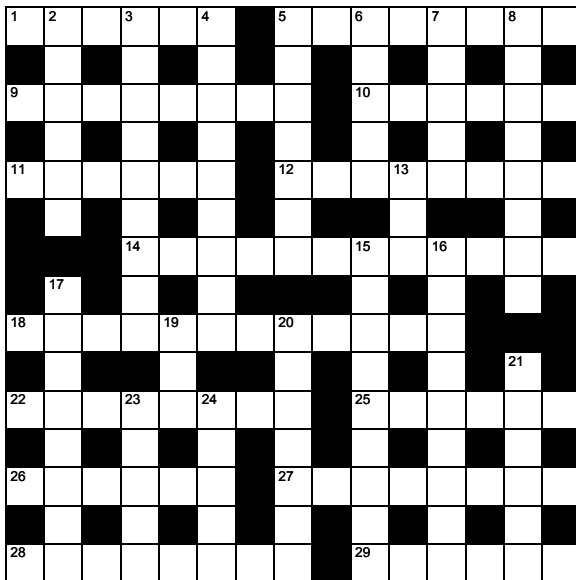


CROSSWORD

No. 13,625 Set by REDSHANK



JOTTER PAD

ACROSS

- 1 27's companion spent time in cell (6)
- 5 One-time Liberal knight returned bookplate (2-6)
- 9 Sweden collapsed or inwardly deteriorated (8)
- 10 Any ----- could make agony aunt sweet (6)
- 11 Religious retreat has rancid butter (6)
- 12 Rebuildcroft in bishopric without penalty (4-4)
- 14 Non-stop thrashing by Inter Milan (12)
- 18 Fool stupidly cremated Devon speciality (7,5)
- 22 Stylist resigned having exchanged letters (8)
- 25 Putting up Home Office money in government (6)
- 26 Old car set off on November 5 (6)
- 27 Small matter of slogan during Reagan campaign? (8)
- 28 Is he impressed by baroque tea-set? (8)
- 29 Head of state tried changing pace (6)

DOWN

- 2 GI struggles with some sense of superiority (6)
- 3 The others keep coach in control (9)
- 4 Move ornament across Spain a tiny distance (9)

- 5 Consumer's objective sure to vary (3,4)
- 6 Jargon employed in recycling organisation (5)
- 7 Expert tours lake and promontory (5)
- 8 Did she redraft a sea bill to help Columbus? (8)
- 13 Brown tried acting naturally at first (3)
- 15 These melt in desserts; they're melting now (3,6)
- 16 Change fencing masters in old school (4,5)
- 17 Turn away a story about Etna exploding (8)
- 19 Get up? Got up (3)
- 20 Get up in the middle of late procession (7)
- 21 Hug and fondle, having been smitten (6)
- 23 Forge bit of gold into bar (5)
- 24 Harbour runs off east (5)

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