

# Eng v NZ 2015 *by Hemical*

*Hemical's team of the series*

Across

1 No 11 bowler often used laughable tactics to begin with (5)

4 Fire experts split over first of rules for children's sports events (4,5)

9 Prepared for departure to study unknown African country (5,2,2)

10 No 9 run out in awful circumstances (5)

11 Australian band in cold storage (8)

12 Nothing in bets for a No 6 (6)

14 No 5 ultimately keener to go fast (4)

16 Cats do more mischief in processions (10)

18 After resolution, Hemical is therefore new at No 3 (10)

19 No 1 back in draughty lodgings (4)

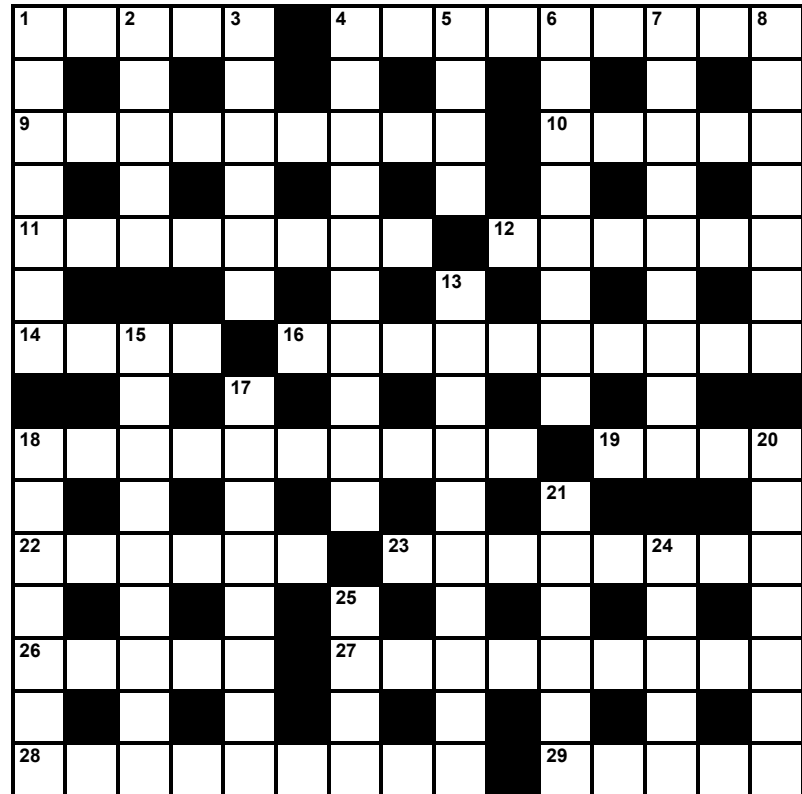
22 Very sad time to reject a smoke (6)

23 Brief stroke takes a quicker route (8)

26 Annoyed Irish king meets journalist (5)

27 Cross brown bird in tree next to English geographical water feature (2-3,4)

28 Fish came down to earth covered in bands of flowers (9)



29 Sense a bit of good in returning this (5)

5 No 2 something underhand to do with books (4)

excellent outer covering is amazing to begin with (3,5)

Down

1 Prohibition covering luxury car - that's an obstacle (7)

6 Cyber-science research organisation initially bowled over by nerve reactions (8)

18 Trawling around, losing registered No 7 (7)  
20 Half-hearted sound of horn at match is the most popular (7)

2 American period of employment (5)

7 Being dishonest, Charlie ripped off empty lorry (9)

21 Recordings containing noise of spectators (6)

3 Royalty nearly worried by No 4 (6)

8 Cruel people's unhappy lives across the street (7)

24 No 8 is car racing regularly (5)

4 Spooner puts away standards - they would almost certainly prevent play (10)

13 Both eat dog's mess and descend into depravity (2,2,3,3)

25 Court dead no 10 (4)

15 Laker into spinning ship (3,6)

17 People carrier with