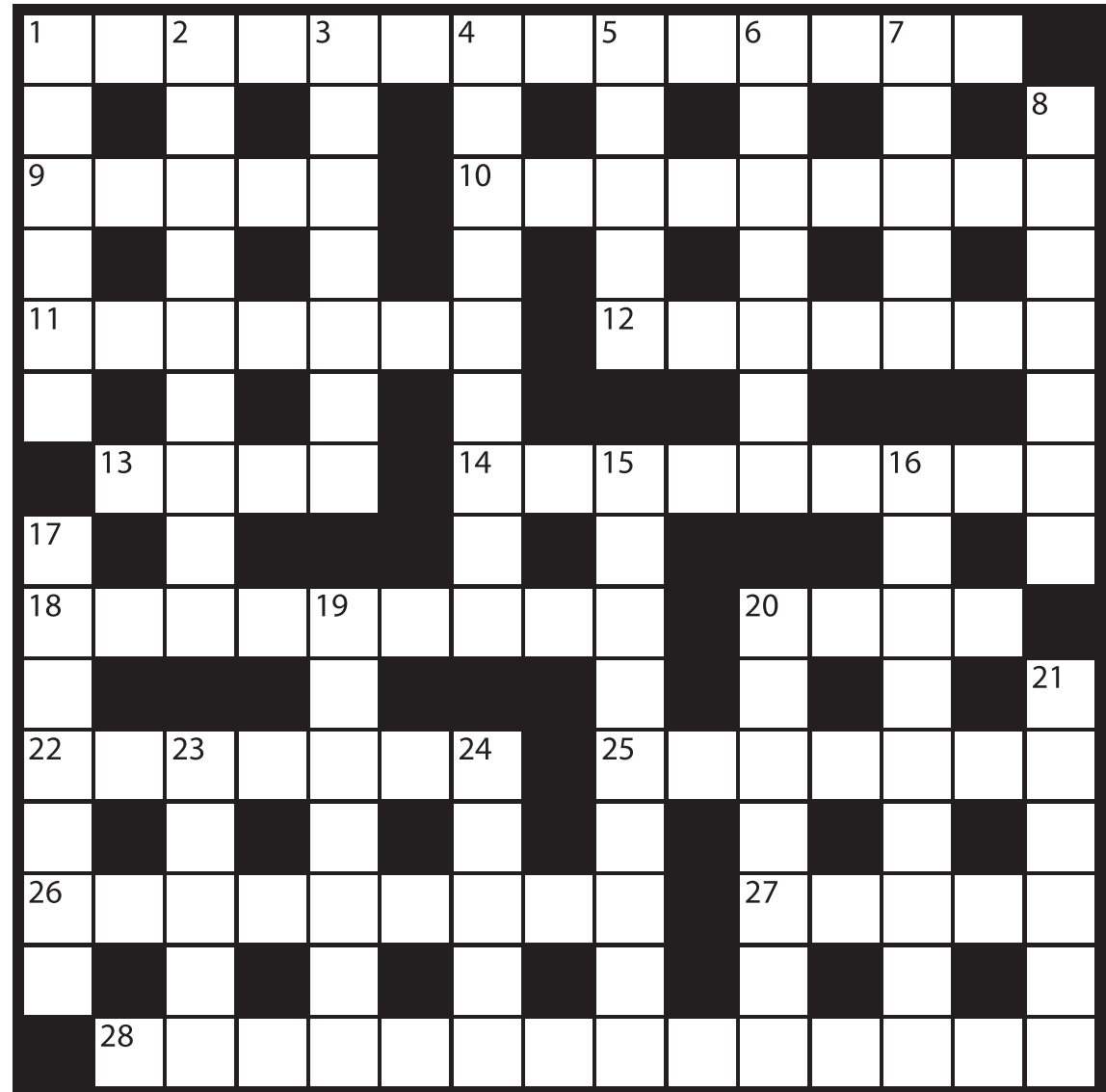


ACROSS

- 1 Testing time for collies (8,6)
- 9 Be silent, initially, in departure (5)
- 10 Complicated tale a bore spun (9)
- 11 A little stick for pond dweller (7)
- 12 Ted's twin almost becomes warped (7)
- 13 A one-off time period (4)
- 14 Industry turns out nice lid, eg (9)
- 18 Dam stream around the city (9)
- 20 Summon servant (4)
- 22 Priest's hat is black, strange attire (7)
- 25 Determination to shorten period with council vehicle (7)
- 26 Reversing in Citroen I ram bus and another vehicle (9)
- 27 A minor prize (5)
- 28 Bodily sensation handled by a seamstress (4,3,7)

DOWN

- 1 Not all Aussies take a nap (6)
- 2 Sinners reviled so cruelly (4-5)
- 3 Place for an insult (3,4)
- 4 With no limits, casino finally closed, broken by writer (4-5)
- 5 Drink to a good man (5)
- 6 Decreasing work (7)
- 7 Smallest amount in meadow on street (5)
- 8 Money raised, perhaps, with energy invested (7)
- 15 Colour not experienced with fruit (4,5)
- 16 Dusk, wrong thing for trip (9)
- 17 Roast meat with a good man (7)
- 19 Catches parents out (7)



- 20 Monkey spread around edge (7)
- 21 He leaves islands to married women (6)
- 23 Religious man's tailless pet (5)
- 24 Like a flyer or a vehicle I'm in (5)