



NOTES:

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ACROSS

- 1 As if monetarists interfered with this Italian channel (6,2,7)
- 8 I follow the central point to a source of the Nile, like a local possibly (6)
- 9 Sounds like a bind to reimburse capital in Asia (6)
- 10 Italian country house has an interior scent of Mexican orchids (7)
- 12 Friday's creator of French enemy (5)
- 13 Excellent for American to become more rounded (5)
- 14 Time penalty is given up here without answer (3)
- 16 Strangely smiley about universal paradise (7)
- 17 Very confused Aunt surrounded by gold in these islands (7)
- 18 Exploit American energy (3)
- 20 Libya's revolutionary lost a prophetic woman (5)

- 22 Curtsy not applicable before a Mogul governor (5)
- 24 Nobleman given a medal where a stud should be (7)
- 27 Disentangle a French granny possibly (6)
- 28 Inflated by gushing review by editor (6)
- 29 Any old person could be martyr in haddock explosion (3,4,3,5)

DOWN

- 1 When first of figs and sultanas are stewed it unsettles Californians (3,7,5)
- 2 Spurn polish again maybe (6)
- 3 Somewhere in the region of 17 enveloped in krypton gas (5)
- 4 Hairier pelt trader loses rights but gets some sleep instead (7)
- 5 Former spouse returns a great deal of praise (5)
- 6 To ascribe negatively, I can't speak quietly inside (6)

- 7 Selective breeding makes beastly male spouse randy and removed (6,9)
- 10 French student's up for dropping English and absorbing this Latin conveyance (7)
- 11 Being foolish, like one between eight and ten (7)
- 14 Economic & monetary union? It won't take off. (3)
- 15 Hail Spanish high speed trains (3)
- 19 Oman, for example, without the heartless one's second ingredient (7)
- 21 Skip school then hesitate? That's poppycock! (6)
- 23 This old boy can take a shock! (6)
- 25 Moctezuma, lost nothing Mum, then liberated one of his people (5)
- 26 Border conceals intellectual property of man, for example (5)