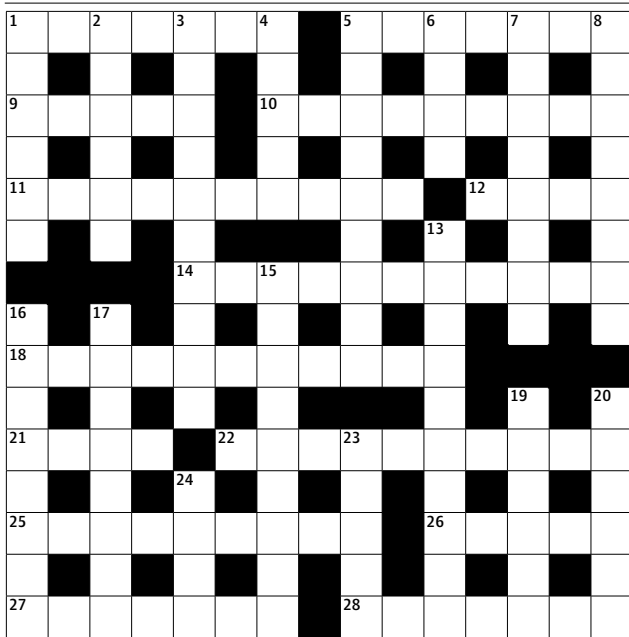


# Guardian cryptic crossword



No 25,525 set by Tramp

## Across

- 1 Setters return, breaking dog's entrance (7)
- 5 One fancies commercial on satellite station – theatrical drama? (7)
- 9 Blocking a good try with right difficulties (5)
- 10 Took back on medical ground (9)
- 11 National treasure and good man – English writer capturing hearts with fine lines (7,3)
- 12 First to post off knickers for soldiers (4)
- 14 Studying 2's epic work without the use of Google, perhaps (11)
- 18 See 20
- 21 See 6
- 22 Crazy Baldrick idea, without the slightest bit of intelligence, repeatedly, on this? (10)
- 25 Nostalgically upset, having lost coal production in a way that's permanent (9)
- 26 One from Middle East terrorist group joining 11 programme (5)
- 27 See 6
- 28 Like Elvis's shock - America cried around centre of Memphis (7)
- 4 Star with northern bird (5)
- 5 Confirm when sure (9)
- 6,21,27 11's book: "Second one breaking open six-pack, perhaps how Sinatra did it, endlessly drunk consuming sauce" (4,2,2,7)
- 7 Unrealistic Abramovich starts to tear into Chelsea? (8)
- 8 Change layout removing first "navy" from flag (8)
- 13 Plans redraft of cat-echisms (10)
- 15 Incidental information in window by door (9)
- 16 About one Birmingham side with rules for residents (5,3)
- 17 Business building bad press around record label (8)
- 19 Imagine Tramp would consume tablet (6)
- 20,18 A nerdier scientist rearranged drawer in house? (6,2,9)
- 23 Turning up to support shy creature (5)
- 24 Power to rogue solicitor (4)

## Down

- 1 It would make Angus flip to take in recipe by first-class cook (6)
- 2 Genius that scored in National having placed outside bet (6)
- 3 Piece of gear to groom canines? (10)

## Solution No. 25,524

