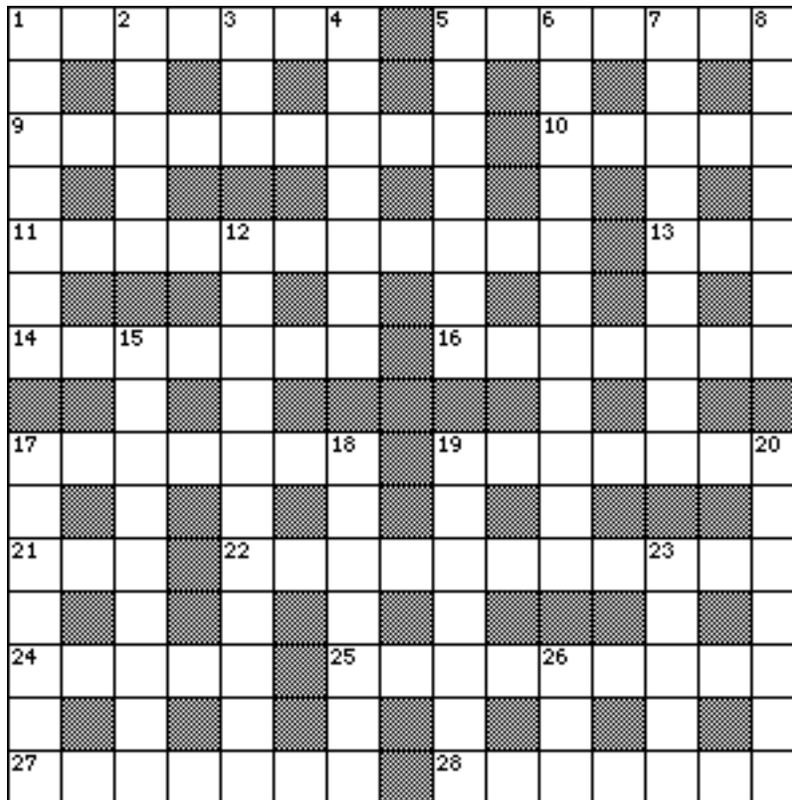


Cryptic Crossword #3 - Arsinoë



Across

1. Indulged fun editor (7)
5. Defer mental exercise until juices transform (7)
9. Ship from Portugal (9)
10. Work out answer to convict's question "How long are ya..." (5)
11. Racketeers' necessities given to Henry V (6,5)
13. Detailed fragment of a Greek letter (3)
14. Sounds as if you've been smooched by a Tournament of Roses participant? (7)
16. Ultimate conclusion of traveller's folly (4,3)
17. Winless colts and young women (7)
19. Melted and waned, taking what's left (7)
21. Container ship (3)
22. Within agreements, the princess tells a different story (11)
24. Comedian's tree (5)
25. Disciples gave notice to the girl's Tolkienesque guardians (9)
27. Bums who shy away from the roads (7)
28. Threatens the pilot in his bathroom (7)

Down

1. Reduced by a pound, greetings ennervate subservient status (7)
2. I object to the issue indicated by that unstable particle (5)
3. Turn around halfway and go off (3)
4. Time's up! Sportsman's tool denoted by asterisk (7)
5. Swung wildly as financial boundaries weakened (7)
6. Reloaded and directed horse to its interior dwelling (11)
7. In effect I try to not be wasteful (9)
8. Lingered to see one in a pre-feathered state (7)
12. At the scene I cried seeing the colorful glow (11)
15. Adjective describing the fiftieth--or the twelfth--state? (9)
17. Drove back from the Embarcadero to mid-town (7)
18. Footwear manufactured from dirt, aluminum and sulfur (7)
19. Patriarch evoked by part of a spell placed on William Shatner? (7)
20. Ceases and notes her sibling's lack of hesitation (7)
23. Two men briefly made him a critic (5)
26. The sun god kept his bearing and managed (3)