## ACROSS

131 days to be a hundred, or otherwise (7)
5 Building changed if I cement over (7)
10 Send round objects (4)
11 We hear mother mention foreign port (10)
12 Huge carriage caper (8)
13 Made fast, low and brightly coloured (6)
14 M1 club (4)
15 Latest act I adapted for ‘Hanging Rock’ (10)
17 Playing with time, danger grew (10)
19 Dispatch snow vehicle, it's heard (4)
20 Erode support in Yemeni port, mostly (6)
22 A number in need should be made trim (8)
24 Law no longer enforced by deceased landlord? $(4,6)$
25 Date to give out coming up (4)
26 Formal speech in House? (7)
27 Riga don made worshipful (7)

## DOWN

2 Office-seeker, Frank, had a meal (9)
3 Performing deer is kept in one $(2,5)$
4 Half of them encountered an ant (5)
6 Remand lad, unusually, in ideal world (9)
7 Have an argument and leave the parade $(4,3)$
8 Railway station workers overheard (5)
9 Babble about cast-iron moulding to delay things (13)
15 Without feeling foolish? (9)

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16 Smartened new dealers (9)
18 Follow a winding path, renamed by mistake (7)
19 Wrestle madly, and feel the heat (7)
21 Money needed for staple food (5)
23 Bitter cold in dry environment (5)

