

AFR Cryptic (Saturday 5/9/2020) Solution

¹ T	R	² A	U	³ M	A		⁴ P	⁵ A	S	⁶ P	A	⁷ L	U	⁸ M
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Across	Clue	Explanation
1 TRAUMA	Energy expended by amateur out of condition and suffering (6)	Anagram of AMATEUR minus E
4 PASPALUM	A source of water spotted in reddish-purple grass (8)	(A + SPA) inside PLUM
9 TOURIST	Visitor backed teacher punching solicitor (7)	SIR reversed inside TOUT
11 TOOLBAR	Self-sacrificing footballers organised iconic strip? (7)	Anagram of FOOTBALLERS minus SELF
12 ELECTRIC	The cleric, newly out of hospital, may be charged (8)	Anagram of THE CLERIC minus H
13 SCURRY	Rush last piece of this spicy food (6)	thi(S) + CURRY
16 NITROGLYCERINE	Explosive material's origin recently worked out (14)	Anagram of ORIGIN RECENTLY
19 INDUSTRIALISED	Home detention, originally used limiting court action, is developed (14)	IN + (D)etention + USED outside (TRIAL + IS)
21 SULTRY	Seductive start to song truly rocked (6)	(S)ong + anagram of TRULY
22 DISUNITE	Pass around tanner, keeping it separate (8)	(DIE outside SUN) outside IT
25 ANEMONE	An item not needing it - one showy flower (7)	AN + (ITEM minus IT) + ONE
27 SWINISH	Part of foot bitten by smart piggy (7)	IN inside SWISH
28 ENTIRETY	Being kept outside on the whole (8)	ENTITY outside RE
29 AND HOW	An Arab sailing vessel? Certainly! (3,3)	AN + DHOW

Down	Clue	Explanation
1 TATTER	Torn piece of cloth being employed to make lace (6)	Double Definition
2 AMUSE	Time of day to work and entertain (5)	AM + USE
3 MOISTURISER	Increase in tourism affected preparation to overcome water shortage (11)	RISE inside anagram of TOURISM
5 ASTI	Italian white wine, a sticky, reduced by 50% (4)	A + STI(cky)
6 PRO	Rugby forward greatly experienced (3)	(PRO)p
7 LIBERTINE	Debauched and perverted members of tribe brought into line (9)	Anagram of TRIBE inside LINE
8 MORAY EEL	Swimmer's eye damaged in lesson (5,3)	Anagram of EYE inside MORAL
10 TRIGGERS	Gives rise to last of eight ship workers (8)	eigh(T) + RIGGERS
14 CREDIT UNION	Change of direction probed by UN financial institution (6,5)	Anagram of DIRECTION outside UN
15 DYNAMICS	Variations in the volume of sound I and many recalled in remastered CDs (8)	(I + MANY) reversed inside anagram of CDS
17 INDULGENT	Cool, enlarged heart of adult fellow is tender (9)	IN + a(DUL)t + GENT
18 AIRSPACE	Paris recreated excellent French atmosphere, for example (8)	Anagram of PARIS + ACE
20 NEPHEW	Phone not working in possession of ultramodern relative (6)	PHONE minus ON inside NEW
23 IRISH	Burden of heir is hopelessly illogical (5)	heIR IS Hopelessly
24 SEAT	Exclusive group holding a place in government (4)	SET outside A
26 OAR	Enclosed section of inboard's propeller (3)	inbOARd