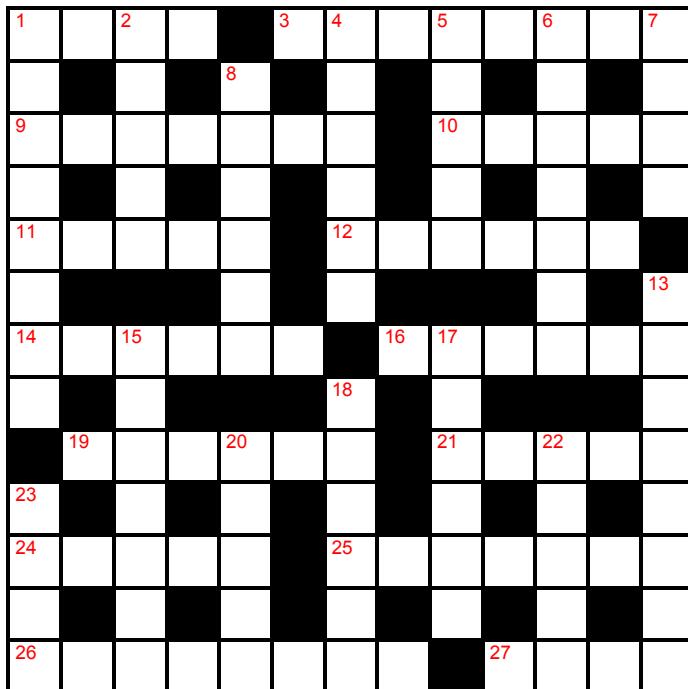


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Across

- 1 Exclamation of annoyance (4)
- 3 Two-winged insect whose female has a long proboscis to pierce the skin and suck the blood of humans and animals (8)
- 9 Fired clay object (7)
- 10 Place in a grave (5)
- 11 A set of cards used by fortunetellers (5)
- 12 Period of time during which glaciers covered a large part of the earth's surface (3,3)
- 14 Large oval melon-like tropical fruit with yellowish flesh (6)

16 Made or declared or believed to be holy (6)

19 Preserved in salt (6)

21 Heavy dull sound (5)

24 Make a record of (5)

25 A large hemispherical brass or copper percussion instrument (7)

26 A fundamental feeling that is hard to define but that people desire to experience (8)

27 At this place (4)

Down

1 A wide silvery adhesive tape intended to seal joints in sheet metal duct work but having

many other uses (4,4)

2 Frame on which clothes are aired or dried (5)

4 Flowering plant (6)

5 A quantity of paper; 24 or 25 sheets (5)

6 A number that is not a fraction (7)

7 Plant with finger-shaped pods (4)

8 Blacksmith's workplace (6)

13 Acquired as your own by free choice (8)

15 A fractional monetary unit in Egypt and Lebanon and Sudan and Syria (7)

17 A chronic, inflammatory lung disease characterized

by recurrent breathing problems (6)

18 Person who determines the final content of a text (6)

20 The conditions or requirements set forth in a credit contract or agreement (5)

22 An edict of the Russian tsar (5)

23 A short high tone produced as a signal or warning (4)