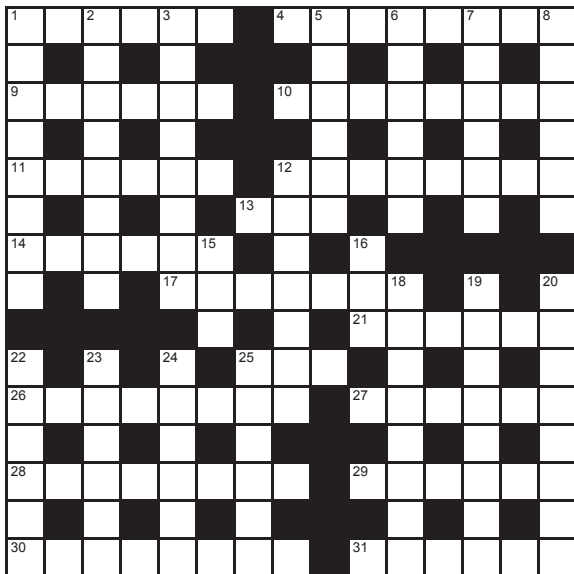


CROSSWORD

No. 15,503 Set by DANTE



JOTTER PAD

ACROSS

- 1 Is back fast without a sound (6)
- 4 Is the boulder brought before this court? (8)
- 9 Plan a camping holiday? (6)
- 10 Second mate at the wheel? (2-6)
- 11 Spectacles used by marksmen (6)
- 12 Immigrants bearing letters for translation (8)
- 13 Shoot an American friend (3)
- 14 Cats in the pound (6)
- 17 Want to be given guidance when provoked (7)
- 21 Worship constantly during religious education (6)
- 25 Port or whisky (3)
- 26 Takes a job over and breaks the monotony (8)
- 27 Being around before daybreak, supply engine part (3,3)
- 28 One convinced of evil involved in drink (8)
- 29 Act in a degrading way (6)
- 30 Coming in last, after me, she gets caught (8)
- 31 A team's verbal digressions (6)

DOWN

- 1 Careless mistakes by brick carrier (8)

- 2 One may put his suit in a case, or vice versa (8)
- 3 One required to complete the score (8)
- 5 Maintained a five-nil lead over United (6)
- 6 Turn around floundering tragedy, lacking drama at first (6)
- 7 Periodical survey of the past (6)
- 8 Monstrous woman makes headway without public relations (6)
- 12 Relaxing periods of warm and bright weather? (7)
- 15 Male or female in various exchanges (3)
- 16 In case she is possessive (3)
- 18 Sound measures (8)
- 19 Present and former US president seen in this city (8)
- 20 Instrument on ship becomes redundant (8)
- 22 Multiple bet of boy soprano (6)
- 23 Look in to criticise a winter sport competition (6)
- 24 Cuts taken from the prose version (6)
- 25 Go back to make further concessions? (6)

Solution to Saturday's prize puzzle on Saturday April 1
Solution to yesterday's prize puzzle on Tuesday April 3
Winners' names will be printed in Weekend FT