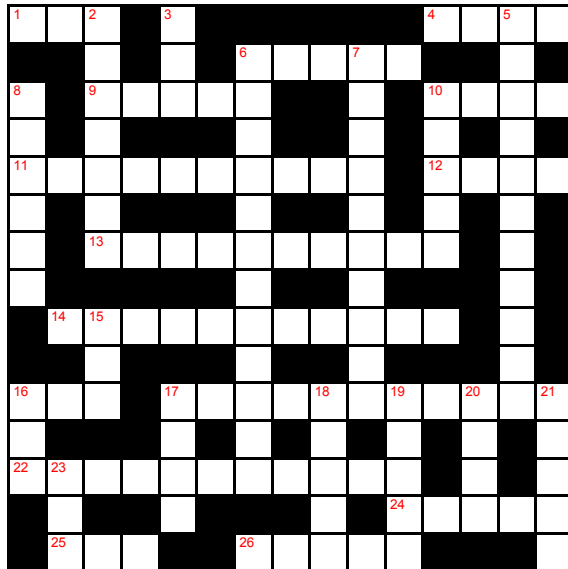


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Across

- 1 An intricate trap that entangles or ensnares its victim. (3)
- 4 Organism infected by parasite. (4)
- 6 Any of several small ungulate mammals of Africa and Asia with rodent-like incisors and feet with hooflike toes. (5)
- 9 Large short-tailed lemur of Madagascar having thick silky fur in black and white and fawn; a.k.a. indris. (5)
- 10 A crustacean with a broad flat shell, antennae, a small abdomen, and five pairs of legs, the front two of which are in the form of grasping pincers. (4)
- 11 A tropical fish of the goby family that uses its pectoral fins to leave the water to feed. (10)
- 12 Excretory opening at the end of the alimentary canal. (4)
- 13 Also known as shrew

- opossum, it is about the size of a small rat (9–14 cm long), with thin limbs, a long, pointed snout and a slender, hairy tail: it is largely carnivorous, being active hunter of insects, earthworms and small vertebrates. (3,7)
- 14 Long-billed warm-water seabird with wide wingspan and forked tail; a.k.a. man-of-war bird. (7,4)
- 16 Two-winged insects characterized by active flight. (3)
- 17 The only bird that can fly backwards. (11)
- 22 Pit viper with horny segments at the end of the tail that rattle when shaken. (11)
- 24 Any of several large humped bovids having shaggy manes and large heads and short horns. (5)
- 25 Number of legs a crab has. (3)
- 26 Large northern deer with

enormous flattened antlers in the male. (5)

Down

- 2 An animal that builds shelter to protect it and its family. (7)
- 3 The young of a goat. (3)
- 5 Echinoderm having a flexible sausage-shaped body, tentacles surrounding the mouth and tube feet; free-living mud feeders; a.k.a. holothurium. (3,8)
- 6 Massive thick-skinned herbivorous animal living in or around rivers of tropical Africa. (12)
- 7 Behaviour that is threatening or frightening to other animals. (10)
- 8 Burrowing herbivorous Australian marsupials about the size of a badger. (6)
- 10 Collective noun for a group of goldfinches. (5)
- 15 Cartilaginous fish having horizontally

flattened body and enlarged winglike pectoral fins with gills on the underside. (3)

- 16 Dense coat of fine silky hairs on mammals. (3)
- 17 An otter's den. (4)
- 18 An adult insect produced after metamorphosis (5)
- 19 Small compact-bodied almost completely aquatic bird that builds floating nests; similar to loons but smaller and with lobate rather than webbed feet. (5)
- 20 Wading birds of warm regions having long slender down-curved bills. (4)
- 21 Stingless male bee in a colony of social bees (especially honeybees) whose sole function is to mate with the queen. (5)
- 23 Social insect living in organized colonies. (3)