

# The Stickler Weekly 151 Solution

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<sup>25</sup> T		W		R		R		P		R		N		I
<sup>26</sup> A	V	O	C	A	D	O		<sup>27</sup> S	T	A	D	I	U	M
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<sup>28</sup> G	O	T	R	E	A	D	Y		<sup>29</sup> U	N	F	A	I	R

Across	Clue	Explanation
1 COWPAT	Deposit of stock, word processor recorded in a peripheral application (6)	WP inside COAT
4 PLATYPUS	Australian swimmer's sign of infection appearing after time in action (8)	PUS after (T inside PLAY)
9 ELISION	Lie is unravelled about omission (7)	Anagram of LIE IS + ON
11 THEOREM	The valuable rock associated with miner's initial proposition (7)	THE + ORE + (M)INER
12 INGROWN TOENAIL	Cool regional town corrected pressing problem (7,7)	IN + anagram of REGIONAL TOWN
14 ACETIC	Sour one with quirky behaviour (6)	ACE + TIC
15 LABELLUM	Identify large piece of lump and lobe (8)	LABEL + (LUM)P
18 LOBBYIST	Court action is tense following through with person of influence (8)	LOB + (IS + T after BY)
20 BENGAL	Indian material being manufactured without iodine and aluminium (6)	BEING minus I + AL
23 FOR THE MOST PART	Generally those people pastor converted in secure building (3,3,4,4)	(THEM + anagram of PASTOR) inside FORT
26 AVOCADO	Fruit and eggs brought back cold before a function (7)	OVA reversed C + A + DO
27 STADIUM	Small amount one invested in problem sporting complex (7)	(TAD + I) inside SUM
28 GOT READY	Prepared to leave march before end of ceremony (3,5)	GO + TREAD + CEREMON(Y)
29 UNFAIR	Amusement park, after opening, is marked by deceptive dishonest practices (6)	F(UNFAIR)

<b>Down</b>	<b>Clue</b>	<b>Explanation</b>
1 CREDITABLE	Right to make corrections in TV service is deserving (10)	(R + EDIT) inside CABLE
2 WRIGGLE	Doctor reset leg after finishing with fellow's twist (7)	(RIG + anagram of LEG) after FELLO(W)
3 ANIMOSITY	Strong dislike, in my opinion, shown by model in a big US city (9)	(IMO + SIT) inside (A + NY)
5 LITTORAL	Long trail to battered strip of coastal land (8)	L + anagram of TRAIL TO
6 TIE-IN	Connection that is plated with metal (3-2)	TIN outside IE
7 PARTIAL	Incomplete creative work, one found in pocket of friend (7)	(ART = I) inside PAL
8 SOME	An unspecified number and amount used in conversation (4)	Sounds like SUM
10 NINE	Number derived from a division of ten in expression (4)	teN IN Expression
13 SMALL-TIMER	Senior outside shopping centre raised issue with petty operator (5-5)	SR outside [MALL + (EMIT reversed)]
16 EYESTRAIN	Viewer's problem is definitely admitted by England's head coach (9)	YES inside [(E)NGLAND + TRAIN]
17 ASTEROID	A drug used to build up a heavenly body (8)	A + STEROID
19 BLOW-OUT	Lavish entertainment not reaching a high level in engagement (4-3)	LOW inside BOUT
21 GRANITA	Family member getting on with it - a dessert from Italy (7)	GRAN + IT + A
22 BOPS	Dances to pop music hits (4)	Double Definition
24 TRADE	Part of contra deal? (5)	Hidden &lit
25 TANG	Climbing insect's bite (4)	GNAT reversed

