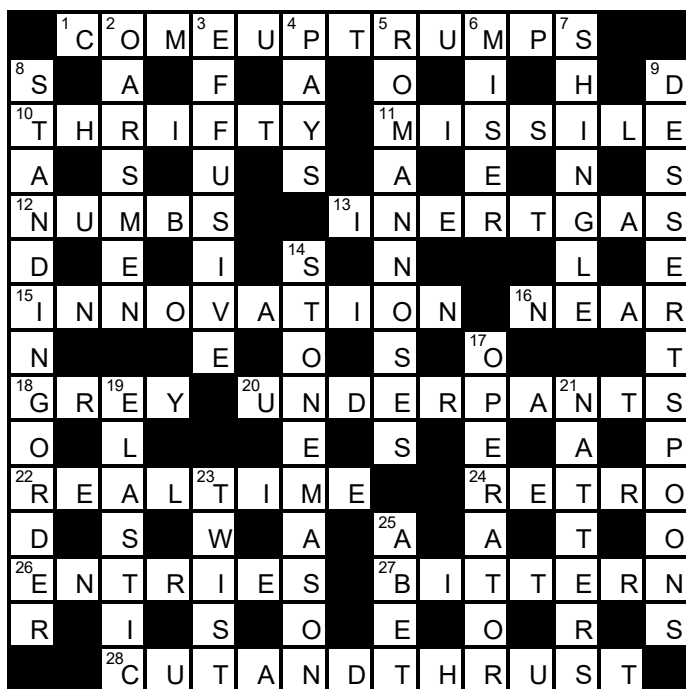


**Across**

- 1 Appear at former President's triumph (4,2,6)
 10 Careful - your old trousers split (7)
 11 Let slip fielder drop every other shot (7)
 12 Students admit capacity to store drugs (5)
 13 He possibly rebuilt gantries (5,3)
 15 Round of applause at the pub for a change? (10)
 16 Similar approach to 10 (4)
 18 Elderly horse (4)
 20 Doesn't breathe enough wearing these? (10)
 22 Madrid team's season is shown live (4,4)
 24 Old-fashioned ale with no head is returned (5)
 26 Records decent Riesling bottles (7)
 27 Heron ate seabird (7)
 28 Swift reaction to fencing manoeuvres (3,3,6)

Down

- 2 Ransome composed The Gondoliers? (7)
 3 Extravagant English leader of Famous Five embraces American (8)
 4 Settles in French countryside (4)
 5 Classical features in book about breathing space (5,5)
 6 Scrooge is entering the sea in Calais (5)
 7 The Stones' awful English (7)
 8 Grandson tried to make regular payment (8,5)
 9 Look tense setting up cutlery (13)
 14 Mother and son support Pip, the builder (10)
 17 A trooper trained to become a surgeon (8)
 19 Accommodating one in ruined castle (7)
 21 Talks in ruins following change of leader (7)
 23 Wind cutting through magnificent wisteria (5)
 25 A chance to show support (4)