

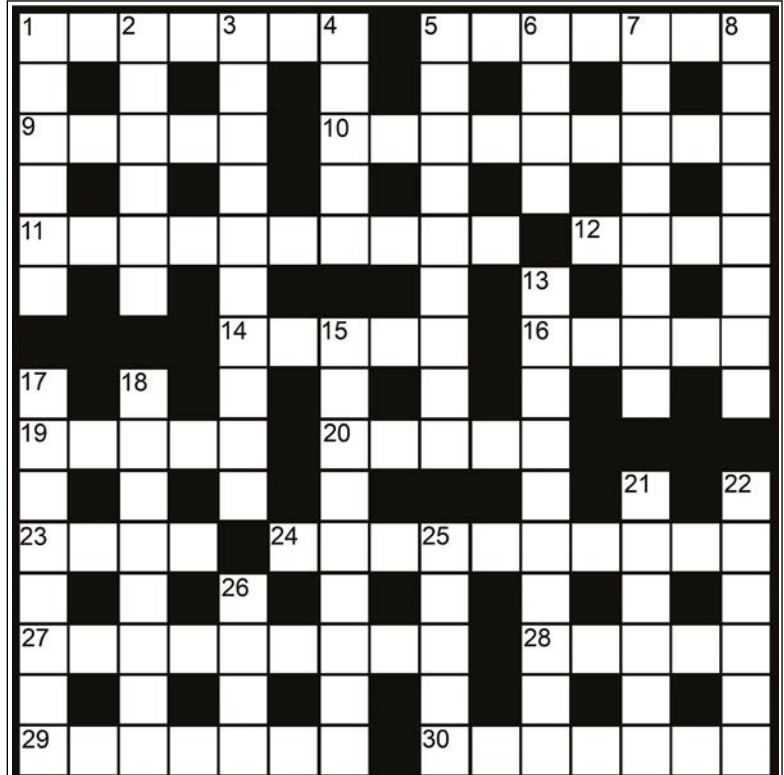
November 2023: General Knowledge Crossword No 213

ACROSS

- 1 Musical from 1960 set in court of King Arthur (7)
- 5 See 1 Down (3,4)
- 9 Radioactive gas released by granite (5)
- 10 The 'White Rose County' in England (9)
- 11 Popular name for a dachshund (7,3)
- 12 Old name for Pentecost Sunday (4)
- 14 The early rounds of a sports competition leading to the final (5)
- 16 To give a benediction to something or someone (5)
- 19 Ringo _____ drummer of *The Beatles* (5)
- 20 English racecourse which hosts the Derby (5)
- 23 The Spanish word for 'nothing' (4)
- 24 Describes natives of Cagliari and Alghero, for example (10)
- 27 The eventual companion of Robinson Crusoe (3,6)
- 28 Popular side dish at an Indian meal – a vegetable fritter (5)
- 29 Yellow chemical element, symbol S, known as brimstone (7)
- 30 Highest mountain above sea level, on the China-Nepal border (7)

DOWN

- 1 & 5 Across: Solemnity marking end of Church's year, November 26th this year (6,3,4)
- 2 Between small and large (6)
- 3 The 'Red Rose County' in England (10)
- 4 '*Parsley, sage, rosemary and _____*' (5)
- 5 Traditionally very slow land reptiles with a large domed shell and scaly limbs (9)
- 6 Name for both Scots and Irish Gaelic languages (4)
- 7 Stretch of water between, say, Holyhead and Dun Laoghaire (5,3)
- 8 '*I am the _____*' (Mohammed Ali, 1963 and often!) (8)
- 13 Describes a Himalayan 'snowman', also known as a yeti (10)
- 15 Macedonian King in 4th Century BC, known as 'The Great' (9)
- 17 Huge destructive waves, which can follow an undersea earthquake (8)
- 18 Senior Catholic clergyman, who may elect a pope (8)
- 21 The capital city of Zimbabwe (6)
- 22 Universally popular casual upper garment (1-5)
- 25 Roddy _____, successful Irish author who wrote *The Commitments* (5)
- 26 Part of your foot, between your toes and your heel (4)



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SOLUTION: ACROSS – 6 Farsi, 7 Lamb chop, 10 Titanic, 11 Shampoo, 12 Mermaid, 13 Paisley, 14 Afghanistan, 19 English, 21 Insipid, 23 Brendan, 25 Needles, 26 Hear Hear, 27 Acorn

DOWN – 1 Pretoria, 2 Vienna, 3 Black Death, 4 Amos, 5 Gospel, 6 Fatima, 8 Chariot, 9 Tokyo, 13 Philip Neri, 15 Guildler, 16 Napoleon, 17 Derby, 18 Edison, 20 Gee-gee, 22 Seesaw, 24 Neep

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