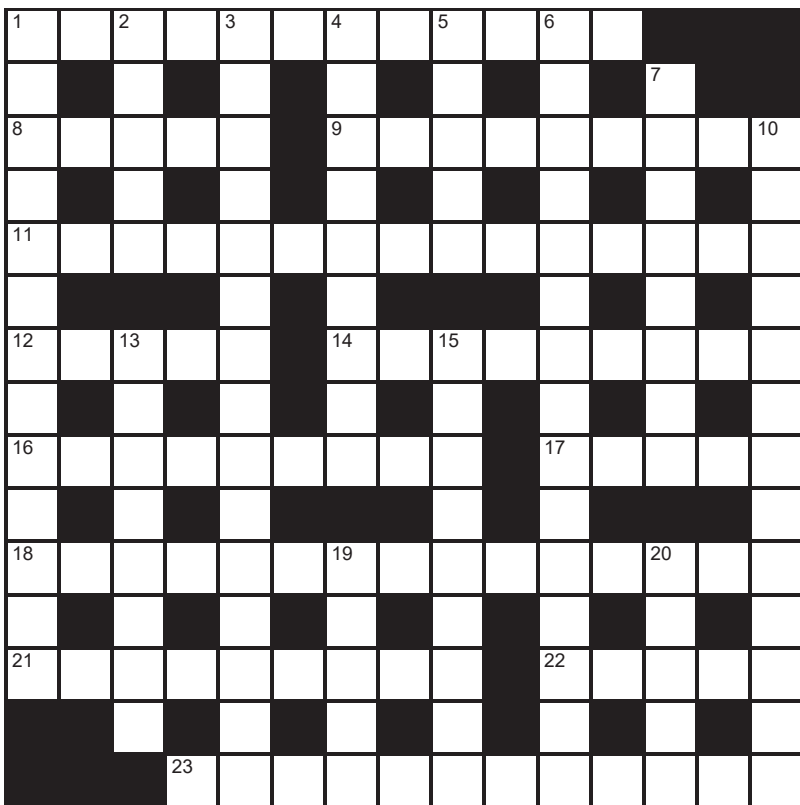


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ACROSS

- 1 What swine exhibits, trampling on one in model of adoration? Nothing (8,4)
- 8 In bits 7, and missing performance (5)
- 9 Panama adopts a label attached to independent S American region (9)
- 11 Make it big in the lion-exporting business? (2,1,7,5)
- 12 PM hours during which I have to dine (5)
- 14 MD's position, in the main? (9)
- 16 Rockers heading for bird under protection of rival? (9)
- 17 'Ow're thee stalling Wensleydale's most common lech? (3,2)
- 18 Volunteer packing for RSPB? He's left — off for some excitement? (8,7)
- 21 Legume gratins supply crusts exercise (6,3)
- 22 Individual plated meat at our homes (5)
- 23 Cooking task: rare, recipe-light, treat? (5,7)

DOWN

- 1 In the lab they detect my e-reference? (5,8)
- 2 In sequence, 16 7 perhaps for El Greco sculpture? (5)
- 3 Bananas out of this world (2,7,6)
- 4 Find new job for retired English police chief, nursing Beecham's baby (9)
- 5 Before school, lecturer split (3,2)
- 6 Fat bottom within reach in swing (9,6)
- 7 Displaying a boxing poster that appears to be substandard (2,6)
- 10 Tape underwear to bustle? It's not been done before (1,3,9)
- 13 Employed in restaurant, ever taking tip? (8)
- 15 Club employee starts to sense trouble after rolling dice, say? (9)
- 19 Uncle Sam's father appropriately kicked about literary leaves (5)
- 20 You need this mufi's judgement to get off at Waterloo (5)

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