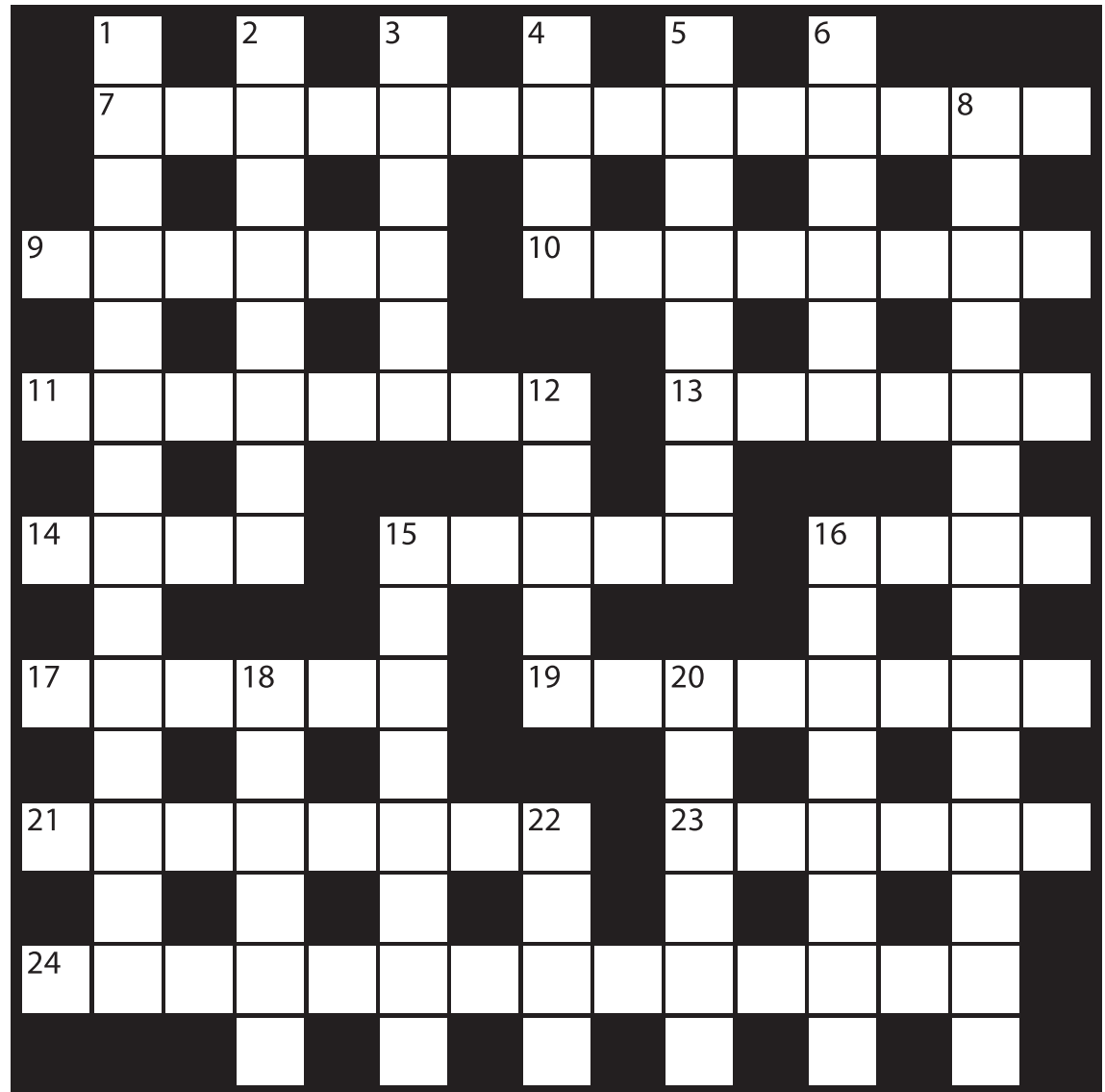


ACROSS

- 7 Training for post that could make prince happiest (14)
- 9 Good area for farm (6)
- 10 Having coins to carry around regularly is good sense (8)
- 11 Ways to escape east before headless female monsters (8)
- 13 Covering article in crib (6)
- 14 Broadcast commercials for supplements (4)
- 15 Marry Queen's relative (5)
- 16 Group prepare for holiday (4)
- 17 Bit of syrup on chorister's garment (6)
- 19 Scrounger ate pair's bananas (8)
- 21 Covered outhouse keeps in warmth (8)
- 23 Thumps from jobs on cashier's head (6)
- 24 Nick cleric's cash or PIN after ransacking flat (6,8)

DOWN

- 1 Generous benefactor arranged it — do of Harry and Meg (5,9)
- 2 Cross with lies about dogs (8)
- 3 Wagers about monarch's headwear (6)
- 4 Large amounts of money raised for station (4)
- 5 Reconnaissance vehicle out and about with sign of damage on the exterior (5,3)
- 6 Initially amateur spotted seabird by the tail (6)
- 8 Crippling pain getting tangled up with giant cacti (14)



- 12 Sweet puppy oddly trapped (3,2)
- 15 Birds with hormones all over the place (8)
- 16 Tense before test about rural life (8)
- 18 Elegant girl in city, content to move out (6)
- 20 Directions, on big book, to the north (6)
- 22 Writer's finishing bits of weird novella and trash novel (4)