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Across

1 Bugle call office junior may be sent to catch (4,4)

5 Heard someone hurrying to the country (6)

10 Races not a sin when properly arranged (7)

11 Shadow, say, back causing offence (7)

12/20 One journalist to declare furniture a crime, terrible for the country (6,6,2,7)

14 After 12, Stephen Fry's solicitor will be here (7)

17 Your succinct lie demolished for part of 12 10 (8,7)

20 See 12

21 Patron saint of skool found vermin back in regurgitated food (7)

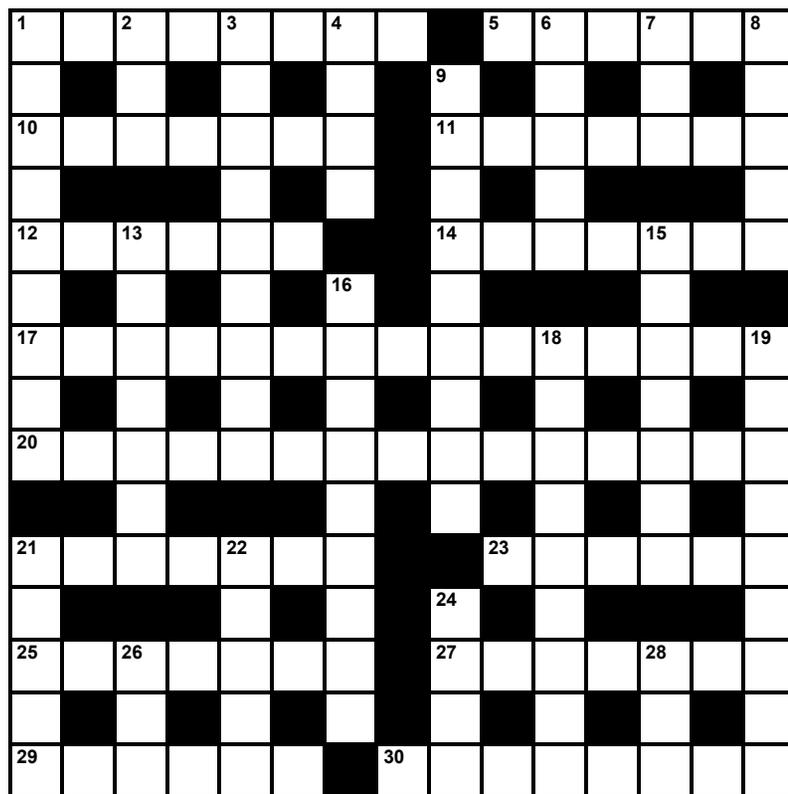
23 Country church headed by devotee holding poor-box centrally (6)

25 Public skating has regular hitches at little house in Cornwall, say (3,4)

27 Tragic hero is back to underworld ring (7)

29 Fleet was bought from a catalogue? (6)

30 Cast a pall over what George Osborne least wants to do! (8)



Down

1 Irritating US soldier insults people very necessary at 12 10 (9)

2 Man leaves rope for collection (3)

3 Turn out right for James Herriot, say, on street in Dijon (5,4)

4 Socialist leader has disorganised band (4)

6 Prohibition after the game's up in town (5)

7/26 West Indian urchin engages in brawl, losing fourth round (3,3)

8 Some wannabe

amateurs get to port or starboard? (5)

9 Fortunate man, Chucky, crashing into city cop's rear end? (5,4)

13 Middle prince's girl is at school (2,5)

15 Policeman on court charge (in a manner of speaking) (7)

16 Nothing strange in small municipality, so guards went off duty (5,4)

18 Dug up when still live (9)

19 Type of property the French nowadays find terrible holes in (9)

21 Country's rising political party receiving welcome (5)

22 Musketeer has to collapse (5)

24 Hit over the head with a mathematical function (4)

26 See 7

28 Mean helping of cauliflower (3)