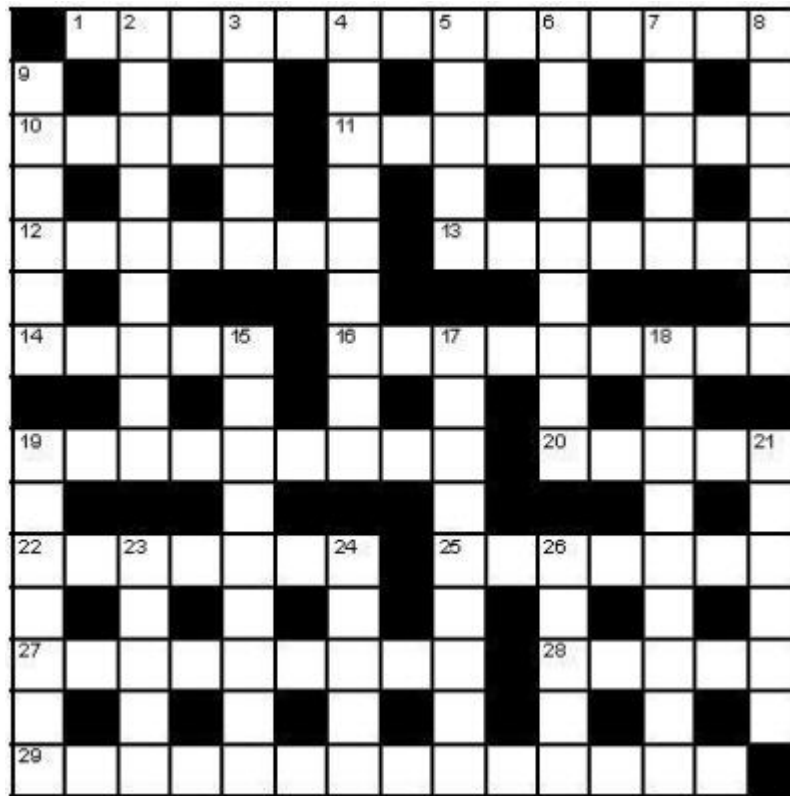


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A Puzzle by Prolixic



Across

- 1 *Confuse* - a dance album to be remastered (14)
 10 Chef typically consumes stout (5)
 11 Fruit display area sailor finds in Spain (9)
 12 Mad French caper (7)
 13 Moving aimlessly a large number get closer to rioting after some blood's spilt (7)
 14 Basic instincts get one to back a fool (5)
 16 The origin of the opium trade? (5,4)
 19 The exact observance of etiquette's strangely unpolitic (9)
 20 Old divine describes a heartless article (5)
 22 Way-out sometimes found at the end of the bar? (7)
 25 Take in East End trial of a stud? (7)
 27 Laughed at poodle man groomed (9)
 28 Looking back some verses omitted Old Testament prophet (5)
 29 Form of dressing we rectors confused with impudence (9,5)

Down

- 2 Increase in turgidity of style (9)
 3 Weep over empty papist's tomb? (5)
 4 Public workers' union comes back to large company over wage cut and start of lay-offs (9)
 5 Philosopher's only child found by river (5)
 6 Such pleasure is pure (9)
 7 Broken bail, one excuse for not being there (5)
 8 Revealed undergraduate's aim is to rise about noon (7)
 9 Look as quiet civilian's decapitated (6)
 15 Part played by Elliot dancing around Queen after end of ballet (5,4)
 17 Confirmed the German for animal food (9)
 18 Such evidence perhaps excited inner vices (9)
 19 Relief for needy indigent policeman? (4,3)
 21 Mull over an abstract (6)
 23 Father squeezes bird inside thigh! (5)
 24 Principle sustained over borders of Egypt (5)
 26 Artist grabs drunken bum for dance (5)