## **ACROSS**

- 8 Take possession of (territory) (5)
- **9** Stir up (7)
- 10 Smoked herring (7)
- **11** Nip (5)
- 12 Controlling device (9)
- 14 iPhone extra (3)
- **15** Down in the dumps (3)
- **16** Indoor football (4-1-4)
- **19** Speed competitions (5)
- 21 Release from captivity (3,4)
- 23 Archbishop (7)
- **24** Nick, steal (5)

## **DOWN**

- 1 Men's hairdresser (6)
- 2 Swollen with liquid (8)
- 3 Door used for leaving (4)
- 4 Root vegetable (6)
- 5 London railway station (8)
- 6 Masculine gender (4)
- **7** Rally or brighten (4,2)
- 13 Period on Earth (8)
- **14** Toxic precipitation (4,4)
- 15 Six-winged angel (6)
- **17** Ship (6)
- 18 Hole for a lace (6)
- 20 Fried piece of potato (4)
- 22 Flick of a coin (4)

