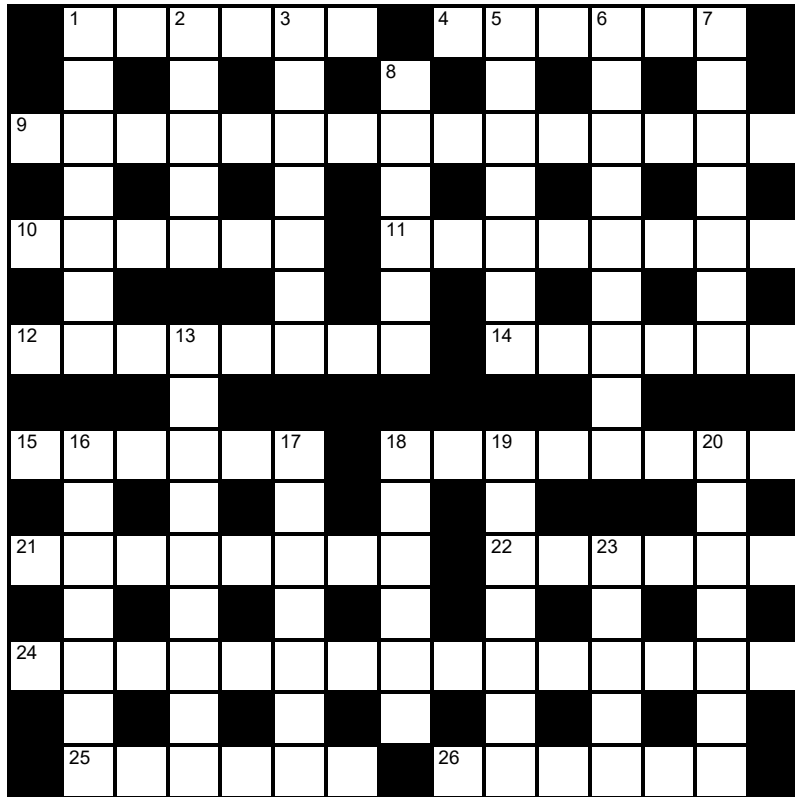


Windsurfer stirs with score in half



Across

- 1 Popular church following advert for William maybe (6)
- 4 Delivered fish of Russian player (6)
- 9 One of WW1 soldiers' policemen bottled, leaving base in disarray (3,12)
- 10 Ancient fort, self-contained in the past (6)
- 11 Doll is allowed to hearing in arts centre (8)
- 12 Posh close to Sherrin, that's not deserved (8)
- 14 Surprise as one conceals fall (6)
- 15 Aim for the top after advance (6)
- 18 Boxer given jail, note, in romantic port (8)
- 21 Number of prayers are able to delight when reading aloud (8)
- 22 Tax-collecting ladies unoccupied (6)
- 24 Guardian's view of one detail or supply line (9,6)
- 25 At first, lanyard that is half-stowed becomes mainly stationary (4,2)
- 26 Bird (rook perhaps) scratching the head after short caress (6)
- 5 A redcap, mounted, to look around Republican units (7)
- 6 Maria Piper lacks energy unfortunately as new mum (9)
- 7 Short book about number of smokers (just one) (7)
- 8 Sailor encased in stone found at the bottom of the ocean (6)
- 13 "Toilets are briefly out of order" reveals old teacher (9)
- 16 Shoe pinching top of calcaneus making black mark (7)
- 17 Former chancellor with report showing passage (7)
- 18 Ancient primate becomes a trainer maybe (6)

Down

- 19 Ordinary vicuna wandered without reference to something related (2,5)
- 20 Knight meant to train mobile soldiers (4,3)
- 23 Entertaining lecturer for months produces uncomfortable feeling (5)