

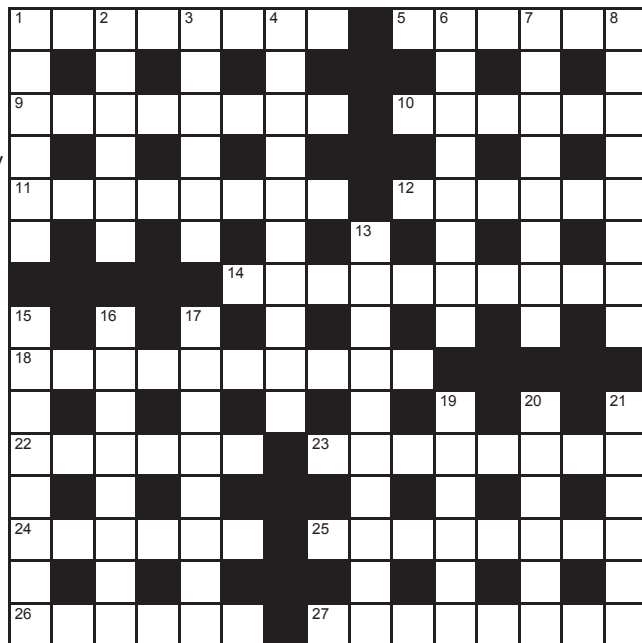
# Crossword 16,768 Set by Mudd

## ACROSS

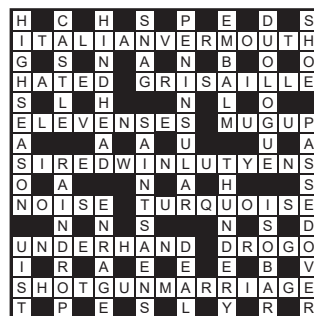
- 1 Tan then, but briefly, as perilous? (8)
- 5 Wind from America behind plane (6)
- 9 Dynasty stopping putsch in a few moments (6,2)
- 10 Old man meeting girl, Spanish dish (6)
- 11 Cosmetic overhaul of English river in Sussex town (8)
- 12 Hot pink clothes for singers (6)
- 14 Weight put behind domestic chore in US state (10)
- 18 Unfortunate case of thespian, lowest in Hollywood (10)
- 22 Clydebank's first complete ship (6)
- 23 Join end of queue after delay – some flier! (8)
- 24 Decidedly bewitching (6)
- 25 Clean – unlike Dalmatian? (8)
- 26 Country that may be stuffed (6)
- 27 Work around cable, getting last of water for well (8)

## DOWN

- 1 Holy scriptures are commonly read every day, first of all (6)
- 2 Song more insensitive? (6)
- 3 A loose woman in the family (6)
- 4 Do in wicked youth with spear (5,5)
- 6 Seen in diary, a slight feeling of revulsion (8)
- 7 Churning later observed in part of body – stomach (8)
- 8 Winger Jack embraced by supporter (8)
- 13 Programme on top horse (10)
- 15 Over sink, store kitchen vessel (8)
- 16 Coloured fluid upset, water ruined fleece perhaps? (8)
- 17 Repair lets tree put down roots again (8)
- 19 Torpedo almost exploding daily (6)
- 20 Nanny claiming third in wheelbarrow race (6)
- 21 Warmer island off southern England (6)



Solution 16,767



Solution 16,756

