

ACROSS

- 1 Backed down (4,3)
- 5 Destroyed by fire (5)
- 8 Throw in the ____, give up (5)
- 9 State of agreement (7)
- 10 Depart (4,3)
- 11 Praise highly (5)
- 12 Sticky confection (6)
- 14 Arctic seal-like mammal (6)
- 18 Iced surfaces (5)
- 20 Insects with hard wing-cases (7)
- 22 French vineyard estate round a castle (7)
- 23 In golf, two under par (5)
- 24 Remove clothes (5)
- 25 No longer in service (7)

DOWN

- 1 Fall apart (2,2,3)
- 2 Open speech sound (5)
- 3 Greeting on a doormat (7)
- 4 Sailing boats (6)
- 5 Bout of overeating (5)
- 6 Domestic cockerel (7)
- 7 Affected by sea levels (5)
- 13 Place with dodgems (7)
- 15 Never seeming to grow old (7)
- 16 Defer (7)
- 17 Teem (6)
- 18 Speed competitions (5)
- 19 Fleecy animals (5)
- 21 Algarve coastal town (5)

