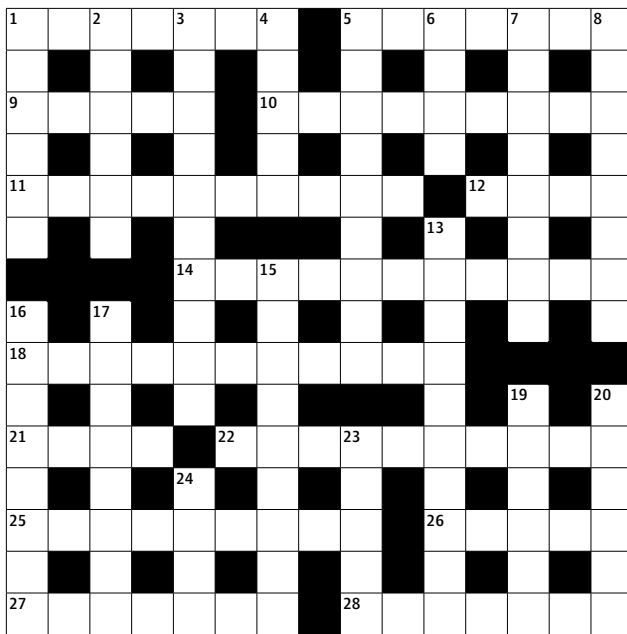


Guardian cryptic crossword



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Across

- 1** Binds cuts without pressure (7)
5 This might be Elm Street, if in production (4,3)
9 Get home and eat (3,2)
10 Protection secure, fellow made out (5,4)
11 Krueger home detailed unusual killing regime (5,5)
12 4 a 5 (4)
14 Food complaint section concerned with food sent back (11)
18 He might take blade to Elm Street, without bounds he operates? (4,7)
21 Bucket to collect going round (4)
22 Freddy Krueger's third? All butchered in an horrific way (10)
25 Sleepy? Old criminal heading for Nightmare on Elm Street houses (9)
26 Good person out of bed, male breaks in to confuse (5)
27 I must interrupt film ogre's screams (7)
28 Relaxes partners after endless sex (7)

Down

- 1** Son turns over magazine after daughter's puzzle (6)
2 Pulse on bird rising (6)
3 Do catch tailless fish: it sounds deep (10)

- 4** So knock out American deviant (5)
5 Dainty one mostly lost blood after Freddy initially called (9)
6 Fast learner on specialist ward (4)
7 John Barnes finally up front – English Liverpool player dribbled (8)
8 Supporter's jeans tucked in and put on show (8)
13 Turning red fast, sun permeated (10)
15 Right panic, time to go and save (9)
16 Ranks second in figures (8)
17 Sign of dreaming? Short deep cuts show for sin deliverer (8)
19 Sport paper featuring foreign articles (6)
20 American city street rates for voluptuous young women (6)
23 One closed American borders for cars (5)
24 Set off on bloodshed (4)

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