Give out damaged item (4)  
 13 Permit role-playing in London gallery (8)  
 15 Clobber unknown guns (7)  
 17 Earliest advertising by one girl (7)  
 20 Noticed old boy was in the armed forces (8)  
 22 Reportedly familiar with feature (4)  
 25 Dined behind tavern, that's natural (6)  
 26 Italian wine, in trial, was the most flavoursome (8)  
 27 Bishop taking part in dance leads to revolt (5)  
 28 Behaviour journalist managed (9)

**DOWN**

- 1 Cut fruit (5)  
 2 One on the staff is frail (6)  
 3 Diana's flower is a terrible failure (8)  
 4 Six-footers in religious groups (7)  
 5 Entire range of crumpets cooked (8)  
 6 Teardrops shed for hunters (9)  
 9 Penny covers everything with a shroud (4)  
 14 Bring her a foreign herald (9)  
 16 Generate unruly youth (8)  
 18 Call on team to get the best seats (8)  
 19 Note I'd prepared about one issue (7)  
 21 We four return with an opinion (4)  
 23 Change small sorceress (6)  
 24 Wedding official who keeps Cockneys quiet? (5)

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