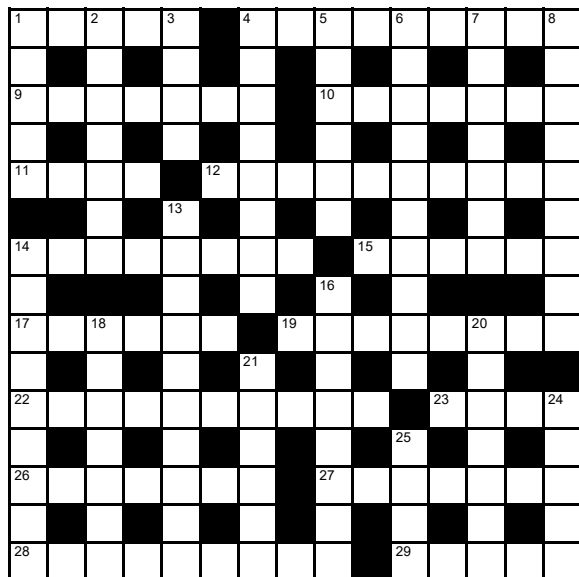


## Mâyâ's Raiders



### Across

- 1/1D** 17 7, a dark-haired forest-dweller, meets bad end (5,5)
- 4** Intensify a mild irritation, say, with great fervour (9)
- 9** Song in which scoundrel gets imprisoned, resulting in idyllic state (7)
- 10** See 23
- 11** Beat something you can beat without end, boy (4)
- 12** Doctors one article in fundamental science (10)
- 14** We own everything around, yes? No (3,5)
- 15** Girl's nail chipped and torn, causing medical condition (6)
- 17** Constant speed's appropriate (6)
- 19** Miserable, heartless war made a deep impression (8)
- 22** Consume pork pie, perhaps, after unexpected event (3,4,3)
- 23/10** Casually mentioned how "enamel" was translated to the Spanish? (4,7)
- 26** Backstreet hairdresser, I'm told - he overheard opening words to a 16 down (3,4)
- 27** "Out, pain, out!" - somewhat unrealistic? (7)
- 28** Tenzing helped Everest party leaders gain a foothold, taking this means to stay dry (3,6)
- 29** Only a small number understand this (5)

### Down

- 1** See 1 Across
- 2** "Accumulation of wealth" has a harsh sound (7)
- 3** Josh Key, a 17 across 7 down? (4)
- 4** Aids to flight exploit with "The Property of a Lady" (8)
- 5** He could come unstitched? (6)
- 6** Difficult school test - "Where may hammers be found?" (10)
- 7** Hook, perhaps, where hat hangs above spot initially rejected (7)
- 8** Another dismal day for servant (5,4)
- 13** Peter's sister is not sent up to bed before the end (10)
- 14** Parcel unwrapped in the course of fitting this could get upset (9)
- 16/21** Silver may be found here, sure, and 'tis real fancy (8,6)
- 18** Rope upon which sailor climbs? (7)
- 20** Commanding direction of vessel (7)
- 21** See 16
- 24** Modern story reveals predecessor of Mach, follower of Max, and the origin of Blofeld (5)
- 25** Bond's utterance is the Wiggles' 17 across 7 down when added to 4 down (4)