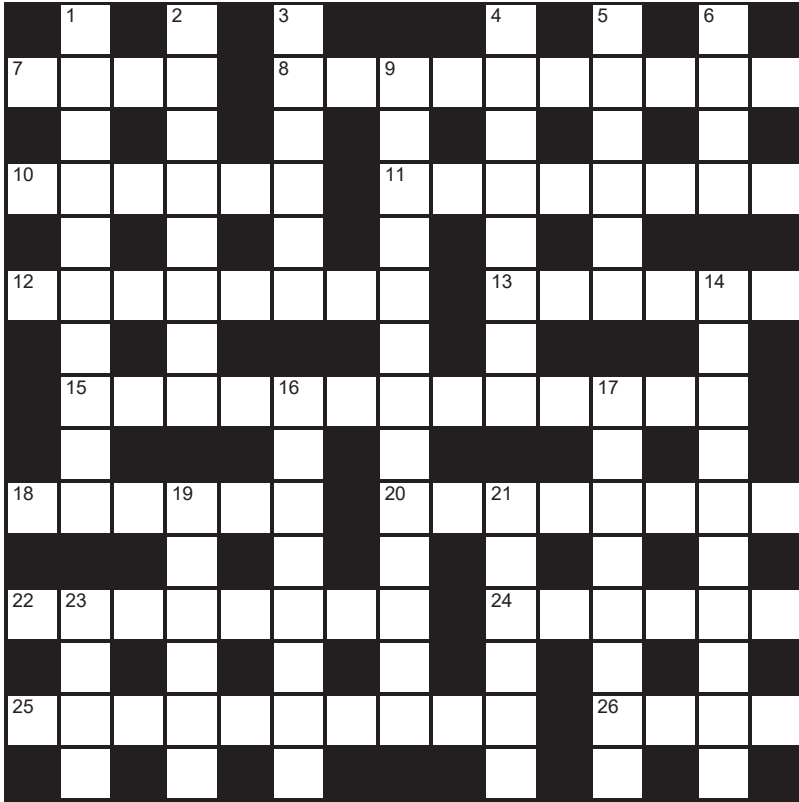


# CROSSWORD

No 16,937 Set by SLORMGORM



## ACROSS

- 7 Dry white? Just lovely to look at!  
(4)
- 8 Foreign city son alleges corrupt  
(3,7)
- 10 Take on a small European without  
problem (6)
- 11 Press conservative boy that's  
inflexible (8)
- 12 A rare break with drugs for one in  
custody? (8)
- 13 Runs away from first of lancehead  
vipers (6)
- 15 Annoyed? So issue direct rude  
remarks! (13)
- 18 Complaint about light infantry's  
doctrine? (6)
- 20 Service a church holds finally for  
butcher (8)
- 22 Order given to old Royal Marine  
(8)
- 24 American jerks pinching knight for  
larks (6)
- 25 One selling lots of our nice tea at  
sea (10)
- 26 Struggle with expectation (4)

## DOWN

- 1 Game of cards a Celt played (4,6)
- 2 Nicks and Jeans? (8)
- 3 A large gamble taking on queen  
and her mate? (6)
- 4 Hot working up around Kent?  
Never! (2,2,4)
- 5 Swimmer embarrassed daughter  
around company (3,3)
- 6 Get on with male revolutionary –  
super! (4)
- 9 Miles not bored around music  
producer (5,8)
- 14 Secret dirt could be made thus  
(10)
- 16 Occasionally switch positions  
(3,3,2)
- 17 Popular record I have still? (8)
- 19 Prisoner beaten at chess? (6)
- 21 Celebrities welcoming one in Steps  
(6)
- 23 Work over drink? That'll need  
reviewing! (4)

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