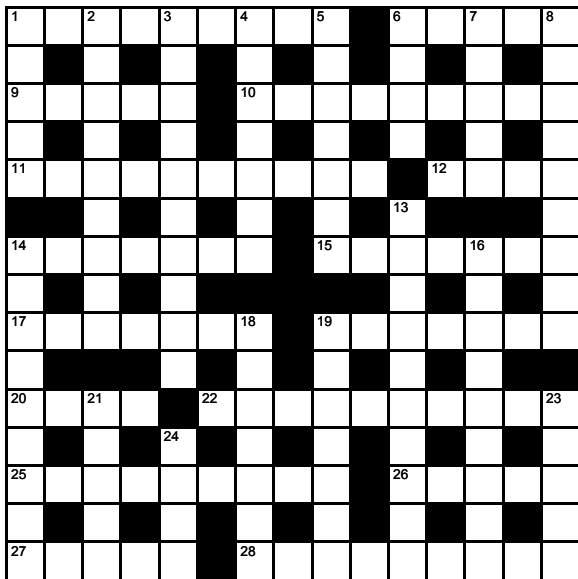


CROSSWORD

No. 13,638 Set by LOROSO



JOTTER PAD

ACROSS

- 1 A measure to restrict trade is arranged between banks (9)
- 6 Icy river escapade curtailed (5)
- 9 Some lifting affects boob (5)
- 10 Sister has cracked fish – weird anagram (9)
- 11, 3 West Indian batsman said, of life, that playing the game leads to natural selection (8,2,3,7)
- 12 “Cheers” players in old US sitcom (4)
- 14 Car going round province’s track (7)
- 15 Villain backed by guy in France, of course (1’6)
- 17 Universal and mostly pliable tool (7)
- 19 One with tip possibly heading right? (7)
- 20 Advert for some mushy peas (4)
- 22, 13 Poem changing 5’s alphabetical order (7,3,10)
- 25 Salt coating long single cut of beef (9)
- 26 I walk 27 kilometres in this, then run (5)
- 27 Expedition dish that’s hot instead of cold (5)
- 28 Extremely keen wisecracker’s keenness for letters? (9)

DOWN

- 1 Priest finds organ unserviceable (5)
- 2 Security guards on honour (9)
- 3 See 11

- 4 New bakery product boxes, not coded (2,5)
- 5 21 needs an hour to get into the spirit (7)
- 6 Parking sign somewhat to the left? (4)
- 7 West Indian cricketer stops victor being immature (5)
- 8 Jogger welcomes a rest (9)
- 13 See 22
- 14 What mush swirls around ought to be this? (9)
- 16 Surpassed UK on trade supply (9)
- 18 Posh B&B in secure Texas city (7)
- 19 Fix zip to limit introduction of birth control measure? (7)
- 21 Safe title initially secured by Law Lord? (5)
- 23 Keen to see good in bad (5)
- 24 What a sailor may call a cyclist (4)

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