

## ACROSS

- 1** \_\_\_ of, more than (7)  
**5** Expression of amusement (5)  
**8** Witches' assembly (5)  
**9** Fruit grove (7)  
**10** Zeppelin, eg (7)  
**11** Make fun of (5)  
**12** *The Pickwick* \_\_\_\_, Dickens' first novel (6)  
**14** Equestrians (6)  
**18** Motored (5)  
**20** Melodious (7)  
**22** Behave in an excessively dramatic fashion (4-3)  
**23** Achieve (5)  
**24** Organ that circulates blood (5)  
**25** Soccer player who attacks and scores (7)

## DOWN

- 1** Disentangle (7)  
**2** Falter, hesitate (5)  
**3** US cattle farmer (7)  
**4** Careless, unsystematic (6)  
**5** Legal (5)  
**6** Oblivious (7)  
**7** Bushy field or garden divider (5)  
**13** Calculated by amount used or done (3,4)  
**15** Company offering protective policies (7)  
**16** Yellow non-metallic element (7)  
**17** Forge workers (6)  
**18** Distance down (5)  
**19** Bring into force (5)  
**21** Calcium carbonate (5)

