

**Across**

- 1 Possibly left with lawyers for a conference in court (7)
- 5 Unwelcome tidings from a troublesome person (3,4)
- 9 How one may feel on supreme elevation? (2,3,2,3,5)
- 10 Thirst-quenching garment (1-5)
- 11 A declaration to avoid capturing soldiers (8)
- 13 Complaint that can ruin site development (8)
- 15 Worn out cutting tool returned by boy (6)
- 18 University teacher gets notes in back (6)
- 19 Perfidy of arty Bela exposed (8)
- 22 An agent for removing colour – herbal, EC product (8)
- 24 Goodbyes to the French about to expire (6)
- 27 Leo, or perhaps Scorpio (4,2,3,6)
- 28 It gives support in fireplace as well as press (7)
- 29 Before sun rise, editor eats seafood? Quite the opposite (7)

**Down**

- 1 Cut down hornets in flight (7)
- 2 Abandon daughter with irritation (5)
- 3 Divided into two portions is a bear pit, it differs (9)
- 4 Floating platform for British fliers, first in training (4)
- 5 Conduct oneself – properly or otherwise (6)
- 6 Scottish chemist – product of French conflict (5)
- 7 Ahead of time, surrounding bird's home in all seriousness (9)
- 8 Dignified daughter is made calm and quiet (7)
- 12, 17 Grown up boy who shows the passage of time? (3,3)
- 14 Nude vegan dancing, without having had to pay back (9)
- 16 Where high fliers may take off (9)

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- 18 Kind of coffee, strong, with a hint of aroma (7)
- 20 Vocabulary of a learner, once a revered figure (7)
- 21 Paper money put up to accommodate unknown church official (6)
- 23 Group of singers in church or going around one (5)
- 25 She learnt how to speak from Henry Higgins (5)
- 26 Seaweeds for which old king went on record (4)

**Solution to Puzzle 9393**

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