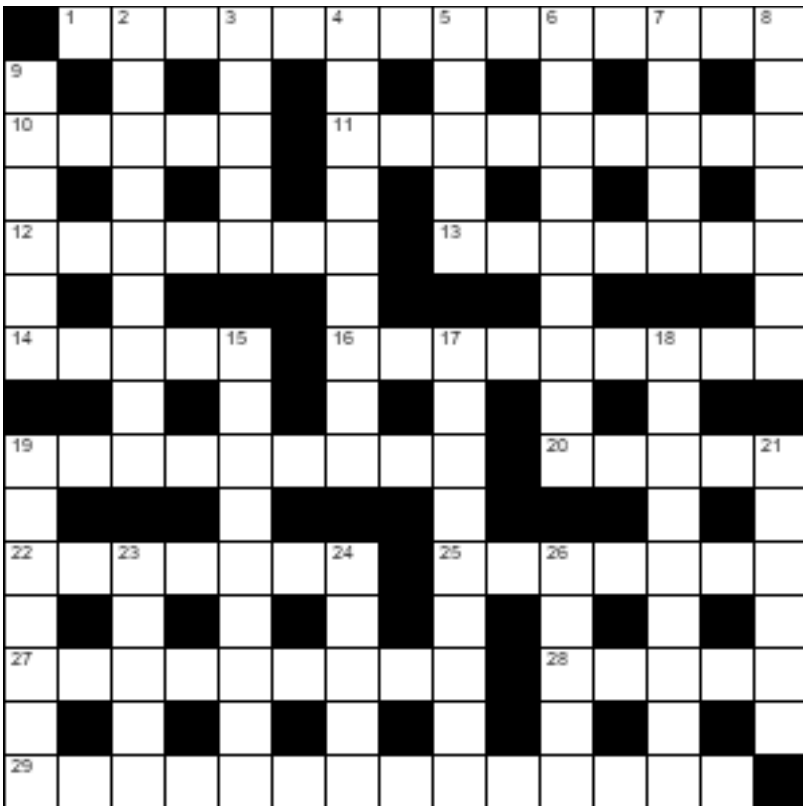


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JOTTER PAD

ACROSS

- 1 Misguided Unionist in a Manx town where the prospects couldn't be bleaker (2-3,9)
- 10 Occasional feature of crosswords from a particular setter (5)
- 11 Government measures applied to fruit (9)
- 12 A storm explosively channelling energy through conductor (7)
- 13 Ready for Roman study units to incorporate a seminar at last (7)
- 14 Add sweetener to revolting sauces (5)
- 16 Poisoning caused by viral infection... or old relative? (9)
- 19 Where customers expect bum deals and full revelations are demanded from staff (5,4)
- 20 Urged conciliator to stifle resistance (5)
- 22 Workers for the Crown? They're said to be crazy (7)
- 25 After fleeing, slender sheep become happy (5,2)
- 27 Translation of Trump's second new version of text enthral (9)
- 28 Excuse cardinal in vestment taking precedence over another (5)
- 29 Fancy cut brocaded linen is of little interest (14)

DOWN

- 2 Maiden, possibly a predatory creature, left out Romeo for being too keen (9)
- 3 Sluggish, clumsy, powerless to limit resistance (5)
- 4 Sad bishop's pained expression at loud music outside (9)
- 5 Diacritical mark with tail raised like a roof? (5)
- 6 Plant soon to be involved with radar (6,3)
- 7 Some Gothic horror's ethereal stuff (5)
- 8 Family sleeps without protective covers (7)
- 9 Makes an impression in Stamford before crossing discontented pensioners (6)
- 15 Theatre bar to charge carrier excess (9)
- 17 Disturb rest of people trying to keep the peace (9)
- 18 Performance which, while not lacking conviction, offers no appeal (4,5)
- 19 Music school I'm uncertain to spot — there's no time (7)
- 21 Goblin's uplifting base wit (6)
- 23 Five units of Cointreau in cocktail mixer (5)
- 24 Literature professor's expressions of dejection and disgust? (3-2)
- 26 Fruit taking a month to go North to Virginia (5)