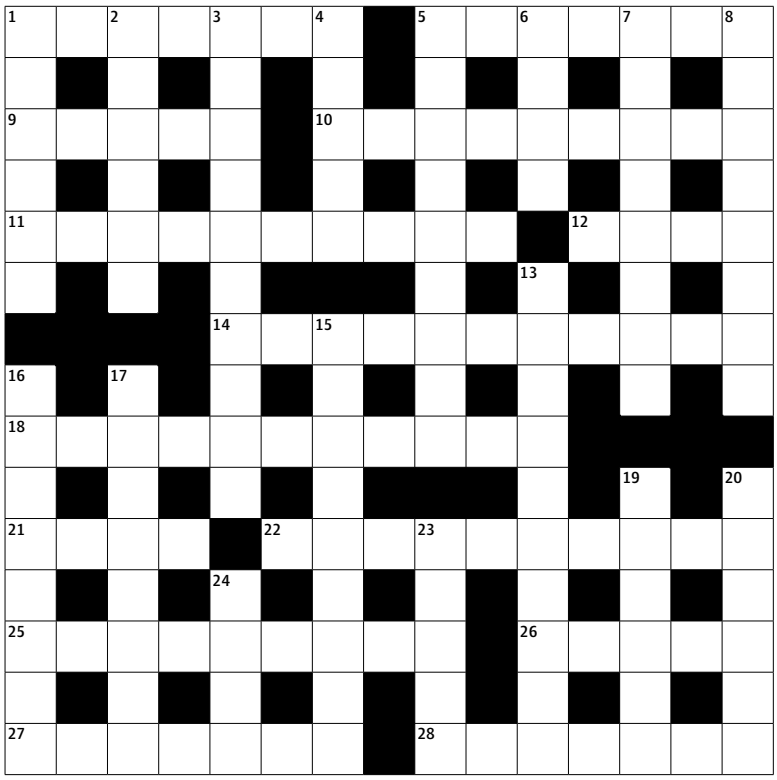
# **Guardian cryptic crossword** No 30,044 set by Brendan



**Across**

**1** Scene of confusion, hearing organ accompanied by piano in piece (4,3)
**5/11** He repeatedly breaks into truck to rent out - don't retaliate (4,3,5,5)
**9** Fabric, only some of which I notice (5)
**10** Basic conclusions of article reveal state of mind (9)
**11** See 5
**12** Speaker's role reversal? (4)
**14** Damage finish installed by inferior furniture designer (11)
**18** Second Coming? It's concerning, church embracing person writing in odd genre (2-9)
**21** Coverage for everyone in small family (4)
**22** A fury I once fomented, impossible to ignore (2-4-4)
**25** Option for better location for spectacles (2,3,4)
**26** Toast former PM (5)
**27** Flat parts below domes in places of worship (7)
**28** Holes in European agreement about permit (7)

**Down**

**1** Consider taking bishop instead of rook in attempt to draw (6)
**2** Stop training or being coached, say, for a match? (6)
**3** Long for pamphlet on education cut (10)
**4** Effective power used by moderate ethically (5)
**5** Article about state of India occurring immediately after that (9)
**6** Part of sail that mariners steer clear of (4)
**7** University closed in case this class has few students (8)
**8** Orbits ... more than once (8)
**13** Wrong to assume it's hard to accept when chess player yields to opponent (10)
**15** Present information, evidence of problems with money originally gifted (9)
**16** Aggrieved, having downed tools for strike (5,3)
**17** A nameless minister demolished, point by point (8)
**19** A character under pressure, temporarily free (6)
**20** Succeeded, caught up in court action? (6)
**23** Love letter specifying location I announced for plant (5)
**24** Screen features as live broadcast (4)

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