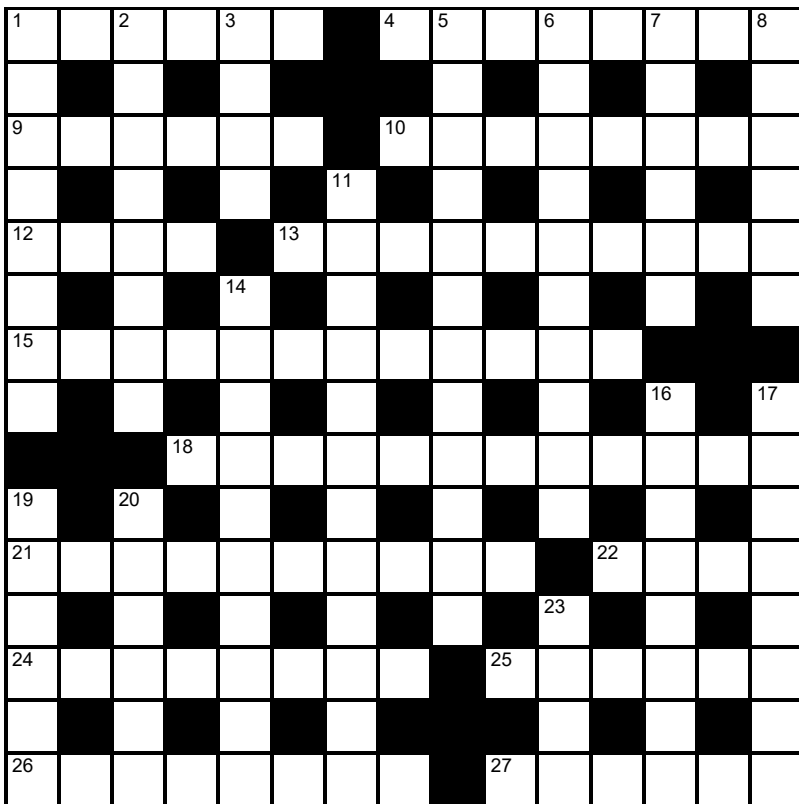


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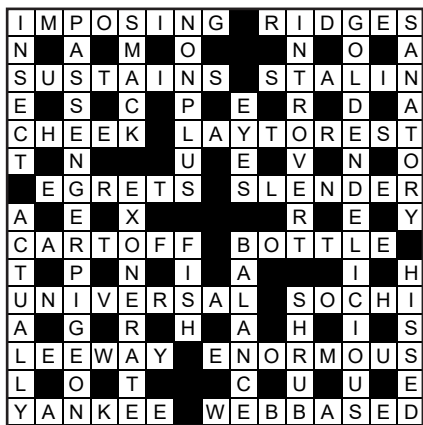
- 1 Dignified witness snubbed by court (6)
- 4 Primate wasted some time hosting Queen in the morning (8)
- 9 Add gloves, masks and gowns, as well as trousers (6)
- 10 Roofer who used to be a cabinetmaker? (8)
- 12 Support person voting for introduction of policy (4)
- 13 They have crowns on support underwear worn by King (4,6)
- 15 Daddy seen dancing round Barbie's partner in raucous group (4,8)
- 18 Graduate fled working group (8,4)
- 21 Lie about almost threatening removal man (10)
- 22 Personal protection supplied by chain letters (4)
- 24 Assume that man had said "pay attention" (4,4)
- 25 Further education policy linked to Pride? (6)
- 26 Mate that is protecting low fence (8)
- 27 Somewhere systematically suppressing thoughtcrime? (6)

DOWN

- 1 Disorganised career impressed no-one ultimately (8)
- 2 Academic paper that's opening negotiating position (8)
- 3 Match pitch (4)
- 5 Part of sportsman's yard creates problem for some members? (8,4)
- 6 What might use race circuit? (10)
- 7 Monstrous individual's journey encapsulating *Hard Times* (6)
- 8 Force hospital to charge part of NHS (6)
- 11 Whip up leader of Great Britain keen on winning cases (5,2,1,4)
- 14 Emirs and Sikhs involved in fights (10)
- 16 Ratify allies bombing stores for example (8)
- 17 Seemingly more mature playboy's last affair (8)
- 19 Writer revolutionary state suppressed (4-2)
- 20 Metal coin (6)
- 23 First couple to leave decadent festival (4)

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