ACROSS

- 1 Being acted upon (2,4)
- 4 Battered (against) (6)
- **9** Queued (5,2)
- 10 Spontaneous reply (2-3)
- **11** Supports for snooker cues (5)
- **12** ___ Crowe, actor (7)
- 13 Worthless matter (5)
- 15 On many occasions (5)
- **20** Win (7)
- 22 Mountain ash (5)
- 24 Coral formations (5)
- **25** Pulling (7)
- **26** Open ____, Ali Baba's cry (6)
- 27 Intelligent (6)

DOWN

- 1 Loafers (6)
- 2 Sharpening stones (5)
- 3 People who go about naked (7)
- 5 Amy ____, Enchanted star (5)
- 6 Gozo's national language (7)
- 7 Get involved superficially (6)
- **8** Goads (5)
- 14 Vitamin-deficiency disease (7)
- **16** Rummager for food (7)
- 17 Takes over unjustly (6)
- **18** Worshipped objects (5)
- 19 Medieval warrior (6)
- 21 Surrey racecourse (5)
- 23 Squeeze (out) (5)

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