

**ACROSS**

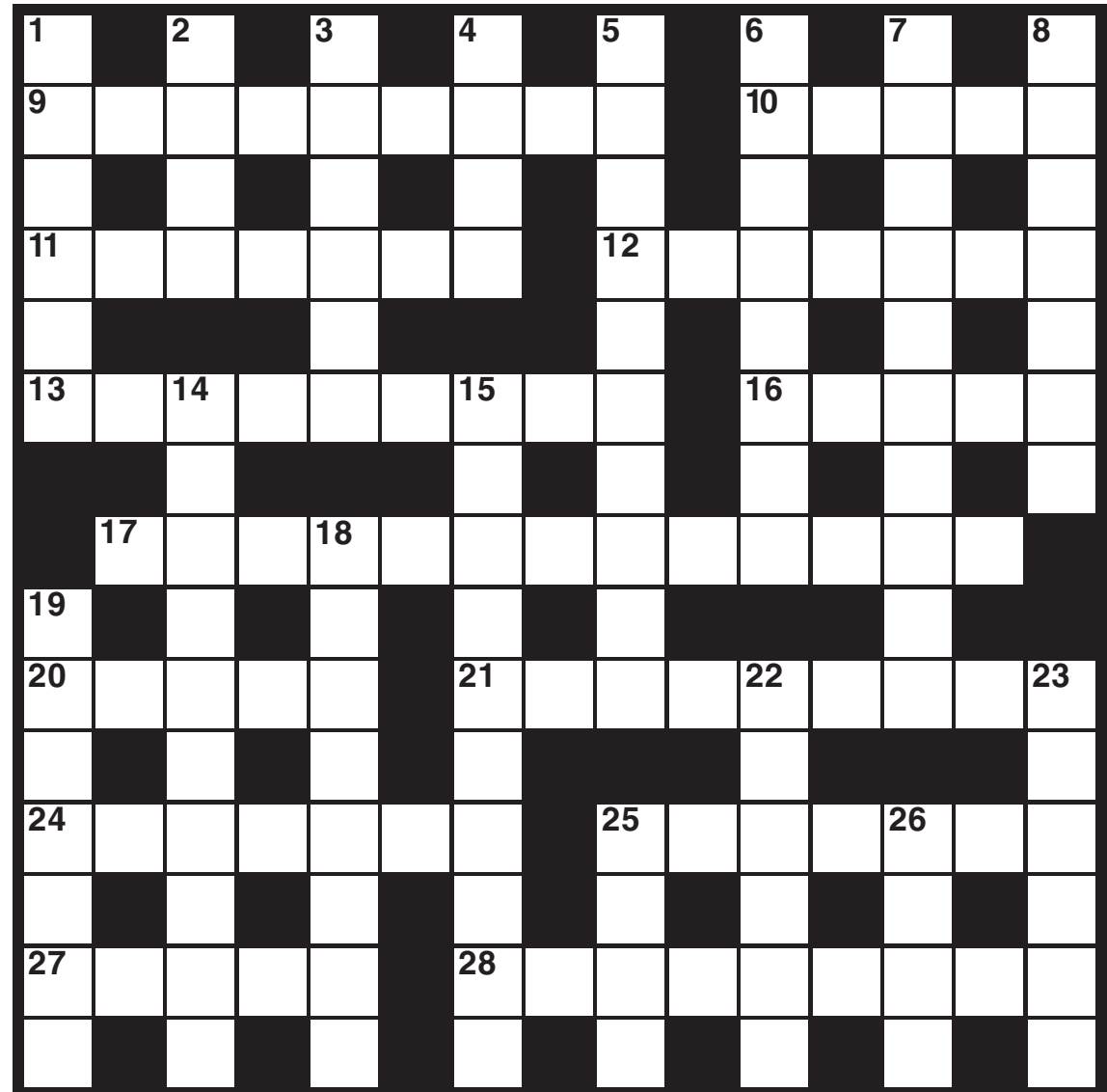
- 9 Toil behind land fortification (9)  
 10 Page found in the directory (5)  
 11 Revealed former partner was a model (7)  
 12 Extra match when drama cancelled? (4-3)  
 13 Lets go of plastic item on pancake (4,5)  
 16 Collect a large quantity (5)  
 17 A toe due treatment? I reportedly allow fragrance (3,2,8)  
 20 Sacred Old Testament section is something to believe in (5)  
 21 Back sum, eg, formed lots of money (9)  
 24 Charges a size unit of engines and functions (7)  
 25 Groove with television station (7)  
 27 Love being in wicker boat (5)  
 28 Under canvas, middle sister is demanding (9)

**DOWN**

- 1 Fed up, object and stand up for (6)  
 2 Physician given small coin to produce leak (4)  
 3 Essay from the little sibling (6)  
 4 Prominent bishop, advanced in years (4)  
 5 Being captain, perform shanty about fish (10)  
 6 Interruption long time afterwards causing damage (8)  
 7 Learned about hot classic (10)  
 8 Around swirling fog, there's meal for shark (7)  
 14 Like gems Capone lets shatter (10)  
 15 Hopeful boy is immersed in unusual topic (10)  
 18 Thick slice in the porch? (8)

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19 Withdraw because of slight injury (7)

22 Serbia's unusual stew (6)

23 Pay tribute to son on a musical instrument (6)

25 Large number request a barrel (4)

26 Want some fine education (4)