GENERAL KNOWLEDGE

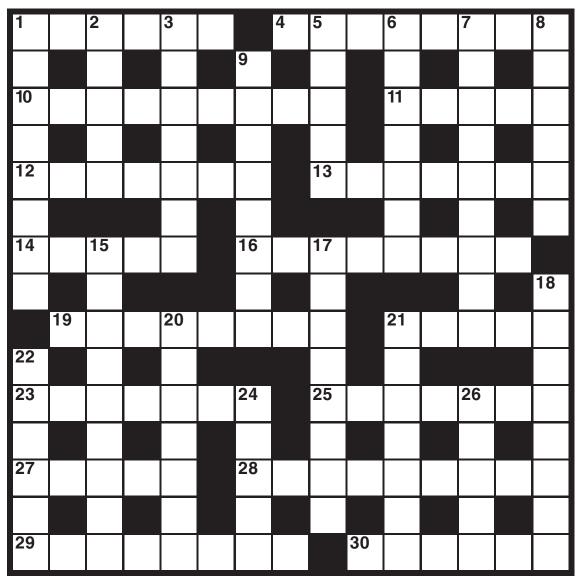
ACROSS

- 1 Older Cubs (6)
- 4 Pouches worn in front of kilts (8)
- **10** Body cavity containing the incus (6,3)
- **11** Oliver Twist villain (5)
- 12 First name of 1930s US president Hoover (7)
- 13 Spicy red Moroccan culinary paste (7)
- 14 Scottish word for small red fruit (5)
- **16** Major wine-producing area in the Gironde river valley (8)
- 19 Ruined castle near Drumnadrochit (8)
- 21 Famous 1836 battle in Texas (5)
- 23 First book of the Old Testament (7)
- 25 Historical region of present-day Netherlands (7)
- 27 Dynamite's inventor (5)
- 28 Barrister (9)
- 29 US state north of Louisiana (8)
- 30 Walter Scott novel about a highland outlaw (3,3)

DOWN

- **1** Seaside plant of the parsley family (8)
- 2 In taxonomy, the rank above family and below class (5)
- 3 Bank cashiers (7)
- **5** Scottish city near Scone Palace (5)
- 6 Rugby's whistle-blower (7)
- 7 Aromatic bitter bark used as a flavouring (9)
- 8 Sailor hero in a story from the Arabian Nights (6)
- 9 Bony segment of the spinal column (8)
- 15 South African antelope (9)
- 17 Toothed wheels (8)
- 18 Ribbed cotton fabric (8)

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- 20 20th Greek letter (7)
- 21 Musical term for 'brisk' (7)
- 22 Country, capital Kampala (6)
- 24 Sung notes of the scale (3-2)
- 26 Essential oil of roses (5)