

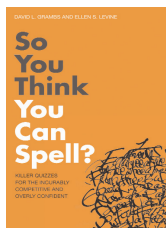
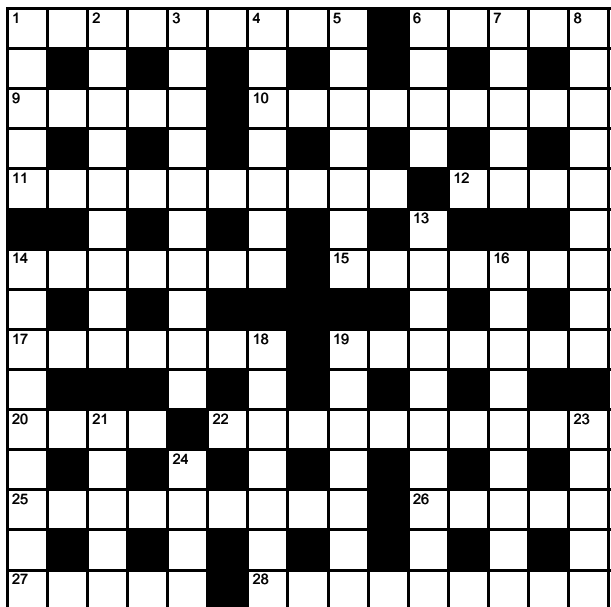
Crossword 13,658 Set by Cincinnati

ACROSS

- 1 Windy City bar is devoted to luxury (9)
- 6 Ace investigator pens last letter for old American (5)
- 9 Small car for Arab (5)
- 10 Cockney festival's entertaining finale (4,5)
- 11 One is unlikely to make riots legal (10)
- 12 Archer's aching back (4)
- 14 Taking tea to annoy painter (7)
- 15 Things going adrift for man backing female group (7)
- 17 Jersey, for example, grabbed by crazy fool (7)
- 19 Witty remark by composer giving reasons (7)
- 20 Opposed to old things? Not half! (4)
- 22 Find Labour represented by rose (10)
- 25 One taken from city where Cleopatra was queen (9)
- 26 A light neither fore nor aft? (5)
- 27 One palace is more than enough for former kingdom (5)
- 28 Steady American going west with marks (9)

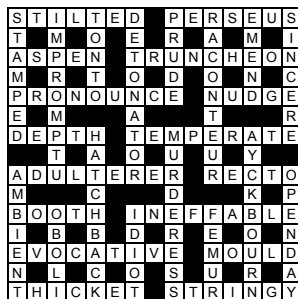
DOWN

- 1 Fibre in diets is a luxury (5)
- 2 Dirty rat in country music (9)
- 3 Set out after control is restored (10)
- 4 A pedicurist may treat this woman in labour (7)
- 5 Actors not working, no longer required (4-3)
- 6 Lincoln would shortly have retired (4)
- 7 House party accepted by majority of Turks (5)
- 8 Chartism's movable feast? (9)
- 13 One of the leads with Miss Gardner, born in sunny location (5,5)
- 14 Return for pardon? (4,5)
- 16 Figure understood to be hosting contest (9)
- 18 Guys taking in the Spanish dupes (7)
- 19 Sid and Mary sorted huge numbers (7)
- 21 Belgian city getting rid of an idiot (5)
- 23 Read novel about spymaster prepared to shoot? (5)
- 24 Transport lobby given a hearing? (4)

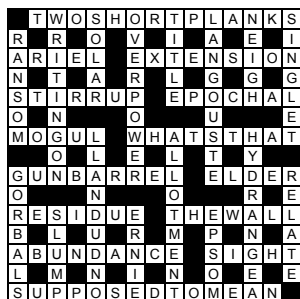


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Solution 13,657



Solution 13,646



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