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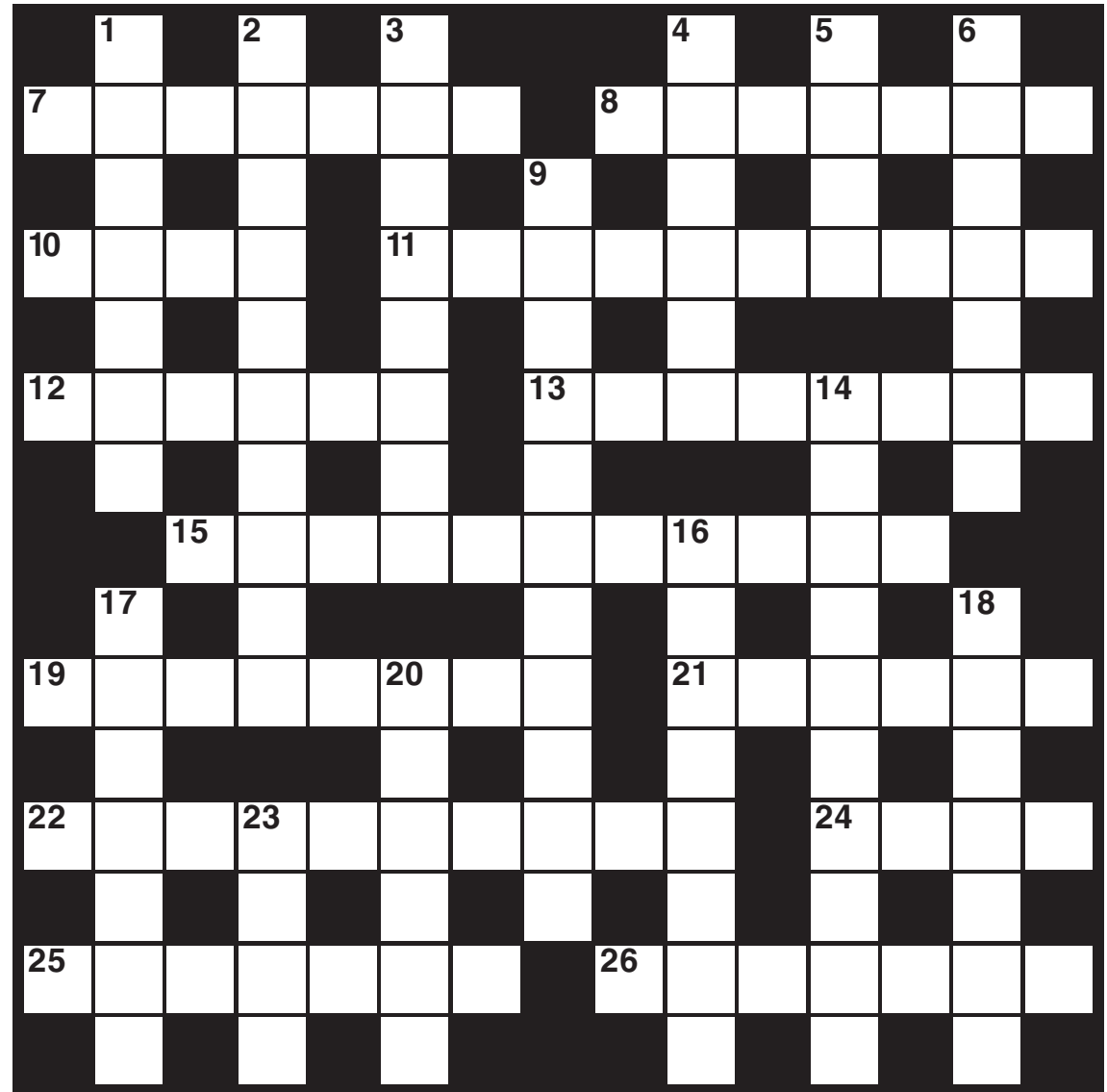
- 7 Flavourless popular drink I had (7)
- 8 Somehow bar acid from rum (7)
- 10 Extra amount left in stomach (4)
- 11 Equivalent to taking first insect quantity (10)
- 12 Cinema attendants drug dealers, though not initially (6)
- 13 Do better, having cast souls out! (8)
- 15 Agrees about awful mess in tax evaluations (11)
- 19 Obsequious behaviour to dismay terribly (8)
- 21 Agitated or rejected, second-hand (6)
- 22 Rowing team begin eating, then replace last hole (10)
- 24 Close-fisted approach (4)
- 25 Building agent loses Tory vehicle (7)
- 26 Invalidated necessity to carry tag back (7)

DOWN

- 1 Girl composer listened to shrink (7)
- 2 Upset, having had hair cut? (10)
- 3 Staid set cast out with repugnance (8)
- 4 North European when trapped by rock (6)
- 5 Nothing follows a month in this Irish county (4)
- 6 Not even the head displays a strange quality (7)
- 9 English sent modern form of approval (11)
- 14 Smash hit, annual one hidden from the Baltic (10)

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- 16 Ground that is right to be less refined (8)
- 17 Fancy clipping unruly patio by empty roadway (7)
- 18 Discusses arrangement of bed and seat (7)
- 20 Cold place for larynx, but not very old (6)
- 23 Go riding with journalist (4)