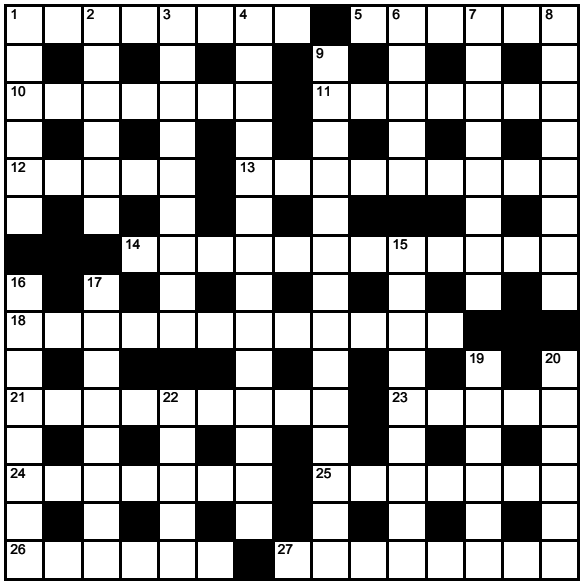
CROSSWORD

No. 13,767 Set by PHSSTHPOK



JOTTER PAD

ACROSS

1 Some acts do this in prison break (8)
5 Left out in the end by top editor (6)
10 Trick one hospital worker (7)
11 Floor shows no more in France (7)
12 Relative monstrosity is carbohydrate-free (5)
13 Nicky and Nico – but not Nicholas? (9)
14 Model leapt after following this instruction (7,5)
18 Tiny ship with cargo of wood and fast food? (6,6)
21 Type more practical if saints are included (4,5)
23 Mystic took the waters by head of the Indus (5)
24 Believe wise men visited home going towards the Orient (7)
25 Plan to orbit moon in ancient vehicle (7)
26 Want empty lampshade with spur (6)
27 To demand sex appeal is to invite punishment (3,3,2)

DOWN

1 Trophy filling could be the result (6)
2 Fit resulting from a deviation round team leader (6)
3 Challenge when reflective minds included hypercube (9)
4 Anybody in island surrounded by traffic? (3,2,3,6)
6 For security, wrap new fabric (5)
7 End up on top of literary heroine's problems (8)
8 I withdrew after reviewing satirised tragedy (8)
9 Criticise continuously and stuff the consequences (5-2,7)
15 It is plain that man is being pursued by carnivorous fish (9)
16 Going out on internet quest? (8)
17 In international organisation, determine the age of flood (8)
19 Cook a vicar's eggs (6)
20 Some raised protest at kidnapper's one-sided demand (6)
22 Static is inaudible (5)

Solution to Saturday's prize puzzle on Saturday August 20
Solution to yesterday's prize puzzle on Monday August 22
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