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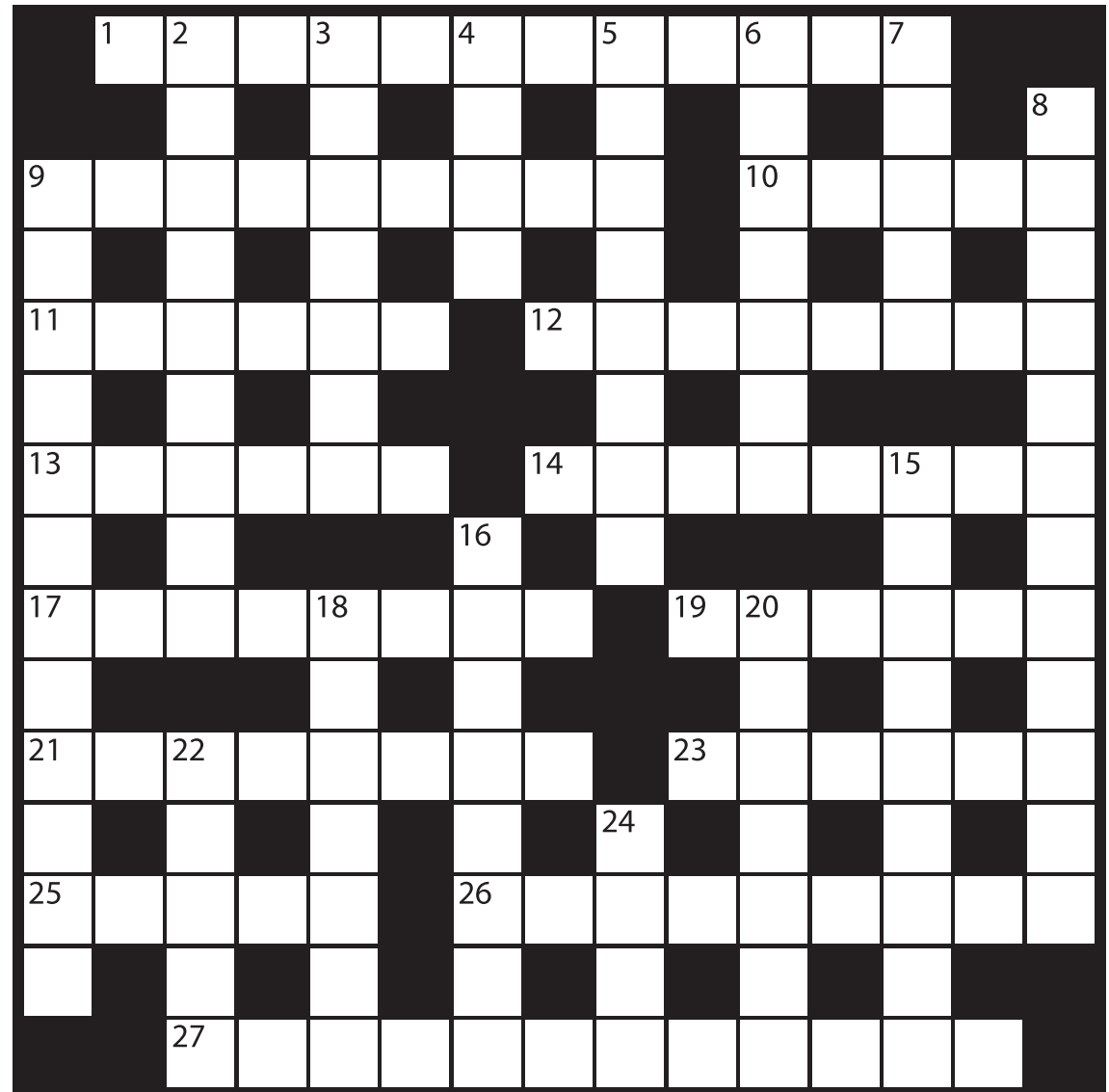
- 1 Disapproval about badly done motorway by country (12)
- 9 Friend holding hard to annoy arboreal creature (9)
- 10 Day with agitator disheartened religious man (5)
- 11 Travelled with daughter after vehicle finally broke down (6)
- 12 A river in capital city, Scots city (8)
- 13 Drug one ingested after work (6)
- 14 Moving hand over tong, risk wound (8)
- 17 Popular individual, not at the periphery, is brazen (8)
- 19 Idol's playing English woman of Arthurian tale (6)
- 21 Involved in brief board game with day inside... (8)
- 23 ...on table, games boxes (6)
- 25 Nymph and a wizard occasionally seen (5)
- 26 After pet's gone astray, remnant of love for some time (9)
- 27 What to seize, intoxicated from deadly gas (12)

DOWN

- 2 Speeches from baron endlessly upset Conservatives (9)
- 3 Some Hindi Alec tried, speaking in locality (7)
- 4 A precious stone turned up that's huge (4)
- 5 A black bird clipped flying creatures — they do somersaults (8)
- 6 Blaze in plant close to studio (7)
- 7 Unworldly resident leaving capital of Thailand (5)
- 8 Wrongdoer is second caught by rangers, sort running amok (12)
- 9 Forewarnings from page on proposals covering Northern Ireland (12)

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- 15 Is evil to be blocked by priest somewhere in Asia? (9)
- 16 Dunes are disintegrating in water (8)
- 18 Interior of flat below is clean (7)
- 20 Cry from husband caught up under mass of rocks (7)
- 22 Cook tackling Ian's starter and main (5)
- 24 With aluminium scratched, a part of bike is affected (4)