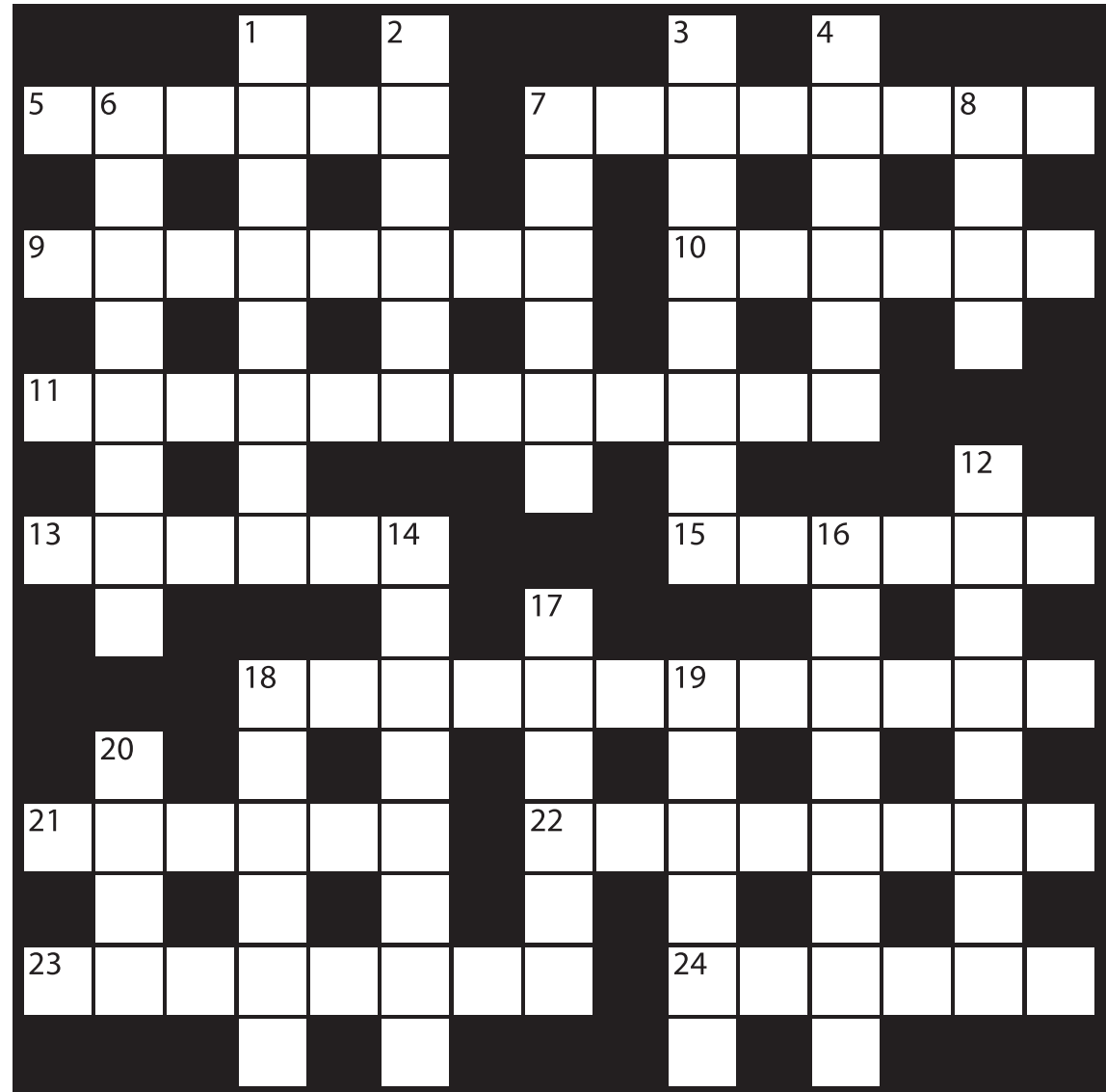


ACROSS

- 5 Useless row involving endless butts (6)
- 7 Star airs various things (8)
- 9 Understood the grade must be revised (8)
- 10 Happen to contract soldier that's mysterious (6)
- 11 Construction materials head of build secures after wind (6,6)
- 13 Dreads losing right arguments (6)
- 15 Tyrant taking sides in divine location (6)
- 18 We bid in turns potentially for energy sources (4,8)
- 21 Honour in possession of sacred item (6)
- 22 Leaving cleaner container encased in silver (8)
- 23 Birds rest happily aboard ship (8)
- 24 Duck caught in a park cooked for Asian food (6)

DOWN

- 1 Sophisticated case of Hamish containing roughly eight cents (4-4)
- 2 Rate of French language finally disappearing (6)
- 3 Iced vino ordered and billed (8)
- 4 Father upset about a son's uproar (6)
- 6 Brave and cool for all to see, rising above attack (8)
- 7 Lumber seat (6)
- 8 Fish he sells so regularly (4)
- 12 Chief good about new soldiers (8)
- 14 Ban on antics at sea (8)
- 16 Quiet two steal mushrooms (8)
- 17 Around back of unit, keeps strips of wood (6)



- 18 Wieldy bats, generally (6)
- 19 Way of doing things great monarch set up (6)
- 20 Splendid book, not refined (4)