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*[NB - The wordplay elements in 23 clues must 10-across before satisfying their definitions. All other clues are normal.]*

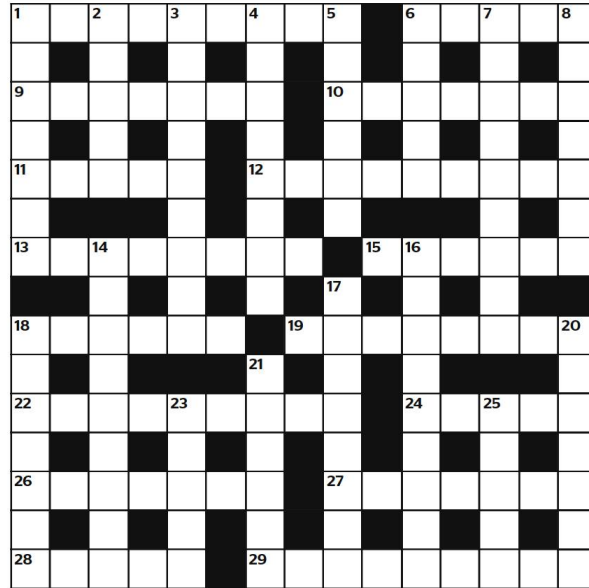
**ACROSS**

- 1 Gold carried using robots? (9)
- 6 Home ground (5)
- 9 They're shaken by bar opening in riot (7)
- 10 Humble arbiter installed wheels to be quiet (4,3)
- 11 Drop off drifter (5)
- 12 Exciting a Christian denomination turn-out (9)
- 13 Concerned with words distorted in sect (8)
- 15 Spend further at intervals, reviewing piano pieces (6)
- 18 Lover drops over, visiting to wear Turkish robe (6)
- 19 Sets aside deviant, way-out starkers (8)
- 22 Audience turn to peep at indigenous campaigner (5,4)
- 24 Salt river in 4-down (5)
- 26 International game, union (7)
- 27 Swell green movement around Hollywood area (7)
- 28 Deep Blue lost badly, forfeiting second of rooks? (5)
- 29 Typical copper yarn (9)

**DOWN**

- 1 Lacquer lapels off some suits (7)
- 2 Extremely tough spirit demands pluck (5)
- 3 Church benefit set up across active part of the Balkans (9)
- 4 Renegade is at an apple patch? (8)
- 5 Twin children showing up African speedster (3-3)
- 6 Swelling foot in shoe ends in disease (5)
- 7 Dancer perhaps lost energy, getting rest (9)
- 8 Old comic tributes (7)
- 14 Alcohol essence blended with dermal soap? (9)
- 16 To cultivate nothing but exotic fruit (9)
- 17 City official from long ago stacks sides (8)
- 18 Record-player's store in Sydney? (7)
- 20 Face-lift maybe to boost lines (7)
- 21 Model curve on runway (6)
- 23 Report consumed rowing crew (5)
- 25 Sharapova cracking up after career ending (5)

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