

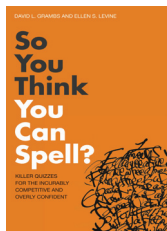
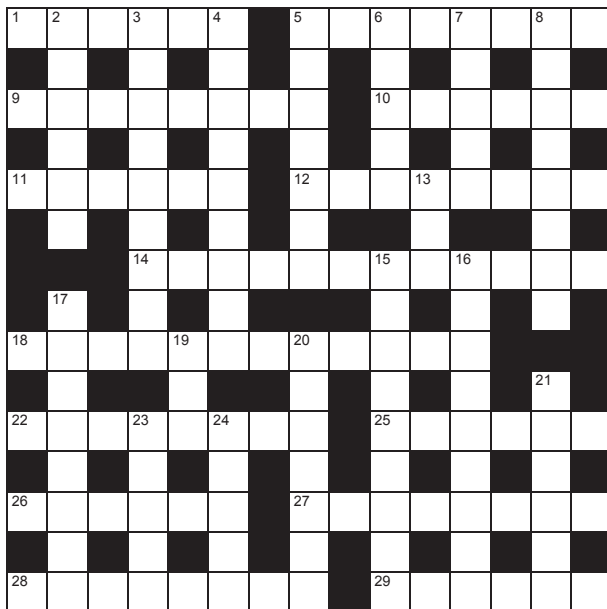
Crossword 13,901 Set by Bradman

ACROSS

- 1 Terrible suffering comes with flings being reported (6)
- 5 Form of illumination minimal with peacekeepers going in (8)
- 9 Mark tackling first bit of chemistry exam of higher degree? (8)
- 10 Starry-eyed with little energy in the morning – outside it's dull (6)
- 11 Scientist puts what's rotten into waste container (6)
- 12 Paper agreements with a twist in the tail (8)
- 14 House next door with troublesome parental echo (7,5)
- 18 Example of excellence set by top Olympian showing yellow flag? (4,8)
- 22 Party curtailed with chaps getting in paper (8)
- 25 Little creature attached to religious group (6)
- 26 Dance as you'd expect to see outside university (6)
- 27 A holy heretic in a place that has a buzz? (8)
- 28 White-collar class to which belong two men (8)
- 29 Energy's gushing out with new steam source (6)

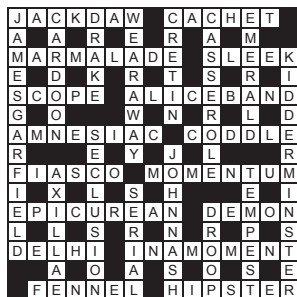
DOWN

- 2 Ring on one nameless bird (6)
- 3 Uncontrollable, like a bowler's delivery say (3,2,4)
- 4 Stretched horizontal support, sturdy externally (6,3)
- 5 Mark scheme within school (7)
- 6 It's good coming in as nature intended – a bit of encouragement needed? (5)
- 7 That is short time after the day ruler fell (2,3)
- 8 Parochial countryman has some stirring inside, being this when away? (8)
- 13 A politician's current measure (3)
- 15 Appreciating authentic one with enthusiasm (9)
- 16 What might have brought food to queen is taken in the wrong direction (3,6)
- 17 Transport system has men without number getting post brought round (8)
- 19 Problem with bottomless cesspool (3)
- 20 King's mistress carries bat out for game (7)
- 21 Throw away drug in grate (6)
- 23 Club president being deposed, say (5)
- 24 Set of principles? This is ultimately deficient in the City (5)

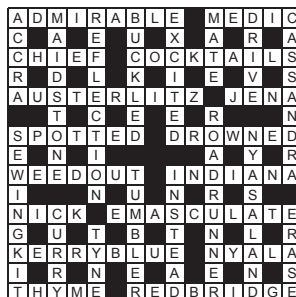


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