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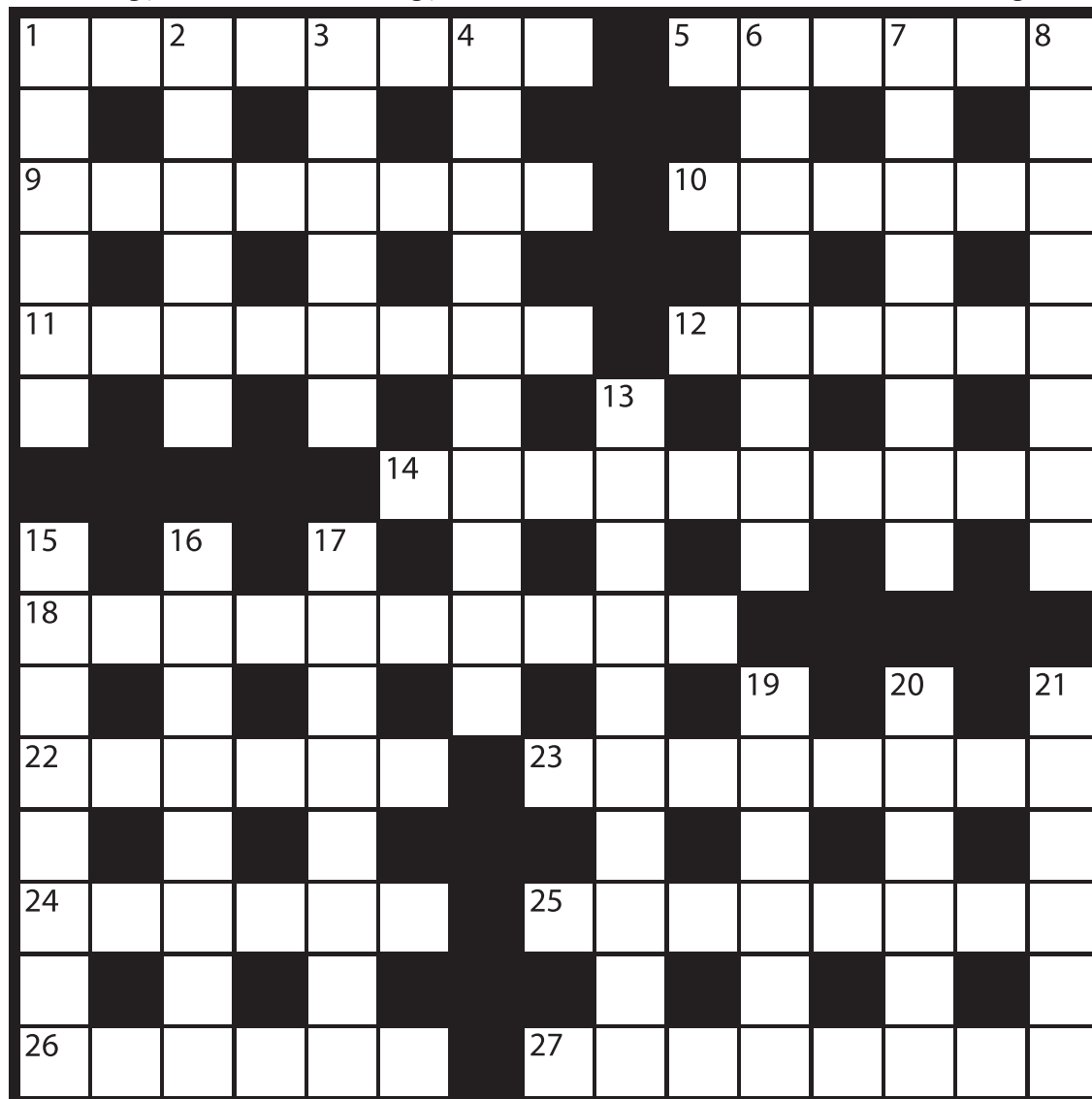
- 1 Hotel stops apricot salad being wasted (8)
- 5 Stands in flowers after one's left (6)
- 9 Monument in Greece (not Aphrodite) (8)
- 10 Wood trim (6)
- 11 Collective housing deeds regularly supplied without changes (8)
- 12 Athlete stupidly leaving husband for politician (6)
- 14 Help girl avoiding extremes with policy (10)
- 18 One for whom addiction may be in store (10)
- 22 Noise from fiddle (6)
- 23 My pretty French accountant makes pottery (8)
- 24 Pig pens deceived dog (6)
- 25 Genius working in nineties (8)
- 26 Poet's finished embracing writer and cricketer (6)
- 27 One metal turned into many (8)

DOWN

- 1 Build up a company for the auditor (6)
- 2 Double digit raise, initially, for fellow (6)
- 3 Rotten couch, free (6)
- 4 Permission to rearrange take-off (10)
- 6 Old man in retirement with little hunger (8)
- 7 Having a row seconds before slaughter (8)
- 8 Stuck monarch in gutter with journalist (8)
- 13 Check counterfeit pound beforehand (10)
- 15 Journalists in session oddly lacking drink (8)

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- 16 Depressed about focus of Welsh Assembly (8)
- 17 Observe gambling game in gallery (4,4)
- 19 An elitist upset by one's tree (6)
- 20 Roman statesman caught with diamonds and gold from the east (6)
- 21 Delicate copper isn't unknown (6)