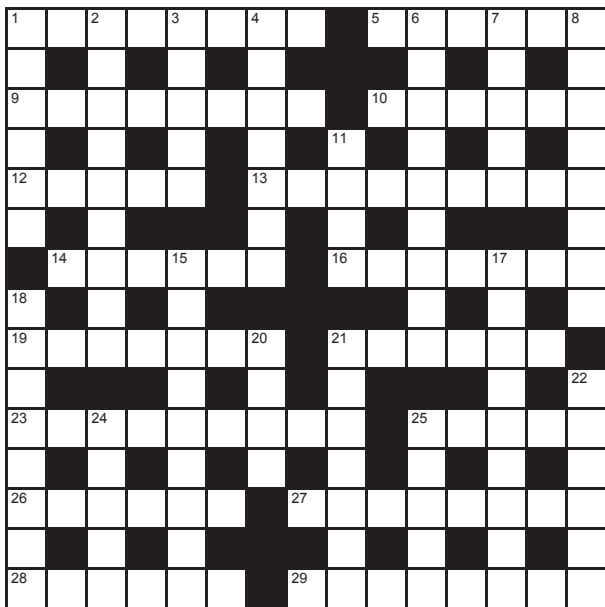


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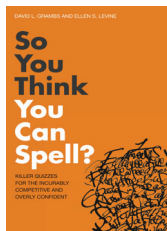
## ACROSS

- 1 Mend a dud mobile with something tacked on (8)
- 5 25 across is a bird (6)
- 9 Writer introducing leading characters in new serial (8)
- 10 3's beloved shrub (6)
- 12 Paperwork representing paperwork? (5)
- 13 Cracking wood in plentiful supply (5,4)
- 14 Prince reported boost . . . (6)
- 16 . . . killer of prince put material back (7)
- 19 Extremely risible guys? They have leading roles (7)
- 21 Make sense of sound (6)
- 23 Marshal can report on the other side (3,6)
- 25 Derrick's bird (5)
- 26 Titan rocket's back eventually (2,4)
- 27 Was a substitute informed? (6,2)
- 28 5's terrier's circular motions (6)
- 29 Fast Greek/Italian vehicle for John Wayne (4,4)



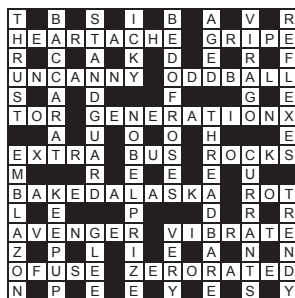
## DOWN

- 1 A tenor cut loose (6)
- 2 Getting off starts to drive everyone mad (9)
- 3 Blue and white flowers for 25 across? (5)
- 4 In text you make your voice heard – it's exhausting (5,2)
- 6 Paintings people put in fitting rooms (9)
- 7 Cheers! Weed in lake (5)
- 8 Unnecessary indicators – first in Seattle (8)
- 11 Take off old prime minister (4)
- 15 Seafood good with sole and tuna in a stew (9)
- 17 Play with couple in cast who ranted (3-6)
- 18 Perhaps flight path for old flier (8)
- 20 Surfeit of eggs at Easter (4)
- 21 Air fare's not first to transport 25 across (7)
- 22 Note about cheese maker (6)
- 24 Glower after one runs round getting cross (5)
- 25 Left in primitive dwelling to give birth (5)

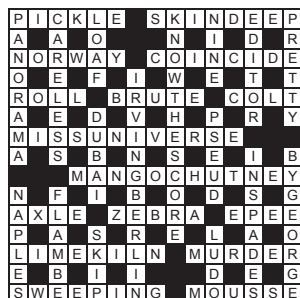


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