

## ACROSS

- 3 Without delay (3)
- 7 Cause lasting bitterness (6)
- 8 Currently receiving attention (2,4)
- 9 Rocky outcrop (8)
- 10 Establish the age of (4)
- 11 Show ambition (6)
- 12 Grow canines and incisors, eg (6)
- 15 Deadly (6)
- 18 Begin a journey (3,3)
- 20 Leap (4)
- 22 Senior member of a municipal council (8)
- 23 Link, join (6)
- 24 Water boiler (6)
- 25 Large flightless bird (3)

## DOWN

- 1 Artist's work surface (6)
- 2 Small fight (8)
- 3 Invalidate (6)
- 4 Unspecified mechanical contrivance (6)
- 5 Dispensed with (4)
- 6 Telltale (6)
- 11 Afflict (3)
- 13 Totality, completeness (8)
- 14 Little mythical creature (3)
- 16 Actors' trade union (6)
- 17 Abominate (6)
- 18 Popular number puzzle (6)
- 19 Unequivocally (6)
- 21 Story acted on stage (4)

