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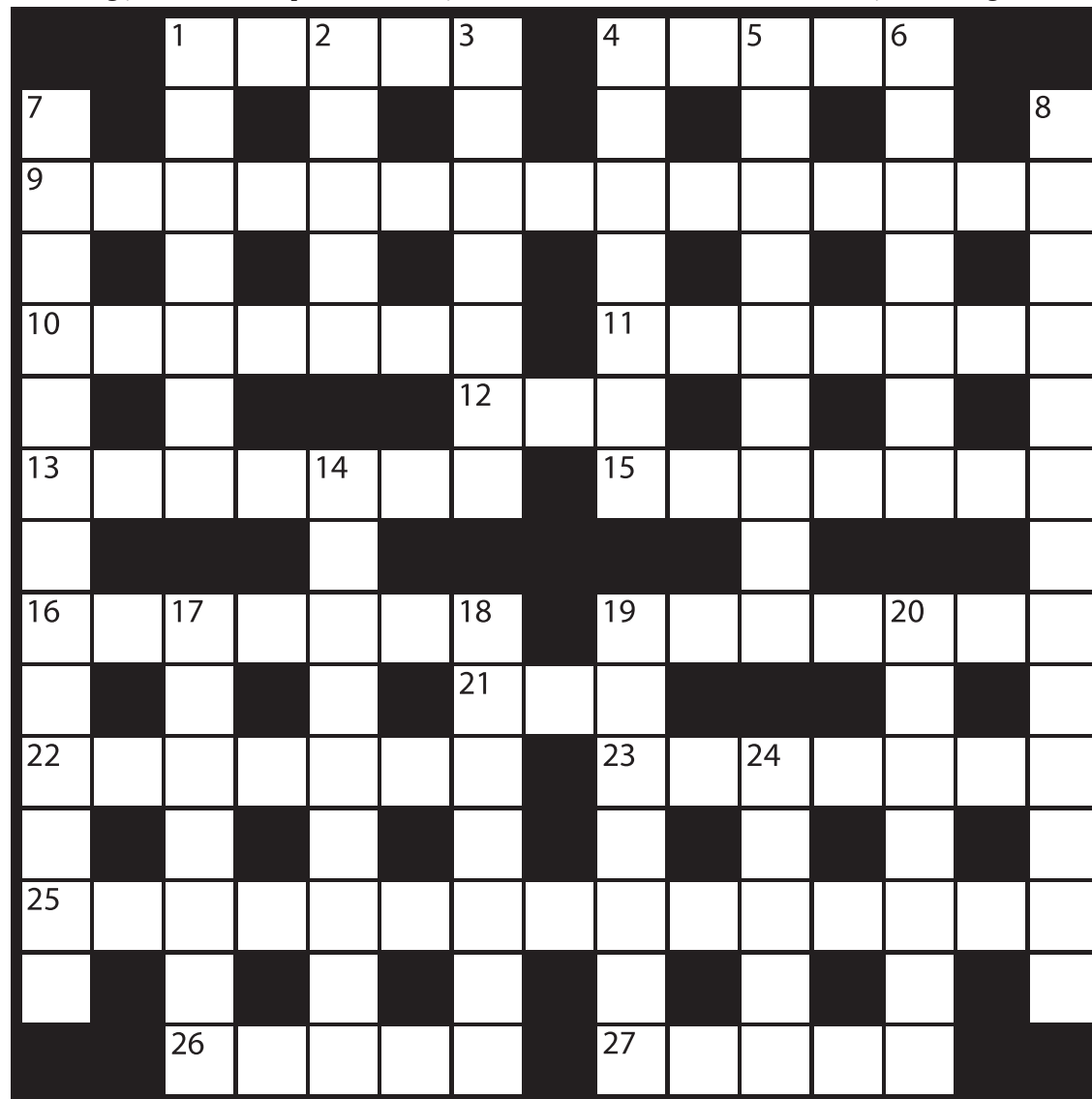
- 1 Garfunkel returns with expensive car for the drummer (5)
- 4 Funny characters often make interesting clients, originally (5)
- 9 Defenders got bad with age and didn't move quickly (7,4,4)
- 10 Bolt around the tale? (7)
- 11 Two cricket terms drag on (7)
- 12 A place, unfinished, as seen in The Simpsons (3)
- 13 Copper darts flung as pie? (7)
- 15 Flowery newspaper has value, or almost (7)
- 16 Dismissed at job settlement (7)
- 19 Listener's promotion for noise muffler (7)
- 21 I leave warriors with a naughty child (3)
- 22 Scottish footballer's diatribe after doing up relegation leaders (7)
- 23 Become an heir in T-style (7)
- 25 Red Road allowed in to dangerous game (7,8)
- 26 Coins exchanged amid boom? (5)
- 27 Religious books are sent back by poetic muse (5)

DOWN

- 1 Goodman's cricket contest in hidden stores (7)
- 2 Fish in Caledonian glen (5)
- 3 Putin, say - or Karen Gillan? (7)
- 4 Honesty of positive attitude at ancient city (7)
- 5 Don't shoot him - or me, given Scottish Greens' assembly? (9)
- 6 Farewell to ice hero, perhaps (7)
- 7 Pre-bookings given by general before the attack? (7,6)
- 8 Bear to win the woman and be united (5,8)
- 14 A share of fuss - or love (9)

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- 17 Corrodes after the endless lunges (7)
- 18 Giant in charge of doomed ship (7)
- 19 Records and poem absorb one part of series (7)
- 20 Learning about dry love at school in Scotland (7)
- 24 She cultivates the Italian - had problems outside (5)