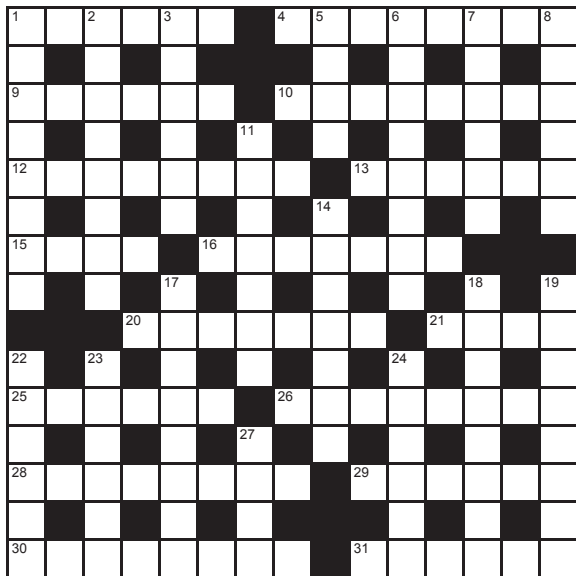


CROSSWORD

No. 14,580 Set by AARDVARK



JOTTER PAD

ACROSS

- 1 Boy nurses poorly bat (6)
- 4 Wrong lock used to secure health centre (8)
- 9 Newspaper gossip read over salad (6)
- 10 One's blown millions pursuing stardom, regularly revealing part of body (8)
- 12 When retiring, not one left fruit wine (8)
- 13 School member who gets bullied? (6)
- 15 What farmer hears coming from radio in kitchen? (4)
- 16 Cricket side that's played in headwear (7)
- 20 Head off excited into Norwich's outskirts after seeing museum's artist (3,4)
- 21 Scoff endlessly before parking vehicle (4)
- 25 Football team originally called back, as foreign brass introduced (6)
- 26 River's island seen on the turn into motorway (8)
- 28 Dramatist's giant novel available at back of shop (8)
- 29 Used to model clothes against an academic (6)
- 30 Phoebe, say, crossing over street, inhales French cigarettes untipped? (8)
- 31 One sharply scores three after moving around clubs (6)

DOWN

- 1 Photographer latterly inside pans dance studio (8)
- 2 Joiner's brave wearing bandage (8)

- 3 Adviser's contributing line to ancient poet failing to start (6)
- 5 Underdone cheese dish not chewed (4)
- 6 Maritime plant providing booster in county (8)
- 7 Beauty queen avoids kebab when among high-class society (6)
- 8 Dwarf plant getting shelter inside (6)
- 11 Religious school fills in register with electronic tablet (7)
- 14 Not middling grubber delivered into cricket wicket causes irritation? (7)
- 17 Crowd gathering in east mostly like a certain US writer (8)
- 18 Will from church avoids payment, as vessel goes round (8)
- 19 Athlete they copy, moving second to first (8)
- 22 Clergyman joins walkers in search (6)
- 23 Musicians start to study scale (not new) (6)
- 24 Leaning six-footer circumvents lowest of ceilings, note (6)
- 27 Approve assistant bodyguard (4)

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