

ACROSS

- 7 Sulky, pensive (6)
 8 Prone (to) (6)
 9 Barely, just (4)
 10 Overtake (a runner) (3)
 11 Herb served with lamb (4)
 12 Imprison pending trial (6)
 14 Lump of gold (6)
 16 Coolness and poise (6)
 19 Desktop container (2-4)
 21 Lacking colour (4)
 23 Achieve first place (3)
 24 Adroit (4)
 25 Book user (6)
 26 Grievously sad (6)

DOWN

- 1 ___ Charming, panto character (6)
 2 Sly, wily (4)
 3 Membrane used for blinking (6)
 4 Shoe without laces (4-2)
 5 Healing ointment (4)
 6 Look briefly (6)
 13 Bother, hassle (3)
 15 Become or acquire (3)
 17 Package (6)
 18 Heed (6)
 19 Existing from birth (6)
 20 Matter, business (6)
 22 Soon-to-be flowers (4)
 24 Tiresome thing (4)

