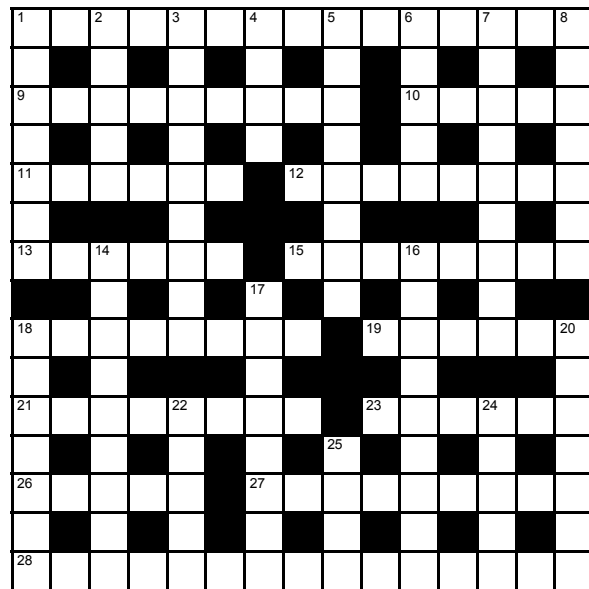


Across

- 1 Meandering Mbashe river gives upset tummy (3,12)
- 9 Press father repeatedly on resistance to a sleep before one (9)
- 10 A black Umgungundlovu originally? Yes, the capital (5)
- 11 L.A. wins tussle with family immigrants (2-4)
- 12 M'am, I object to manuscript on a hot independent book (8)
- 13 Prepares union men (6)
- 15 Wild life bonk to be condemned (8)
- 18 Publicity, say, to new worker with child (8)
- 19 Certainly trendy action (6)
- 21 Left over right, I lead us out (8)
- 23 Stir in retirement as one labyrinth is cut short (6)
- 26 Snare duck in beak (5)
- 27 Make up wonderful - almost rich - tea brew (9)
- 28 A cold expertise reportedly intended to gain recognition (15)



- 22 Famous footballer to end bash (5)
- 24 That's about granny, stupid! (5)
- 25 Turned in a degree (4)

Down

- 1 Crust ending without beginning! (7)
- 2 Throw out old skin, having no time for it (5)
- 3 They row, swear and moon about (9)
- 4 Relax everything in extremes of love (4)
- 5 Incandescent with confusion, the rising holds nothing (5-3)
- 6 Mistake of second-rate circuits (5)
- 7 Ridiculous paella - ugh! - a bleached sandwich (9)
- 8 Oddly, St Joan and doctor approve whip (7)
- 14 Put in too many deliveries to outskirts of Cradock (9)
- 16 Entice saint et al to move (9)
- 17 International body has terrible flaw - regularly dull - which is not right (8)
- 18 Quietly I managed to have half the fish (7)
- 20 Vernacular has ring, with energy caught (7)