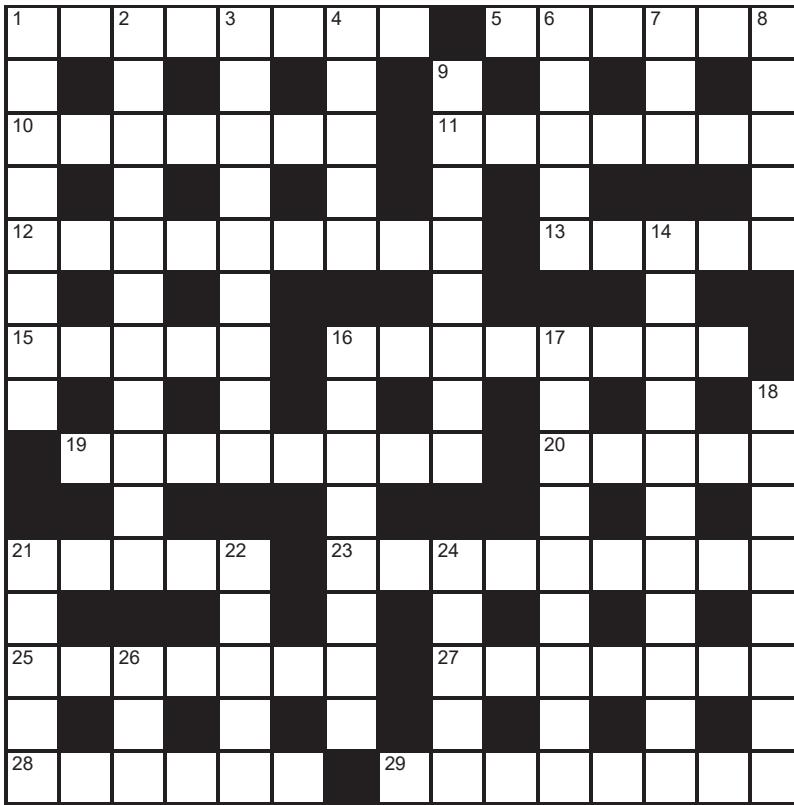
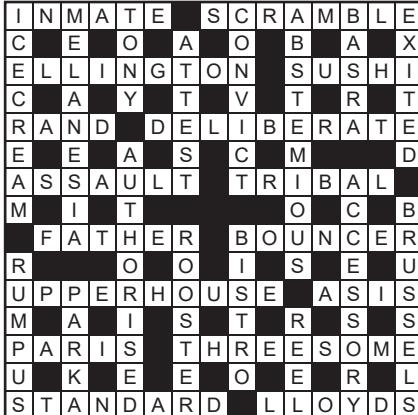


# CROSSWORD No 18,278 by SLORMGORM



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## ACROSS

- 1 Some design posters for a director (8)
- 5 Wild herb wrapped around a slice of veal (6)
- 10 A short tale I start to author in a US port (7)
- 11 One estate surrounding church in the country (7)
- 12 French folk can be pains with airs, unfortunately (9)
- 13 One must punch famous person in Steps (5)
- 15 Transfer contrary young man City snapped up (5)
- 16 Novel Mantel half-completed as a student (8)
- 19 Limp? Do this to maintain erection! (8)
- 20 Having got in angry, wife turned the air blue (5)
- 21 Flower initially left out of window box (5)
- 23 IBM's finally admitted to Reds messing with Deep Blue (9)
- 25 The lady of the house? (7)
- 27 Language used in machine sequencing (7)
- 28 One making bowler hot? Cricketer with no top! (6)
- 29 Do I need to change around son, being unfair? (3-5)

## DOWN

- 1 Panic-stricken stock rush sedate PM orchestrated (8)
- 2 Two things up-against-it code-breakers must do? (3,8)
- 3 Cheese left by you to be eaten by sailor (4,5)
- 4 Indian singer and bad actor appearing in South Africa (5)
- 6 Sections of songs one released for head of EMI (5)
- 7 I've found it's always horribly awful at the front (1-2)
- 8 Old person in ecstasy with hands around vacuous date (5)
- 9 Joint retired soprano rolled with southern jazz fans (8)
- 14 Having gone to pot, one ate loads with nothing on, perhaps (2,1,5,3)
- 16 Wicked pal with no right to get with one's husband (8)
- 17 Sadly, yes, Christ can cause a state of irrationality (9)
- 18 According to Spooner, this man would marry one on the grass (8)
- 21 Mo Farah's first with the Spanish bunch at the rear (5)
- 22 Present that woman gets in outskirts of Trieste (5)
- 24 Nut quietly sitting on English throne (5)
- 26 Offensive French head finally gets the boot (3)

## JOTTER PAD