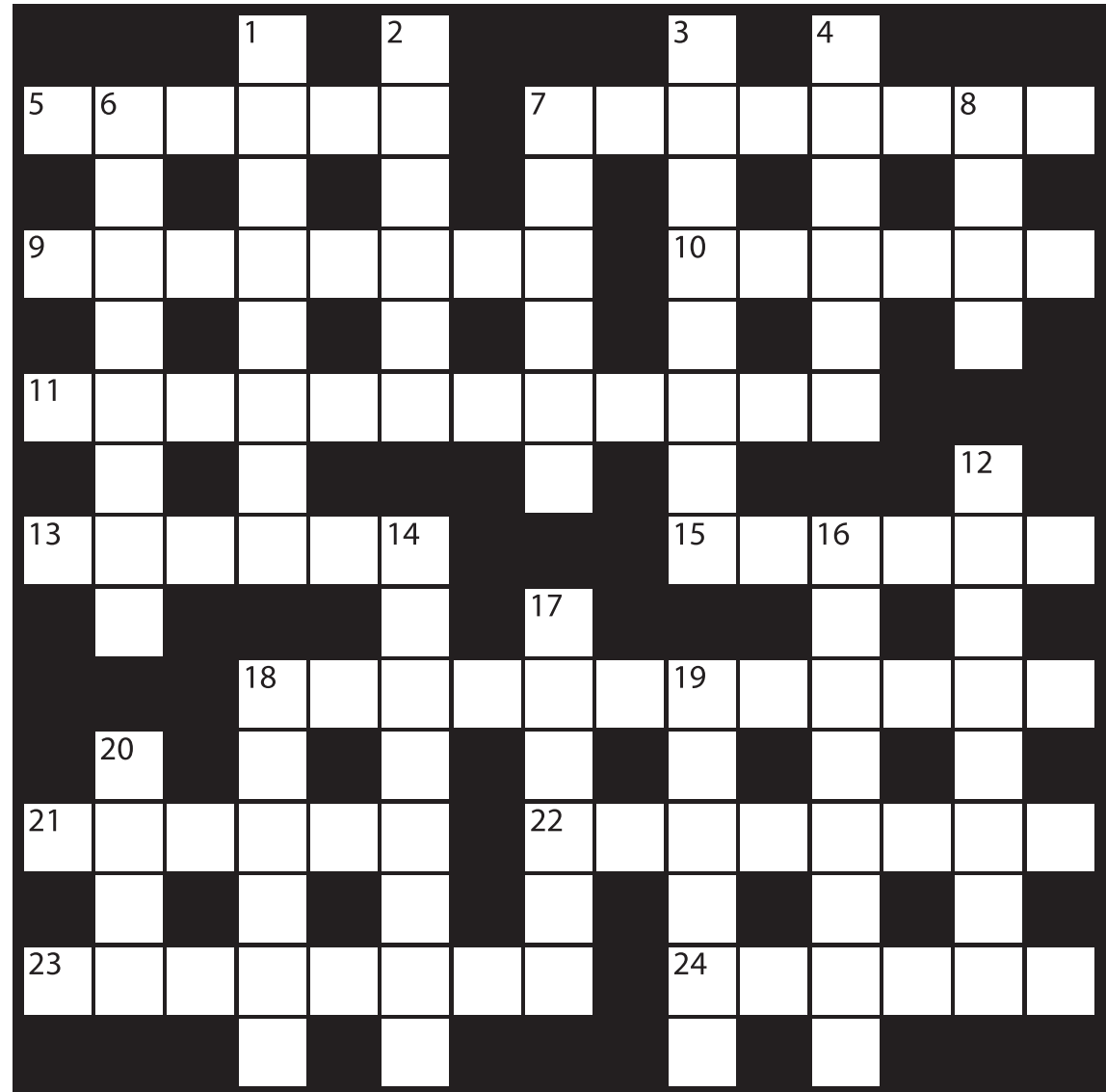


ACROSS

- 5 Stiffener celebrity needed before church (6)
- 7 Gain in money continues (8)
- 9 Send millions in carriage (8)
- 10 Free rod on reeds regularly (6)
- 11 Musician's account about Canadian singer in trio's explosive (12)
- 13 Bird not totally domesticated, get back first (6)
- 15 Fixed associate of Pooh, cuddly toy (6)
- 18 Dispensable teens in salon working (12)
- 21 Vessels stop, dropping off bishop and a son (6)
- 22 Some time to put in measure related to theatre performances (8)
- 23 Youngster carrying on is emigrant (8)
- 24 In various games, learner shines (6)

DOWN

- 1 Document giving publicity in all of France (8)
- 2 Embarrassed taking sample from Hamish, a medic (6)
- 3 Envoy carrying introductory letter for the royal attendant (8)
- 4 Accommodation debt is rearranged (6)
- 6 Go and cover for rebel (8)
- 7 Brew is number one, best to serve up (6)
- 8 Daughter atop alcohol barrel (4)
- 12 Plant I urge man to cook (8)
- 14 Solitary day with a good person in charge (8)
- 16 Old duet at do performing (8)



- 17 Guide established to keep company right (6)
- 18 People from north helping to have leader ousted (6)
- 19 Appear from base to join forces (6)
- 20 Line up in one game and another (4)