

Eng v Pakistan - best Test bowling innings by Hemical

Ten bowlers have taken 7 or more wickets in an innings in Eng v Pak Tests; six are English

Across

- 1 Lecturer wearing silly smile is stupider (7)
- 5 With addition of a little butter, Mexican food can be brought under control (7)
- 9 He took 9-56 and 7-96 in 1987 in commercial during TV show at the end of summer (5)
- 10 One who took 8-51 in 1974 our odd new problem (9)
- 11 Bad one comes back breathing (5)
- 12 Expected the last bits of food you ate (3)
- 13 Jack, king and queen hide old card (5)
- 14 Ancient boat drama around a Channel island (5,3)

- 16 He took 7-56 in 1954 fighting with Germany and the French (6)
- 19 Care for one who took 8-107 in 1987 (6)
- 20 Rant senior Tory managed to get in (8)
- 23 Bar beer right for nothing (5)
- 25 Look back down for one who took 7-50 in 1978 (3)
- 26 Terror weapon placed outside city (5)
- 27 One who took 7-52 in 1982, confessing to being smelly, has annoyed national leaders (5,4)

- 28 Player unconscious in 24 hours (3-2)
- 29 "Stripped Bare" - melodrama's working title (7)
- 30 Luxury cars which groundsmen use (7)

Down

- 1 One who took 8-164 in 2000 killed while holding ace and queen (7)
- 2 Songs of crazy ladies from Rhode Island (9)
- 3 Big West Indian good for a game at last (5)
- 4 Sort of bowling and/or rum cocktail (5-3)

- 5 Neater bank I would shortly enter (6)
- 6 Grass just half the contents of very deep trench (9)
- 7 Stop frequent 1950s scorecard entry (5)
- 8 Partly blames Rodney turning back (7)
- 15 Second little number Joyce possibly put sugar on (9)
- 17 It's easy to get round doctor with excellent swimming stroke (3,6)
- 18 Pull up greenery (not grey) for vegetable grower (8)

- 19 Celebratory quintet regularly gets it coming in (7)
- 21 Early Day Motion about drugs gutted one who took 7-66 in 1978 (7)
- 22 One who took 8-34 in 1978 gives half-hearted kick to poor actor (6)
- 24 Less common as fodder are rabbit sandwiches (5)
- 26 One who took 7-55 in 2012 has jomp, oddly, every other ball (5)

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