

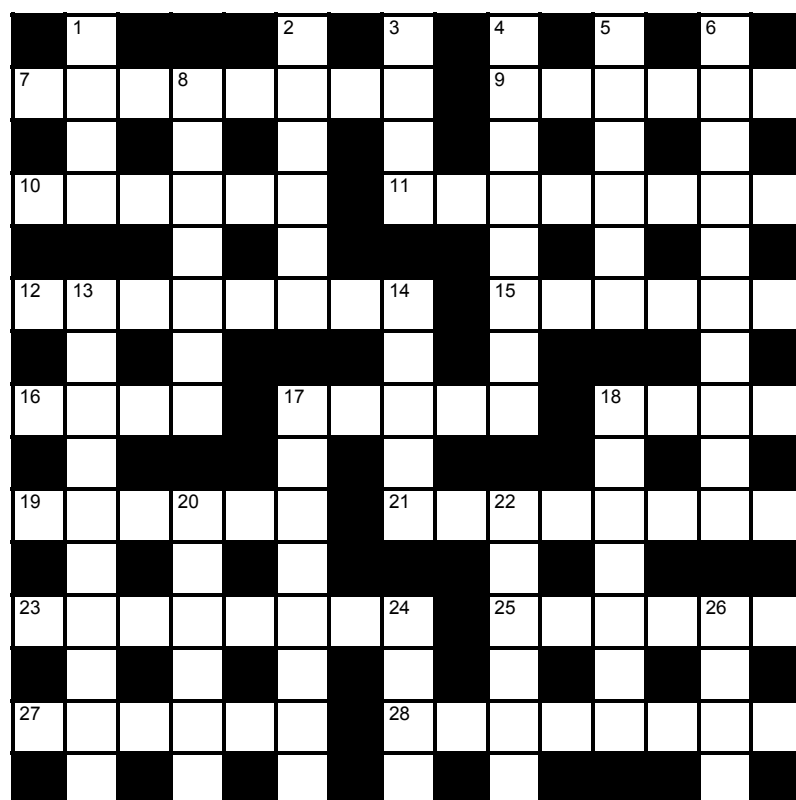
Mail order by Egbert A puzzle for the York S&B, 26th October 2019 (but not linked to the event)

Across

- 7 Introduce and promote energy company with a free meal (8)
- 9 Weeds seen around American lodges (6)
- 10 Guard's about to take a quick look around (6)
- 11 Industrial area hit by decay (4,4)
- 12 Was nervous, tired, suffering with jet lag, half-cut (8)
- 15 Take a bit of coriander with a cabbage - it will counteract halitosis (6)
- 16 Heroic figure in housing company (4)
- 17 Ethical point initially made by word of mouth (5)
- 18 Split personality typically revealed in gents' lavatory (4)
- 19 Smack leading lady in audition (6)
- 21 International players boasted about special fixture (3,5)
- 23 Bookmakers do this to produce overdrawn day-trippers on vacation (4,4)
- 25 Additional duty announced for knights and baronets? (6)
- 27 Hesitates to follow insidious leaflets (6)
- 28 Acolyte's key opens entrances to archbishop's residence, bishop's office and back of vestry (5,3)

Down

- 1 Ponder upcoming European problem (4)
- 2 More closely related to one born with rare disorder (6)
- 3 Big lie, like Johnson's last two to the queen? (4)
- 4 Materialistic, like some jerks (8)
- 5 Short question in international radio communication (6)
- 6 Proper place to make a new assignment (10)
- 8 Recorder's winding mechanism can hold different tapes with no end of storage (7)
- 13 Leading chef's recipe's not fit to eat outside! Extraordinary! (10)
- 14 Ancient Greek theology lessons taken by physician (5)



- 17 Record shows spy chief is caught without up-to-date papers (8)
- 18 Cures developed by US hospital department are safer (7)
- 20 Started to write in reference book (6)
- 22 Foreign capital once visited back in late September (6)
- 24 Scoundrel sets up online banking system (4)
- 26 Street map shows the outskirts around here (1-2-1)

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