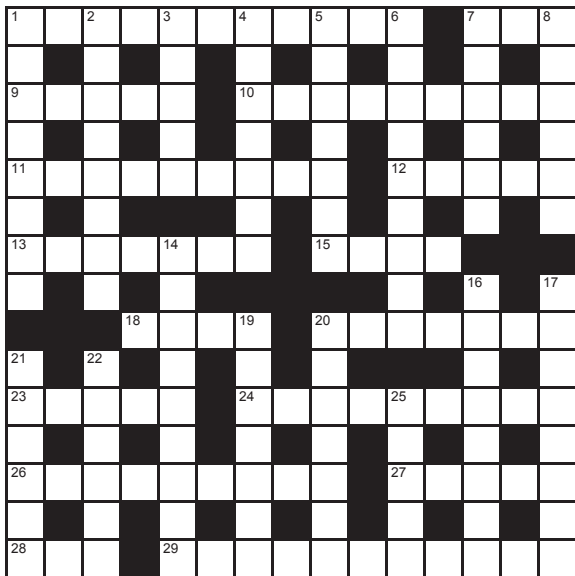


# CROSSWORD

No. 14,514 Set by MUDD



## JOTTER PAD

### ACROSS

- 1 Hand over, say, a tray after hour dipped in lead (7,4)
- 7 Watch the drink during conversation (3)
- 9 Horse given last of syrup (maple) (5)
- 10 Relative amount, one claimed, impressive (9)
- 11 In home, value's heading to the bottom – that's the point (5-4)
- 12 One's a woman? It's debatable! (5)
- 13 Like Peter Pan found in stage lessons (7)
- 15 Sound place to mention (4)
- 18 Stuff remains at the vineyard to be knocked back (4)
- 20 Doctor's cutting instrument beginning to extract bodily substance (7)
- 23 Lead short, short, 60% off lead (5)
- 24 Again I let out the privates (9)
- 26 Instrument's drone inspiring A minor fantasia (9)
- 27 Part through an African country (5)
- 28 Figure after tax returns (3)
- 29 French defence a long time in manoeuvres (7,4)

### DOWN

- 1 Fop gets to drop by on bird (8)
- 2 It's an instrument – that's official (8)
- 3 Girl owns up about artist (5)
- 4 25 as a 14? (7)
- 5 Design of castile adaptable (7)

- 6 Accommodation that's little improved, housing daughter, is shown up (9)
- 7 Partner puts first of pants in to soak (6)
- 8 Box you upended, opening for seamstress (6)
- 14 Pink thing getting warmer, hot after a thrashing (9)
- 16 Old chancellor and Jewish teacher deprived of a British vegetable (8)
- 17 State of which East End boy has knowledge (8)
- 19 Face trap, heading for gaol for criminal act (7)
- 20 Game where drawing may lead to suspension? (7)
- 21 Dahl novel among books, stale (3,3)
- 22 Senior nurse takes temperature, feeding a month later (6)
- 25 Drunk in snug (5)

### SOLUTION 14,513

