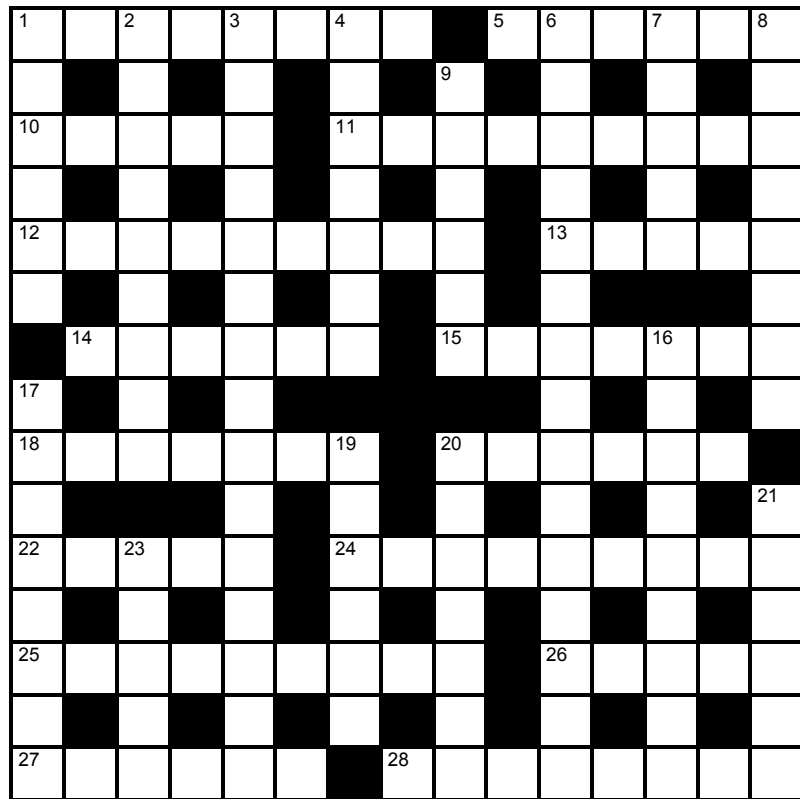


Across

- 1 Set table in a way you can confirm it (8)
- 5 Men's room managers (6)
- 10 Send someone back and forth (5)
- 11 Mines brought in nothing to back a state (9)
- 12 5 @ 99, an African primate I hear made ecumenical council in 1962 (7,2)
- 13 Immigrant's son is eighteen (5)



- 14 Last gasp ends in sacrifices (6)
- 15 Audio-visual short mistaken for stated testimony (7)
- 18 Melanin spread liberally on guard (7)
- 20 Get to the loo fast to check the sponges (6)
- 22 Saw a terrible beverage (5)
- 24 Restaurant owner is surprisingly lucrative (9)

- 25 Oceans mix turbulently according to our neighbors (9)
- 26 Hindi: a language here (5)
- 27 Instruments only for poking around (6)
- 28 Tuna miss flipping around in huge waves (8)

Down

- 1 Have a great time in the Smith River National Recreation Area (6)
- 2 Typing endlessly following security resource (6-3)
- 3 Black car fancier mania (7,8)
- 4 Sorrows for guys who split muscles (7)

- 6 Region volunteer badly desires to become ecological game-changer (5,10)
- 7 Recesses without approvals (5)
- 8 Odd as bride's boobies (8)
- 9 Lupino, for example, one-time New York denizen (6)
- 16 They are mildly stupid (9)
- 17 New model disturbed dowagers (3,5)

- 19 Hot spot in the center of North America to last nine days (6)
- 20 Cuss a lot without a swarm of insects (7)
- 21 The public library answers questions about Nazis (6)
- 23 Tesla cuts corporate costs (5)