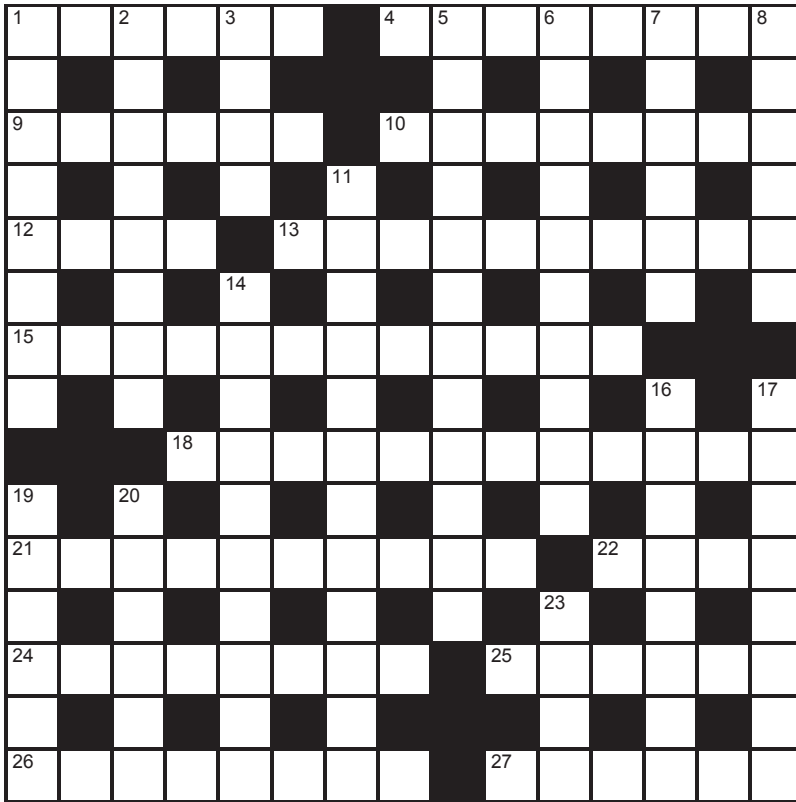


CROSSWORD

No 16,710 Set by ZAMORCA



ACROSS

- 1 Pedal car has scored, entertaining 50 children! (6)
- 4 Small staff with time aboard has ship immaculate (8)
- 9 Tenant with large unruly dog's about to be rejected (6)
- 10 Little girl sounded content to be made a fuss of (8)
- 12 Champion's left raceway, crashing to one side (4)
- 13 Writer's worried about America after January (4,6)
- 15 Hamleys' criminal confronted, consumed with embarrassment (12)
- 18 Crazy plan to take two drugs each on one day (8,4)
- 21 For starters, papers mistaken about revolutionary plot (10)
- 22 Made linguine sample for posh grocery (4)
- 24 Sailors gulped drink after Field Officer ditched (8)
- 25 British family wearing team's beachwear (6)
- 26 Mention mishandled duel in a low voice (6,2)
- 27 Admire an American hero (6)

DOWN

- 1 Fail to nab limited parking space on vacation (8)
- 2 Started down path (5,3)
- 3 Gloated about soldiers having won (4)
- 5 Guardian's following article announced in UN (5-7)
- 6 Finest cover's a quilt made last century (3-7)
- 7 Greets migrating birds (6)
- 8 Policeman intercepts evil gang leader on railway track (6)
- 11 Accounts supported by these sliding scales (7,5)
- 14 Close northern pass including area around trailhead (4,2,4)
- 16 Sticky and hot taking tablets in a seedy bar (8)
- 17 Make the most of saying one's leading event (8)
- 19 Craft fair welcoming a fine fibre for weaving (6)
- 20 American city rents about to rise out of control (6)
- 23 Greatness of Velázquez isn't part of retrospective (4)

JOTTER PAD