

ACROSS

- 1 Where nautical flats are: between vessels (8)
 5 Game for guessing 1000 in ABC or otherwise (6)
 9 Penalty I can't change in son's case (8)
 10 Taxi rank's awkward ascent (6)
 11 One who breaks in breaks under it - right? (8)
 12 Two sets comprise latter part of sonnet (6)
 14 A Member of Parliament with a pound must fancy collector's book (5,5)
 18 It'll hold jacket neath cargo pants (4,6)
 22 Some bird? Some neck! (6)
 23 If Prime Minister is back in care outdoor types may sing about it (8)
 24 Novel burgh (6)
 25 Brahmin is term that covers religious adviser (8)
 26 Catching sight of agent in Gabon (6)
 27 The accused back on football field (8)

DOWN

- 1 Club potato in other words? (6)
 2 Present toe and heels (6)
 3 Restart in hockey strike on strike (3-3)
 4 Joining demonstration in favour of exams? (10)
 6 Sort others always resort (8)
 7 Boatman moves round current province (8)
 8 Additional earnings in due course (8)
 13 Setter's pater settled setter's mood (10)
 15 They keep coal in sinks (8)
 16 In post to be filled King George replaces criminal initially being of no fixed abode (8)
 17 Red correction under line in feature for issue (8)

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- 19 Ariel for instance originally satisfied Prospero standing upon ceremony (6)
 20 Sang song about Pinkerton? (6)
 21 One who attends gets home after earlier cases (6)