

ACROSS

- 1 Sultry (6)
- 5 Calm and unhurried (6)
- 8 Elegant, stylish (4)
- 9 Thin sheet of permeable material (8)
- 10 Valiant (6)
- 11 Destructive beetle (6)
- 12 Unwrap (4)
- 14 Blockhead (3)
- 15 Sound in mind (4)
- 16 Questionnaire, opinion poll (6)
- 18 Improve, embellish (6)
- 20 Jumping Australian animal (8)
- 22 Number of riders in a polo team (4)
- 23 Rely (6)
- 24 Attempting (6)

DOWN

- 2 Orange-yellow pigment (5)
- 3 American animal with a ringed tail (7)
- 4 State run by elected representatives (9)
- 5 Amount of money (3)
- 6 Dreary song (5)
- 7 Strain (7)
- 11 Faded (6,3)
- 13 Bird's covering (7)
- 15 Unkempt (7)
- 17 Ill-defined, sketchy (5)
- 19 Milk container (5)
- 21 ___ Stewart, knighted rock star (3)

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