

The Stickler Weekly 253 Solution

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Across	Clue	Explanation
1 MANIFESTO	Public declaration staff provided, established nothing (9)	MAN + IF + EST + O
6 FORM	Construction beneficial to millions (4)	FOR + M
10 SAUDI	Middle Easterner's small German car (5)	S + AUDI
11 LIGHT BEER	Pub's offering fair worker water at the back (5,4)	LIGHT + BEE + WATE(R)
12 IRON HAND	Go on following rhino abroad with strict control (4,4)	AND after anagram of RHINO
13 SCENIC	"Weird Science" for the most part is visually impressive (6)	Anagram of (SCIENC)E
15 HEARSE	Vehicle transporting people, usually late, tries heading to expressway (6)	HEARS + (E)XPRESSWAY
16 OSSICLE	Small bone got taken away from excited ecologists (7)	Anagram of ECOLOGISTS minus GOT
18 RAN	Standing down, king moved quickly (3)	RANK minus K
19 BRIOCHE	Zest applied to half of cheese roll (7)	BRIO + (CHE)ESE
21 FLOWER	Fine cow - Daisy, perhaps? (6)	F + LOWER
24 UMPIRE	Leader of union corrupted prime arbitrator (6)	(U)NION + anagram of PRIME
25 ADHERENT	Supporter died here in a part of Australia (8)	(D + HERE) inside (A + NT)
27 TRADESMAN	Terms changed about marketing an individual who is skilled (9)	Anagram of (TERMS outside AD) + AN
28 HOUSE	Store uranium in a flexible tube (5)	U inside HOSE
29 DUET	Song for two outstanding tenors at the front (4)	DUE + (T)ENORS
30 THE ORIENT	Theories diminished by religious writings in some Asian countries (3,6)	(THEORIE)S + NT

Down	Clue	Explanation
1 MASTIC	Part of yacht, one covered primarily with sealant (6)	MAST + I + (C)OVERED
2 NEURONE	A deposit of nineteen € needed for impulsive little thing? (7)	nineteen EURO NEEded
3 FLIGHT RECORDER	Aviation equipment left in freight violated captain's first order (6,8)	L inside anagram of FREIGHT + (C)APTAIN + ORDER
4 SPLINTERED	Lewinsky, originally accommodated by misguided President, is shattered (10)	(L)EWINSKY inside anagram of PRESIDENT
5 ORGY	Some coming back from really gross and wild party (4)	really GROSS reversed
7 OCEANIC	Marine repaired canoe, one found by entrance to cove (7)	Anagram of CANOE + I + (C)OVE
8 MIRACLES	Race not quite finished in long distance events that are amazing (8)	(RAC)E inside MILES
9 STICKS TOGETHER	Pieces of wood got packaged up with three different glues (6,8)	STICKS + (GOT reversed) + anagram of THREE
14 CONFIDENCE	Trust identification carried by swindler and dodgy reseller (10)	ID inside (CON + FENCE)
17 ABDUCTED	Type of blood running through a pipe and carried off (8)	AB + DUCTED
20 IN PLACE	A pencil with an odd shape is working (2,5)	Anagram of A PENCIL
22 EXECUTE	Discharge four expelled from administration (7)	EXECUTIVE minus IV
23 STREET	Road plant cutting through stone (6)	TREE inside ST
26 EMIT	Throw out overturning of prison sentence (4)	TIME reversed

