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**ACROSS**

- 1 Great term unfortunately finishes: Open University is closed (10)
- 6 What's left when objections are rejected (4)
- 9 Convict with title reflected and smuggled goods (10)
- 10 Eager to take enthusiastic part (4)
- 12 Hats from expensive stores, we hear? (12)
- 15 Store abroad in better condition (9)
- 17 Windproof jacket each year covers chest (5)
- 18 Stand-up business and what one may have in hand (5)
- 19 Some bibles are of the highest quality (4-5)
- 20 Biscuit is what's best; something exceptionally good (5,7)
- 24 One black island wader (4)
- 25 Wound up or wiped out (10)
- 26 Goon is trained in vain (2,2)
- 27 Unusual items - yours may be incomprehensible (10)

**DOWN**

- 1 Course for sailors? (4)
- 2 Heater in saucer of alcohol and in France sodium (4)
- 3 Pay for a dinner cooked in green menu (only 50%) (6,6)
- 4 Bread can be packed for hamper (5)
- 5 Affected Unionist and Northern opponent go over range (9)
- 7 Nobles say are rising under prince imprisoned by you once (3,7)
- 8 Group pays for stages in parks (10)
- 11 Lord Peter solved cases - Last and Present Monarch and Jacobites' Hope (3,9)

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- 13 Commanding officer and corporal maybe poured tonic for mixed drink (10)
- 14 This involved man's time with GR (10)
- 16 Flower I get cut and I'll try somehow to get over that (5,4)
- 21 In bed you are heard where hearing is possible (5)
- 22 Essential oil from hot tomatoes (4)
- 23 Poems Scottish Office Education Department edited (4)