Loplop Cryptic #015 [15x]

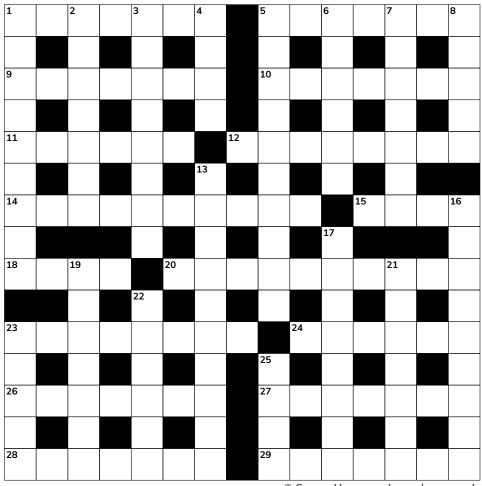
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ACROSS

- 1 Pick up and wander after little rapscallion (7)
- **5** Legendary hero of these United States (7)
- 9 North Carolinian leatherworking? (3,4)
- **10** Gushed very loudly (hardly new!) after the finale (7)
- **11** Around 59, senior regularly gets medicinal brew (6)
- 12 Picking up pace is wise for our time? (5,3)
- **14** Sculpt nose as much as you need nothing fancy (2-8)
- **15** Bachelor sending back fine sirloin, say (4)
- 18 Dairy product from that guy in Wyoming (4)
- 20 Carp vendor in discussions for a climate controlled room (4,6)
- 23 Quick-tempered person to drop some bars (8)
- **24** Dumpling flipped sometime later (6)
- 26 Medium chunk of limpsy chicken (7)
- **27** Not working and making bread? (7)
- 28 Streetcar's last two paths head back from depot (7)
- 29 Warm peat being dug into by that woman in retirement (7)

DOWN

- 1 Aware immediately following kitchen disaster cutting slice of chorizo (2,3,4)
- 2 Part of Spooner's seaside wordplay (7)



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- 3 Love a place for sex that is naughtiest on vacation with submissive (8)
- **4** Fishes' endless slumber, upside down (4)
- 5 Offended, worried, losing head... needing to slide in hot tub (10)
- 6 Curse euphemistically at beginners for English cricket team's result (6)
- **7** Bolted the wrong way, into sensei's extremely deficient trap (7)
- 8 Slide obliquely! (5)
- 13 Volatile coal price overwhelms leader of representatives on both sides (10)

- **16** Torn asunder in battle for almost half a month (9)
- 17 Article featured in worldly French newspaper is something to make a stand for? (8)
- **19** After an expression of hesitation, in agreement with furious women? (7)
- 21 Top story interrupted the middle of bulletin from network (7)
- 22 Originally, George Ho bored a groupie with knitting project (6)
- 23 Cuttlefish ink (a couple of pigments) found in ocean (5)
- 25 Buddies heading upstairs for bash (4)