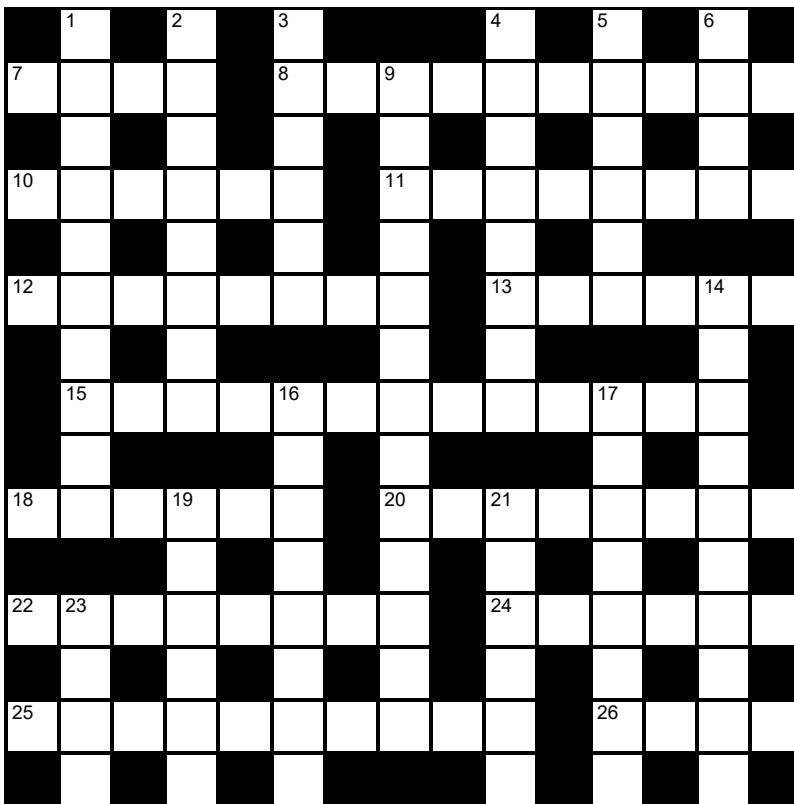


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ACROSS

- 7 Colonel with bit of irksome trapped wind (4)
- 8 Lady's partner has row about old bouncer (10)
- 10 Criminal after US agency is religious type (6)
- 11 Issue scolded soldiers brought about large knight (8)
- 12 PM head of Decca sent to Foreigner (8)
- 13 Excessively desirous of good grass? Yes! (6)
- 15 Cook flappers picked up in Boots? (6,7)
- 18 Steer clear of wife involved in suit (6)
- 20 Reactionary lot understood justice in hearing (3,5)
- 22 Grotesque individual or a leggy criminal (8)
- 24 Mostly speak with others about a flying saucer (6)
- 25 Some artists perhaps mind stores after work (10)
- 26 Is indebted to content of audiobook! (4)

DOWN

- 1 Light snow and wider storms around Ohio (4,6)
- 2 Playing through an amp is very exciting (8)
- 3 When many have lunch outside clubs together (2,4)
- 4 Dog or rat bites perhaps reported at front (8)
- 5 Promise of power book ultimately overlooked (6)
- 6 King born in the joint? (4)
- 9 Can its mockery put off musical group? (6,7)
- 14 Contrary git puts up with small vagrants' digs (10)
- 16 How 11 might be described individually? (3,2,3)
- 17 Discharge leader of Ethiopian ministry (8)
- 19 Was very angry about government in tatters (6)
- 21 Most extensive documents in Europe and US? (6)
- 23 Age is a number, vacuous Eskimo admitted (4)

JOTTER PAD