

ACROSS

- 1 Old pub (6)
- 4 ___ Leone, African country (6)
- 9 Continue doggedly (7)
- 10 English diaper (5)
- 11 Bed covering (5)
- 12 Colonnade (7)
- 13 Doubt (5)
- 15 Normal, customary (5)
- 20 Isolated, excluded (4,3)
- 22 Defamation (5)
- 24 Plant with flowers on long spikes (5)
- 25 Classic John Lennon hit (7)
- 26 Walk briskly (6)
- 27 Light-heartedness, merriment (6)

DOWN

- 1 Operator of an old-fashioned writing machine (6)
- 2 Gusto (5)
- 3 Swagger (7)
- 5 Underlying (5)
- 6 Copy, model (7)
- 7 In a haphazard way (6)
- 8 Organ levers (5)
- 14 Expropriator (7)
- 16 Raisin-like dried fruit (7)
- 17 Religious verses or hymns (6)
- 18 Attach (5)
- 19 Downy (6)
- 21 Had, possessed (5)
- 23 Cloth used on snooker tables (5)

