

ACROSS

- 8 Proceeds (7)
9 Scout company (5)
10 Do without (5)
11 Impassive, expressionless (7)
12 Time when most people take holidays (6,6)
16 Garage tool (6,6)
20 Platform for public speaking (7)
23 Article of kitchen clothing (5)
24 Gin and ____, drink (5)
25 Judicious (7)

DOWN

- 1 Float aimlessly (5)
2 Subvert (8)
3 Brief, advise (6)
4 Group of cattle (4)
5 Free from worry (2,4)
6 Poultry pen (4)
7 Launch (7)
13 Not cooked (3)
14 Safety (8)
15 Arab leader's domain (7)
17 Tenor Caruso's first name (6)
18 Facilitate, make possible (6)
19 Flair, skill (5)
21 Beach grains (4)
22 Act forlornly (4)

