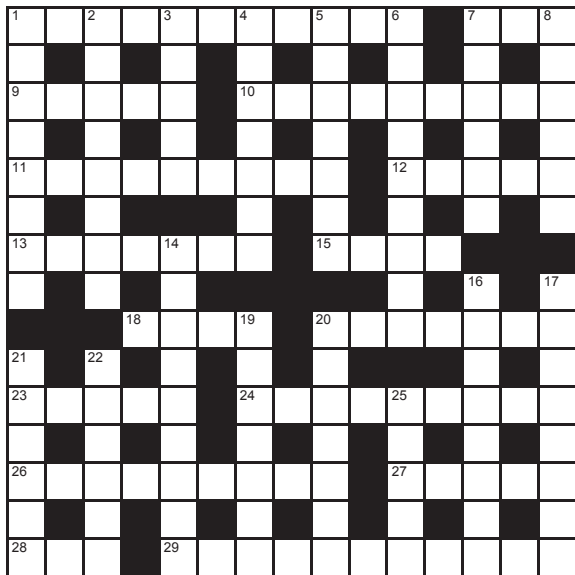


CROSSWORD

No. 13,928 Set by CINEPHILE



JOTTER PAD

RS has the same meaning throughout

ACROSS

- 1 Bureaucrat gives an area around standard one thousand pounds (11)
- 7, 28 RS of the racing world backs crime (3,3)
- 9 Good turn getting convict out of this penal system (5)
- 10 Acknowledgement of being given entry (9)
- 11 Criminal tennis player? (9)
- 12 Crockery symbolised by RS (separately) (5)
- 13 RS gives insect to a god (7)
- 15 who damages RS (not technically) (4)
- 18 Return of stake with a hole in the crust (4)
- 20 Piece of writing in bad French? (7)
- 23 Snake in charge of jelly (5)
- 24 Despotism ran us ragged (9)
- 26 Get ex-blue to reveal RS (9)
- 27 Companies needing a hot drink (5)
- 28 See 7
- 29 Cultured pearl to effect integration of substitute (11)

DOWN

- 1 North African boy with some study of age at heart (8)
- 2 Places to set out for carnivores (8)
- 3 Bad guy to rake around piece of garden (5)
- 4 Businessmen on the queen's square? (7)

- 5 Unexciting little sound by musical instrument (7)
- 6 Provocative hair licks USSR into shape (4,5)
- 7 Artist is at home with fruit (6)
- 8 Books in transaction concerned with choppers (6)
- 14 Net-like arrangement of trailer with copper in it (9)
- 16 One taking taxi without cry of pain is ill at ease in society (8)
- 17 Original RS, given time, does bird (8)
- 19 An unprepossessing person in port (7)
- 20 Unknown king in front page with a fever (7)
- 21 Medal in transport for slope in road (6)
- 22 All set inside for sign of respiratory problem (6)
- 25 Suitable post for the chronic hell-raiser (5)

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