ACROSS

- 9 Ignores past appearance (9)
- **10** Begins a show with zero writing implements? (5)
- **11** Framework in the foreign room (7)
- **12** Typical example of one volume on lengthened CD (7)
- 13 Sense a smaller amount is bland (9)
- 16 Start viewing smoke round the bend (5)
- 17 Enid's costlier confusion is lacking in purpose (13)
- 20 One who makes a lot of dough! (5)
- 21 Suspects condensation corrodes (9)
- 24 Music and wine bring harmony (7)
- **25** Great at organising river event (7)
- 27 In agreement, make up (5)
- 28 Start holding one soldier in fancy surroundings (9)

DOWN

- **1** Leave, belt off for wine glass (6)
- 2 Learner encountered outside will lose form (4)
- 3 Number covered by beer from mountainous region (6)
- 4 Hear tell of greyish-brown shark (4)
- **5** Garbled rap session slurs (10)
- **6** A learner followed old Ford, dealing with the signs (8)
- **7** Thorny situation, or a very comfortable one? (3,2,5)
- 8 Used to keep woman guided (7)
- **14** Support fop I struck unexpectedly (5,2,3)
- 15 Rough assessment of some Titian work (10)

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- **18** Earl obeys without unknown quantity from some listeners (3,5)
- **19** I translate bear in Spanish and Portuguese (7)
- 22 Get back, say, during bad weather (6)
- 23 Equipment used to weigh parts of fish (6)
- **25** Bird nesting in trailer (4)
- 26 Language that Haiti suppressed (4)