ACROSS

- 1 Suppresses (7)
- 5 Amount due (5)
- **9** Breathtaking (5-8)
- 10 Violet variety of quartz (8)
- **11** ____ for, chooses (4)
- **12** Australia, informally (4,5)
- **16** Bodily discomfort (4)
- 17 Monument (8)
- 19 Crystal-ball gazer (7,6)
- 21 Agent for an absent person (5)
- **22** Blushes (7)

DOWN

- 2 Units of gas (6)
- 3 Eldest (children) (9)
- 4 Written school piece (5)
- 6 Uncanny foresight (inits) (3)
- **7** Existing from birth (6)
- 8 Lincolnshire town (6)
- 11 Countermanded (9)
- 13 Christening (6)
- 14 Party led by Keir Starmer (6)
- **15** Recruit (staff) (4,2)
- **18** Wood joint (5)
- 20 Imposed contribution (3)

