CROSSWORD
No. 15,672 Set by DOGBERRY

ACROSS
1 Subtract fast food (8)
5 Celebrated note to tailless rodent (6)
10 Messed about with vessel (1-4)
11 Place of worship by Ganges you rebuilt (9)
12 Putting up with joyous cry of Iberian being hypnotised? (9)
13 Swear unicorn's concealed in ancient script (5)
14 Imagine being fed on fish! (6)
15 Heartless tiger given plenty to stamp on (7)
18 Crimea – a troubled country (7)
20 "Clear off!" (formerly, a boast) (6)
22 Women in medicine look for water (5)
24 Fellow traveller means to summon loch, back inside (9)
25 Equip a boy to fight, interrupting compiler's spread (9)
26 7 securing state of nest (5)
27 Dog swallowing a tablet to enter altered state (6)
28 Meat-carrying lorry losing roof (straight up!) (8)

DOWN
1 Dependable type of shirt suffering from lack of use (6)
2 Learning king's currently on shelf (9)
3Feat 28 ant performed? That's a lie! (11,4)
4 Expert admitting Ben's troubled by non-attendance (7)
6 Therapy for ten-man medley suppressing Teutonic period (5,10)
7 Won a grown-up's heart, for instance? (5)
8 Pictures of skipper's first boats (8)
9 Purpose of camping? (6)
16 Turned grey in fear of encomium (9)
17 Spice showing jester where to see recent pictures mounted (8)
19 Shock secures electronic attraction (6)
20 Harsh wind from the south-east (7)
21 Struggle with gold and wood (6)
23 Best? Quite the contrary (5)

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SLOANE LONE WOLF
AND M ARZO
LOAN SHARK ALONE
EV H L D N M
SLEW HOMECINEMA
M R P A C N
ABALONE FLATLY
NGS B IC
SEPTIC BALONEY
SAY AEGL
COMPLACENT KEPI
O C G L A R N
TELECO ONLYCHILD
C L D NET N
HAYFEVER RANGER

JOTTER PAD