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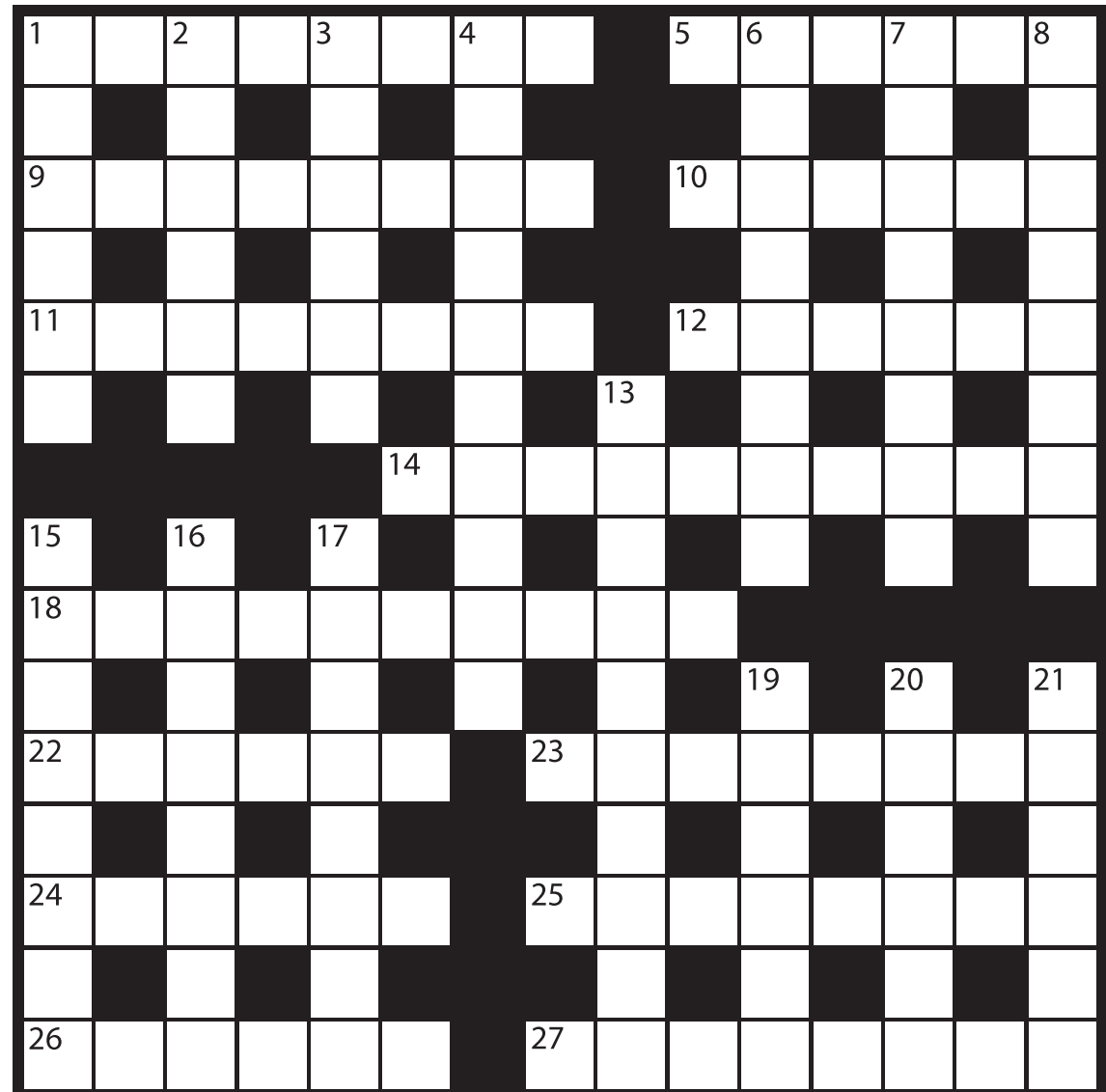
- 1 Atlas chewed up by Scotsman's dog (8)
- 5 Like to catch coach around old city (6)
- 9 Wizard more upset about cricket lacking odd characters (8)
- 10 Healthier after one's replaced energy drink (6)
- 11 One typically swims quietly in the country (8)
- 12 Bristol environment not entirely hot (6)
- 14 Favourite player's first testimonial (10)
- 18 Absolutely grand number by singer... (10)
- 22 ...vacuous artist with flag as dress... (6)
- 23 ...one might take a bow in Oxford (8)
- 24 Refuse offspring bedding material (6)
- 25 Replace machinery after drink (8)
- 26 The German's holding wooden reindeer (6)
- 27 Reckon it's about to divide Spain and China (8)

DOWN

- 1 Property in Thailand acquired by fools (6)
- 2 Arrest misguided philosopher (6)
- 3 Saw salesman, say, wearing belt (6)
- 4 Make better politician speak after priest (10)
- 6 Tips for dogs (8)
- 7 Chatter not initially unnerving (8)
- 8 Called in socialist after area settled (8)
- 13 Our father's working late (5,5)
- 15 Secured suspect and camel (8)
- 16 Countries accepting duty, essentially, to make laws (8)

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- 17 Upset Attorney-General and ex-Attorney-General (8)
- 19 Parking in capital city of Greece (6)
- 20 John meets woman in a state (6)
- 21 Socialist story broken by English paper (6)