



**ACROSS**

- 1 Black record covered in protective material (10)
- 6 Carry out demented boy in possession of ecstasy (4)
- 9 Broad area of molecular genetics (5)
- 10 Faithful relative embracing the one heading to court (9)
- 12 Hot current separated by river (8)
- 13 One below scattered feed extremely well? (1,5)
- 15 Teller reduced charge (3)
- 16 Frightening cry can start to generate gunfire (8)
- 19 European capital sent back in mail - breaking record (8)
- 20 Slices of meat inside can (3)
- 23 Really liked a suit a light colour? (6)
- 24 My bizarre quest punctuated by one fascination (8)
- 26 Lay a finger on a coin forged with instrument (9)
- 27 Criticise building's opening and closing (5)
- 28 Looks after issues of axis, say? (4)
- 29 "Live well", restated the king and leader (4-6)

**DOWN**

- 1 Cover up by a conservative Englishman given to procrastination (8)
- 2 Typical fellow punching drunken superhero actor (3,3,3,6)
- 3 Call me about a drug that causes vomiting (6)
- 4 Join vessel admitting an ability to sail (10)
- 5 No. 10 shortened official communication in writing? (4)
- 7 Bowled over, say, fanatics to crush vegetable (9,6)
- 8 Chain breaking nautical brace capsized craft (6)
- 11 Thing, one stored in tent, unsettled youngster initially (6)
- 14 Lovely, organised social game (6-4)
- 17 Revised edition of rule-book not including UK national dance (6)
- 18 Architect replaced iron around outside of opening (8)
- 21 Had a wash at hospital in bed (6)
- 22 Bishop engaged by old firm (6)
- 25 Enjoy story about Facebook's inception? Just the opposite! (4)