CROSSWORD
No. 15,600 Set by CHALMIE

ACROSS
1 See 16
4 Sat around finally after work suggested (8)
10 Feigns sickness finding fish drug in chocolate bar (9)
11 European cautious about getting tired (5)
12 Existence of metals (4)
13 Weaving silk unseen makes a difference (10)
15 Examines the way university shuts down (7)
16, 1 Dress right to speak about mean poet (6,6)
19 Poetry about new eastern city (6)
21 Clean city out (7)
23 Restrictions left out copies (10)
25 Knowledge finally lost by deceased ruler (4)
27 Capital loans maintain Scottish town (5)
28 Articles about shrew get popular, on the other hand (4,5)
29 Familiar parrot swallows German flag (3,5)
30 Building legal action to restrain Returning Officer (6)

DOWN
1 Lacking branches, trees round British Library start to sway (8)
2 Healthy finance keeps Oscar adequately provided for (4-5)
3 Finally deal with German state? (4)
5 Standing up Irish athlete is more dangerous (7)
6 Pale-coloured mutant deer blow up (6,4)
7 Extra thin (5)
8 Ramsay’s gutted – recipe comes out scarcely sweet (6)
9 Life-forms are aeroplanes, nothing less (6)
14 Party supporter is ingenuous standing up to be sick (6,4)
17 Matador is eccentric broadcaster (5,4)
18 Change round, almost insulting woman (8)
20 Online winner one to get rid of (7)
21 Extended recliner without the third part (6)
22 Fearsome female artist seen in European port (6)
24 Chalmie had been first and did nothing (5)
26 Holiday company’s American decline begins (4)

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