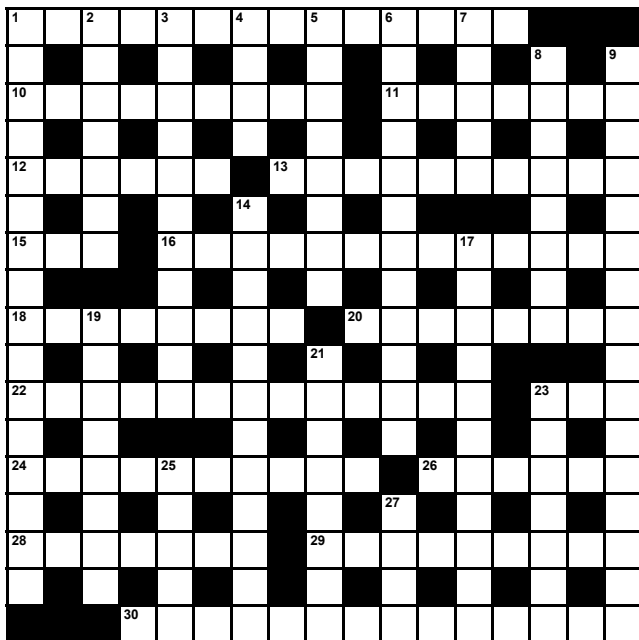


# Polymath 524 Set by Viking

## ACROSS

- 1 Legal plea, accepting conviction but not admitting guilt (4,10)
- 10 The mother of Romulus and Remus (3,6)
- 11 Greek dialect, spoken in an island in the Mediterranean (7)
- 12 A rock pinnacle, as seen at Bryce Canyon, for example (6)
- 13 A drink taken on horseback on departing (or arriving) (7,3)
- 15 Domesticated ox, with long silky hair (3)
- 16 Channel in the eye, through which aqueous humour drains (8,5)
- 18 Italian given name, that of the composer Respighi (8)
- 20 Comedy (1934) written and performed by W.C. Fields (3,1,4)
- 22 Dinosaurs with a horn over each eye and one on the nose (13)
- 23 A shortened name for "mad cow disease" (3)
- 24 Meeting-place in London, for many years the unofficial HQ of the Tory party (6,4)
- 26 University in Canada, where 2 down once lectured (6)
- 28 One minute of longitude, measured along the Equator (3,4)
- 29 The period of the more advanced Stone Age (9)
- 30 Arnold Schoenberg, Alban Berg, Anton Webern, among others (14)



## DOWN

- 1 Film (1959) directed by Alfred Hitchcock, original music by Bernard Herrmann (5,2,9)
- 2 Canadian humorist born in England in 1869, also a lecturer in economics (7)
- 3 Style of design based on oriental models (11)
- 4 Russian river, flowing into the Gulf of Finland (4)
- 5 A skin eruption, especially if accompanied by fever (8)
- 6 Form of colour blindness using only two, not the usual three, wavelengths (12)
- 7 A Benjamite, the father of one of those sent by Moses to spy in the land of Canaan (5)
- 8 Italian film director, born in Milan in 1906; he also directed opera and ballet (8)
- 9 The first line of a poem by W.H. Auden, often used at funerals (4,3,3,6)
- 14 Nigerian writer, born 1930, whose first novel was *Things Fall Apart* (6,6)
- 17 Court case mounted on behalf of several persons with the same grievance (5,6)
- 19 Caribbean island, seven miles from Venezuela (8)
- 21 One version of the name of the mother of Caius Martius (aka Coriolanus) (8)
- 23 The name attached to a disease of the kidneys (7)
- 25 City in south-west Japan (5)
- 27 US writer, born 1933, whose novels portray middle-class Jewish life (4)

The first correct entry drawn on Wednesday November 4 wins a Conway Stewart pen. Entries, using the form below, should be addressed to Polymath No 524, Weekend FT, One Southwark Bridge, London SE1 9HL. The solution and winner's name will be published on Saturday November 7.

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## Solution Polymath 522



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