



Across

- 1 Where the washing machine etc. are kept in the house — useful place (7, 4)
- 9 Brogue etc., ways to speak (7)
- 10 Roman wine jar is partly camphorated (7)
- 11 Deserve excellence (5)
- 12 Ragged hem: with bells I decorate it (9)
- 13 Fluid evidence of sorrow (4)
- 15 Plant that may make a bovine stumble (7)
- 19 Obtain professional treatment (7)
- 20 Join two pieces: we would, shortly, with a piece of lead inside (4)
- 24 Robber holds in cry of amazement, destructive rat! (9)
- 27 Liberation for earl: see intrigue (7)
- 28 Retribution from the daughter of Night (7)
- 29 Art of sewing is a felt need, oddly, around Costa Rica (11)

- 4 Time to reserve an almanac (8)
- 5 Apply wax again (8)
- 6 Native inhabitant that is a boring eccentric (9)
- 7 Fine rice: bachelor's master gets back (7)
- 8 Wash a nocturnal mammal, male (5)
- 14 Hormone — stress gets it flowing (9)
- 16 Get going the first part of drama: "Victory at Eaglehead" (8)
- 17 Living in trees, strange boar, true (8)
- 18 Make a speech where you live (7)
- 21 Terminate before time (5)
- 22 Minority group member in America lisps, yes: nice? Not quite (6)
- 23 Halim's travelling to a hill station (6)
- 26 Call on girl to pose (5)

Down

- 1 Cruel treatment is a corrupting influence (5)
- 2 Set fire to brown coal, removing top (6)
- 3 Problem in pet's foot part (6)

Solution to puzzle 7599

