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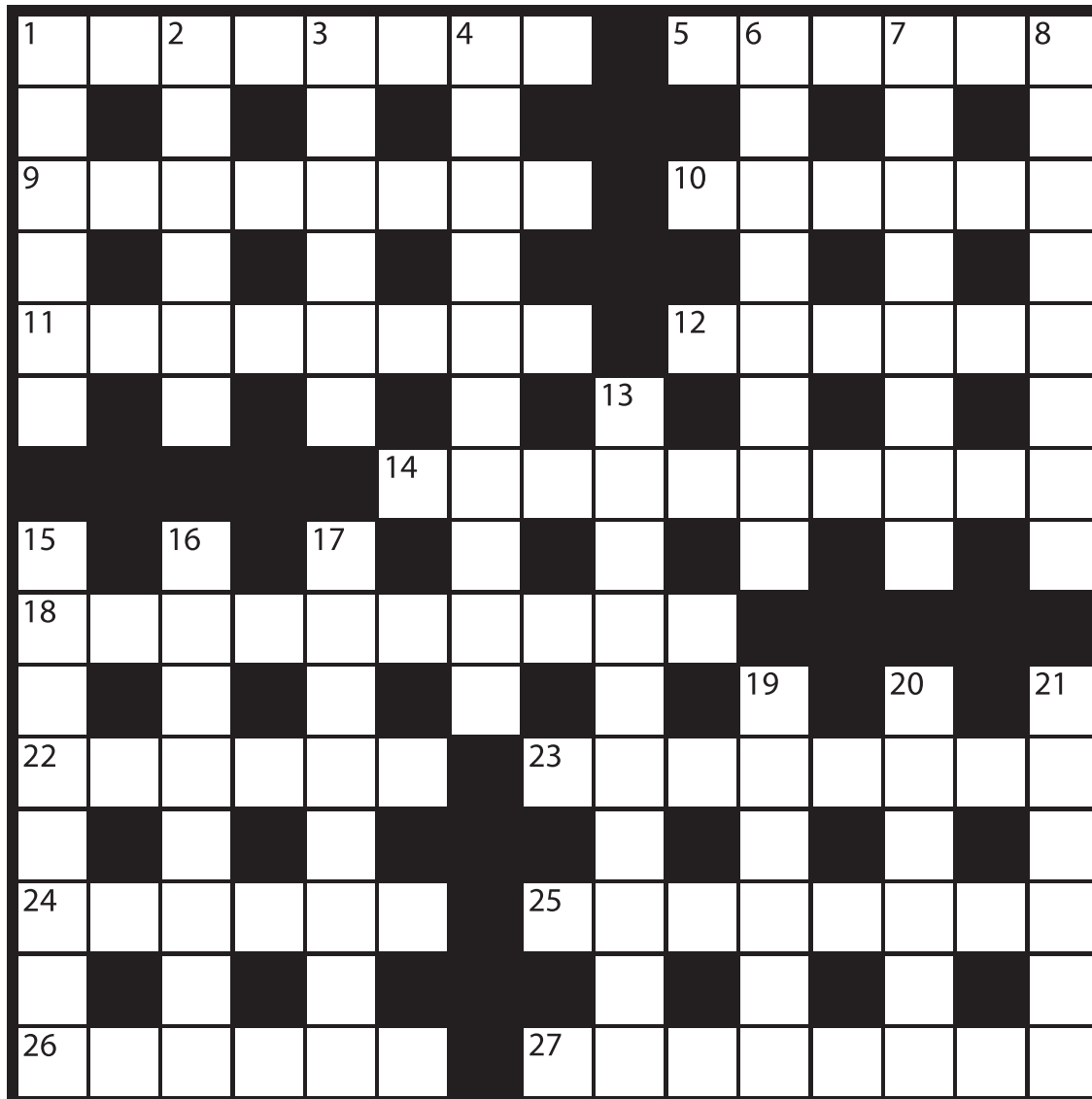
- 1 Steal change found around old place (8)
 5 Pound of meat male put before the Queen (6)
 9 Man with brief to abridge written works (8)
 10 Get on and frantically plan (6)
 11 Paintings wet ? slippery stuff (3,5)
 12 Fine line with relative to show off (6)
 14 Deviant stupid Alec copies (10)
 18 Where one analyses article probing Labour or Conservative (10)
 22 Characteristics displayed by German nerd (6)
 23 In conclusion, rate fall is bizarre (5,3)
 24 Very happy story is backed by editor (6)
 25 Little to stop beauty's decline (8)
 26 Smooth judge accepts money (6)
 27 Dumb rogue ranting about nothing (8)

DOWN

- 1 Group on golden field (6)
 2 Prophet with nothing clear to broadcast (6)
 3 Recently allowed revolutionary to enter place (6)
 4 New Focus and retro cars might be on these (10)
 6 Plant having sweet aftertaste, primarily (8)
 7 Searches outhouses around November, south of island (8)
 8 Duties regularly assumed by cook for trial (4,4)
 13 Explaining firing clay that's moulded (10)
 15 Wood aboard ship is at rest (8)
 16 Hefty sample of Chelsea bun Dan tastes (8)

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- 17 Alternative referee not totally popular giving no restrictions (4,4)
 19 Nation of millions with team in green (6)
 20 Barge overturned in a dock (6)
 21 Outdated books, including Dahl novel (3-3)