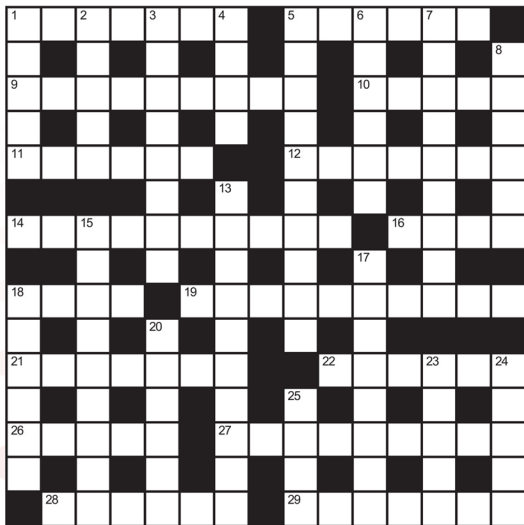


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THE CHANNEL CROSSWORD

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ACROSS

- 1 Two banks and a bed: something you can see right now! (7)
- 5 You love being shaken up (within sober limits) (6)
- 9 A cool tech product you can eat (9)
- 10 Foreman losing right to make a mistake (5)
- 11 An angry 18 ac, like this one (6)
- 12 Small part of plants, a flyer (7)
- 14 Support part of side for game (10)
- 16 Deceiver has change of heart in hideout (4)
- 18 Collude regularly to get a hint (4)
- 19 Surface endlessly varied for underwater adventurers (4,6)
- 21 Exercise caution where the hammer falls (7)
- 22 Plans were made to reveal what you seek (6)
- 26 Deny returning potato, for instance (5)
- 27 "What are you doing now?" - never uttered in a perfect marriage! (9)
- 28 Support for hard-boiled type with brittle exterior (6)
- 29 Snoopy's captured the Silverback Bunch! (7)

DOWN

- 1 Company, care of a hot drink (5)
- 2 The morning before our love affair (5)
- 3 It's glaringly obvious none developed cancer, for example (4,4)
- 4 Lie about what you're using to solve this puzzle (4)
- 5 Model, plus blonde? Enchanted! (10)
- 6 Record and preserve snarl-up (6)
- 7 Cry of the Dalek skin-care specialist? (9)
- 8 Dog's like me? (6)
- 13 Pa's mocking outlandish garment worn by Victorian gents (7,3)
- 15 Hold tight to claim accessory (6,3)
- 17 Greek God of noisy revels caught in rising bubble (8)
- 18 Pursued, I hear - but never caught? (6)
- 20 Critic spilling a type of acid (6)
- 23 False Romeo wearing torn gown (5)
- 24 Blooming rosy! (5)
- 25 Sad 18 ac, like this one (4)

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