

ACROSS

- 3 ___ anglais, orchestral instrument (3)
7 Poor quarter (6)
8 Life-supporting gas (6)
9 Nourishing substance (8)
10 Aussie flightless birds (4)
11 Use sparingly (3,3)
12 Fleece, overcharge (3,3)
15 Small computer (6)
18 Desert illusion (6)
20 Dead keen (4)
22 Saving from harm (8)
23 Ornamental spangle (6)
24 Deep-seated (6)
25 Darken in the sun (3)

DOWN

- 1 Grown smaller (6)
2 Parliament buildings in Belfast (8)
3 Forcefully convincing (6)
4 Blackguard (6)
5 Newcastle's river (4)
6 Snub (6)
11 Slippery as an ____, fishy saying (3)
13 Upsets (8)
14 Adversary (3)
16 Hook and line user (6)
17 Mother or father (6)
18 Soft cotton fabric (6)
19 ___ beer, fizzy spicy drink (6)
21 Worm-like larva (4)

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