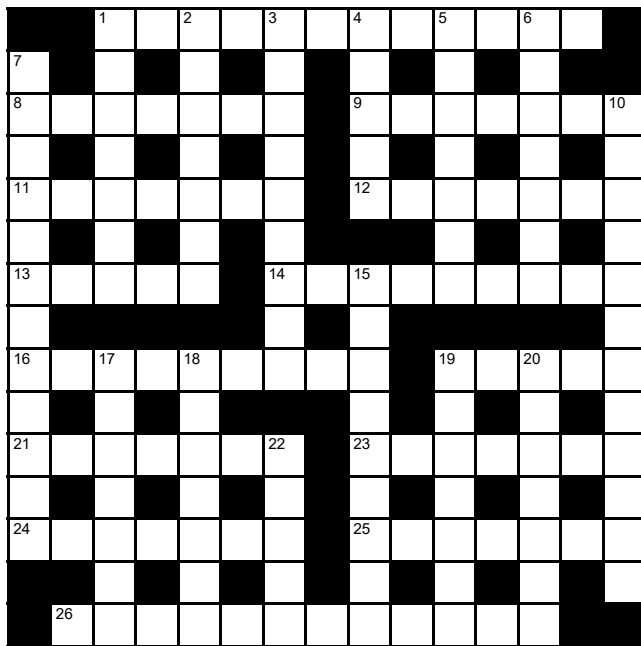


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ACROSS

- 1 Picture story of disorderly actors in port (5,7)
 8 Look again at admitting four back into exam (7)
 9 Article eviscerated some American hero (7)
 11 Funny brother running for spear (7)
 12 Teacher ploughed measure of land (7)
 13 Ointment Romeo removed from tray (5)
 14 Now Santa oddly ignored workshop product? (2,7)
 16 Units on Green St. destroyed (9)
 19 Shelter close to rampart with weapon (5)
 21 European bug creating controversy (7)
 23 Medic given drugs and drink in masquerade (5,2)
 24 Land reptile that's powerless (7)
 25 More fragrant and more nutty some might say (7)
 26 Lied about animal at front of city store (12)

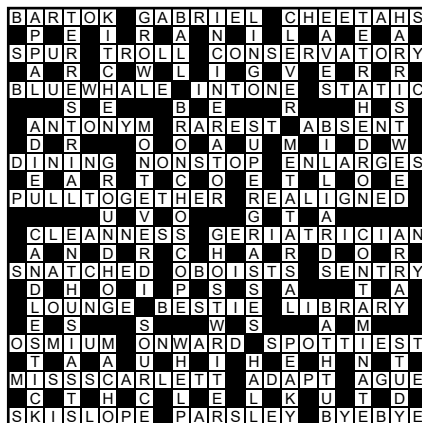
- 5 Sticky stuff a Charlie left aboard plane? (7)
 6 Drug making one queen perform in theatre (7)
 7 Box artist topped with gold stone in playing area (9,3)
 10 Fruit in middle of match Guardiola maybe fed to players (5,7)
 15 Relative joins individual hosting birthday dance (4,5)
 17 Blow up space on lane right by empty grove (7)
 18 Nervous briefly guarding container for 7 items? (7)
 19 Frame originally treated on twisted ledge (7)
 20 Assistant is struggling with son's emotion (7)
 22 Gang in touch periodically over party music? (5)



DOWN

- 1 Divers always covered with a lot of NaCl? (7)
 2 Morsel that's fried in batter is so lemony (7)
 3 Number occupying vessel worried monarch (9)
 4 Leading character at head of long letter (5)

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