

**ACROSS**

- 7 Noisy fun when bar overturns next to railway (7)
- 8 Peculiar code, peculiar etiquette (7)
- 10 Knight's backers given time signal (4)
- 11 Learned about hot classic (10)
- 12 Vehicle for one who's late (6)
- 13 Suffering gout, one swallows unknown meat (2-6)
- 15 Lover of Margaret, that singer, it ending in romance (11)
- 19 Harvest fruit will be seen again (8)
- 21 Truth, to a high degree, about it (6)
- 22 Almost informed about main city as the final straw (2,3,2,3)
- 24 Head of college to make fun of cheat (4)
- 25 A right to bring up son's debts (7)
- 26 Country girl seen moving ahead (7)

**DOWN**

- 1 Cooking instructions should be terribly precise (7)
- 2 Bizarrely snores during damage vetting (10)
- 3 View the possibility (8)
- 4 French girl in training for gunshot (6)
- 5 Noisy presses producing charged particles (4)
- 6 Call promises to pay uncertain (7)
- 9 Recently, they involved a different lawyer (3,5,3)
- 14 Weightlifting insect is unsporting! (3,7)

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- 16 Turn round and run with gun (8)
- 17 Bypasses upper class in Dorset resort (7)
- 18 Long-suffering saint unwinding a coil (7)
- 20 Exile to leave the country at exit (6)
- 23 Jumble-sale refreshments (4)