ACROSS

- 1 Initial payment to secure a purchase (7)
- 5 Data entry (5)
- 8 Card game (5)
- 9 Disinclination to move (7)
- 10 Put together (8)
- **11** Leather waistband (4)
- **13** Dessert made with sponge and custard (6)
- 15 Place where two walls or roads meet (6)
- **18** Look (as if) (4)
- **19** Ecstatic (8)
- 22 Causing great surprise (7)
- 23 Come together (5)
- 24 Coop or box for rabbits (5)
- 25 Drastic, severe (7)

DOWN

- 1 In a state of sleep (7)
- 2 Argentinian rugby team's nickname (5)
- 3 Dairy substitute drink used by vegans (4,4)
- 4 Meagrely (6)
- 5 Article (4)
- 6 Template (7)
- 7 Characteristic (5)
- **12** Computer user's flat rubbery pad (5,3)
- **14** Less than completely true (7)
- 16 Ease or mitigate (pain, distress) (7)
- 17 Pestilence (6)
- 18 Break into pieces (5)
- 20 Strength, might (5)
- 21 Lillian ____, silent-movie star (4)

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