

**ACROSS**

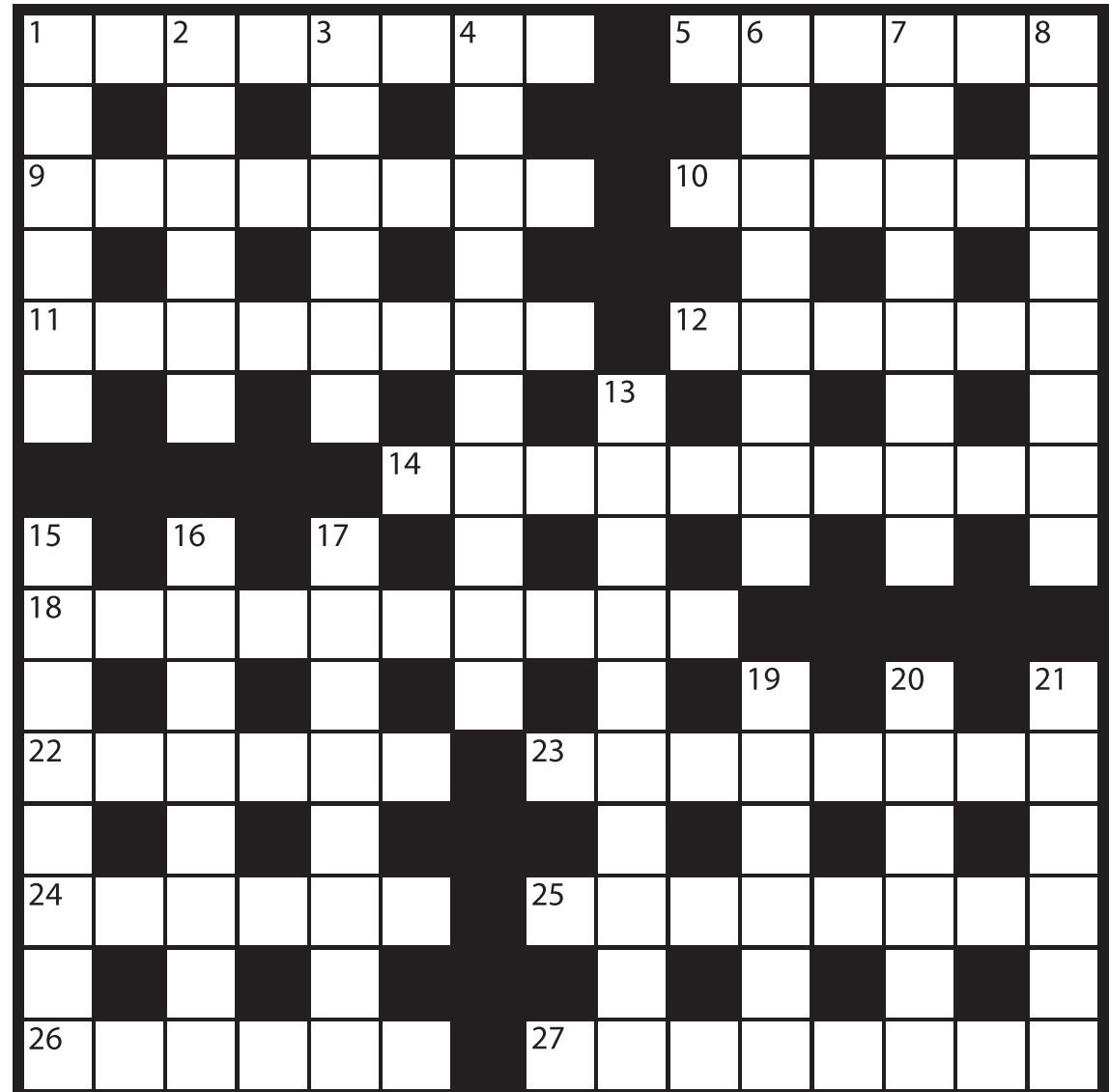
- 1 Strange ideas follow tennis match reserve (3,5)  
 5 Initially, Salah shows intent, so to speak, with rascals (6)  
 9 Singer sounds like he has the sound of Manilow! (8)  
 10 Reluctant ace is against the Gaelic language (6)  
 11 Wept about empty chapel being ignored (8)  
 12 In general, ask American for location in America (6)  
 14 Dried up livers he'd cooked, about fifty (10)  
 18 In the morning, captured by rogue Lebanese sailors (4,6)  
 22 Periodical with article in your language (6)  
 23 A bit backward, poor collection of information (8)  
 24 Show hostility to sleep during day (4,2)  
 25 Animal enclosure with one working horse (8)  
 26 Bearing the name of French officer, it is sent back (6)  
 27 Need a run, getting drunk is not yet merited (8)

**DOWN**

- 1 Taken off little vessel at the bottom of the sea (6)  
 2 The endless food staple happened on more than two occasions (6)  
 3 Don't participate - it's terribly unfashionable (3,3)  
 4 Fool's hesitant sound halving a hundred wrongly (10)  
 6 Gentleman's sparkling wine that is held in hands (8)  
 7 In gloomy fashion, doctor got up largely disheartened (8)

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- 8 Marshals from upcoming lottery blocking crowds (8)  
 13 Scattered pie remnant for arboreal creature (4,6)  
 15 Encountered grabbing branch, very large monkey (8)  
 16 Bold colours preceding storm (8)  
 17 A castle rebuilt on eastern mount (8)  
 19 Friend around the Spanish area makes local dish (6)  
 20 Speech lacking introduction is issue (6)  
 21 After upsetting ale, hooligan reclined (6)