

FT Crossword: Weekend Magazine number 689

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The Across clues are straightforward, while the Down clues are cryptic.

ACROSS

- 1 Bouncy coil (6)
- 5 Seaside shack (5, 3)
- 9 Sudden fortune (8)
- 10 Leading batter (6)
- 11 Biased (3-5)
- 12 Picturehouse (6)
- 13 Demote (8)
- 15 Remain (4)
- 17 Soon (4)
- 19 Something left out (8)
- 21 Thrown up high (6)
- 22 Big change in appearance (8)
- 23 Plaid pattern (6)
- 24 Languish, decay (8)
- 25 Unnecessary (8)
- 26 Eagerly (6)

DOWN

- 2 Moving sum of money without dodgy gain that’s new (8)
- 3 Independent American endeavour’s diligence (8)
- 4 Big victory with a little amount outside strange lands (5, 4)
- 5 Pet’s obsession about ragged doll (7)
- 6 Fancy better basmati, perhaps (7)
- 7 Follower’s honourable rage inside (6-2)
- 8 Cow heart ten cooked (8)
- 14 Fine knight joins one king’s group of experts (5, 4)
- 15 Framework for keel’s remade with great weight (8)
- 16 Flying with no barrier — endlessly flying around (8)
- 17 Proclaim a small amount for the audience (8)
- 18 Eastern relation’s upset (8)
- 19 In general, a lover’s crazy about love, initially (7)
- 20 Start to steam a simple plant incorporating first-class snacks (7)

Solution 688

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