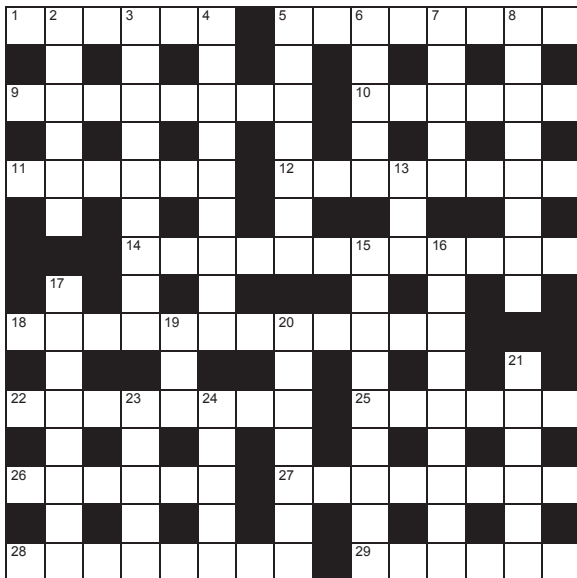


# CROSSWORD

No. 14,229 Set by NEO



**JOTTER PAD**

## ACROSS

- 1 FT compilers sleeping around were cruel to partners! (6)
- 5 An idea if seal be broken (8)
- 9 Queen stops fuels being thrown over Muslim wives (8)
- 10 Bend to receive spank in Thai capital (6)
- 11 Roach cooked by new magistrate in Athens (6)
- 12 Monkey departs tree (8)
- 14 Club bouncer is important in organisation that engages 50 (12)
- 18 Suspect price I probed is work of fiction (6,6)
- 22 Land with everyone going after sentimental stuff (8)
- 25 Prince Henry in Devonian river to send forth wind (6)
- 26 Our planes, on time in south-east, use machine-guns (6)
- 27 Doctor saves nothing on average (8)
- 28 City welcomes politician with role, one speaking firmly (8)
- 29 Said to be spacious, but damp and unhealthy (6)

## DOWN

- 2 Nonsensical writer in Times with tired eyes (6)
- 3 Pigs at the dance seeking meal (9)
- 4 Sketch has detainee in row over Pound (9)
- 5, 17 As this answer will be written throughout? (4,3,2,6)
- 6 An Indian part in playing Casablancon pianist? (5)
- 7 Bury Football Club seen in Milan (5)
- 8 Revolutionary – as 9 is in schedule! (8)
- 13 Left cuts excellent boxer (3)
- 15 Terrible rip in chair? I see what you're saying! (3-6)
- 16 Given help (or not) after breakdown, important point's made (5,4)
- 17 See 5
- 19 Disagreeable woman to frighten as with threats (3)
- 20 Muslim claim is falsely made (7)
- 21 A wall painting put up causes conflict (6)
- 23 Cleverly simple opener from Huddersfield Town (5)
- 24 Books to get on earlier vehicle (5)

**Solution to the Saturday prize puzzle on Saturday February 16**  
**Solution to yesterday's prize puzzle on Monday February 18**  
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