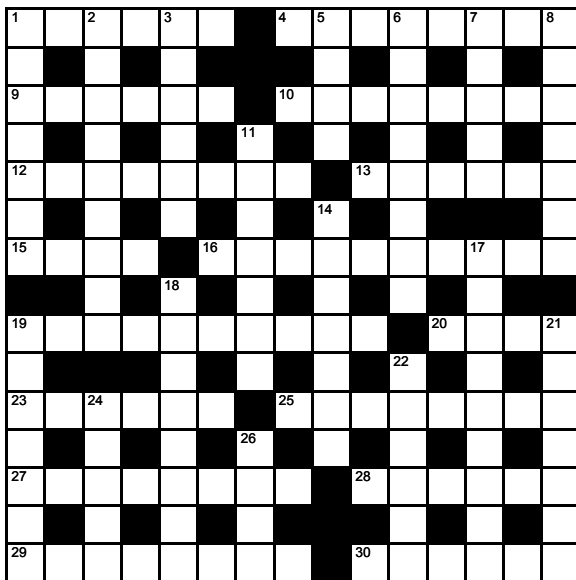


CROSSWORD

No. 13,713 Set by LOROSO



JOTTER PAD

ACROSS

- 1 Sound of air that's nothing quiet? (6)
- 4 Hairstyle a setter's kept short? Anything but (8)
- 9 Trip through Africa's wild (avoiding Cape) (6)
- 10 I'll argue about alternative spelling for "irregular" (8)
- 12 Room isn't arranged as groups of three cells (8)
- 13 Drawn towards private serving in 20? (6)
- 15 I hope you're scared by knight's tale (4)
- 16 A smelly sweet to eat (10)
- 19 Material for trapping Romeo in school, the pervert! (5-5)
- 20 Some of this becomes strawberry jam (4)
- 23 Groom engaged in fighting (6)
- 25 My work appears on page . . . (8)
- 27 . . . one badly printed in bold (8)
- 28 Does it take up space? (6)
- 29 Criminal's good – strange criminal! (8)
- 30 Assume major is stubborn type (6)

DOWN

- 1 Laundry room item was focal point around start of twenties (7)
- 2 Pale 5 (3-6)
- 3 One into guitar's sound (6)
- 5 Unsuitable for young Conservative (4)
- 6 Drug investigator is beginning to sniff one's plants (8)
- 7 A little love is not primarily without unexpected cost (3,2)
- 8 Engineers have dug earth around plant (3-4)
- 11 It has much farmland and not people (7)
- 14 Panic about Euro beat (7)
- 17 Stunned bridge player surrounded by a mob (9)
- 18 In Ireland my drinks will contain punch (8)
- 19 Witch drinks cold blood which causes coughing (7)
- 21 Attractive, thus ultimately cheap? (7)
- 22 Vegetable grass to cover area (6)
- 24 Old woman can offer prayer (5)
- 26 In jail I fear this is only nominal? (4)

Solution to Saturday's prize puzzle on Saturday June 18
 Solution to yesterday's prize puzzle on Monday June 20
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