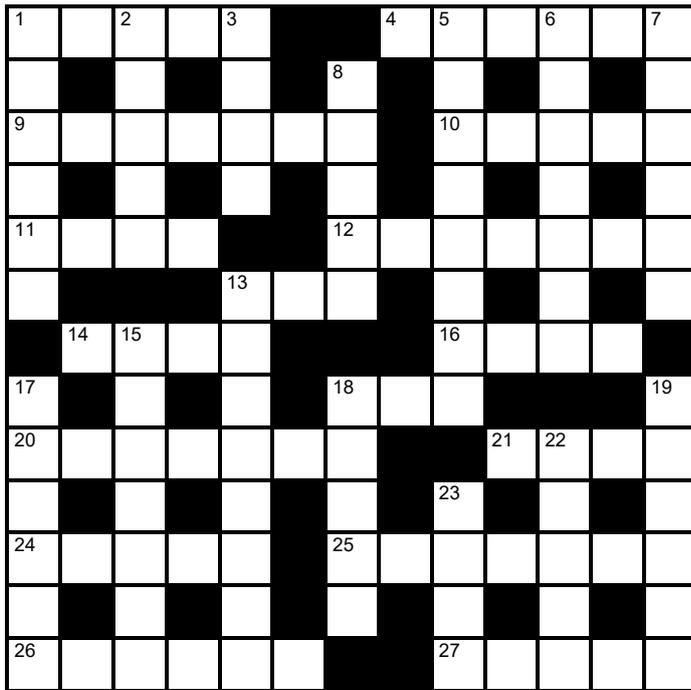


QUIZWORD 0078



Across

- 1** *Into The Valley*, in 1979, was the only British top 10 hit single for which British punk band? (5)
- 4** Which building materials are laid in alternating courses of stretchers and headers? (6)
- 9** Which US state is bordered by Tennessee to the north, Georgia to the east, Mississippi to the west and Florida to the south? (7)
- 10** Which musical note has the time value of half a whole note? (5)
- 11** In computing, what name is applied to a graphic symbol, usually a simple picture, that denotes a programme or a command or a data file or a concept in a graphical user interface? (4)
- 12** What name is given to plants that complete their entire life cycles within the space of a year? (7)
- 13/17** Melvin Kaminsky is the real name of which writer/producer who wrote and produced the films *Blazing Saddles*, *The Producers* and *Young*

Frankenstein? (3,6)

- 14** Which city is the capital of Western Samoa? (4)
- 16** Which city in northern India is the site of the Taj Mahal? (4)
- 18** What first name is shared by writer Fleming, politician Paisley and actor/knight McKellen? (3)
- 20** Ibrox Stadium is the home ground of which Scottish football team? (7)
- 21** Which island in Indonesia south of Borneo is one of the world's most densely populated regions? (4)
- 24** Which constellation on the equator east of Taurus contains the stars Betelgeuse and Rigel? (5)
- 25** Which pear-shaped tropical fruit has green or blackish skin and rich yellowish pulp enclosing a single large seed? (7)
- 26** In music, what name is given to an instrumental composition typically of three or four movements in contrasting forms and keys? (6)
- 27** Which word means an aggregate of 12 dozen things? (5)

Down

- 1** What is the name given to the crackling or hissing noise caused by electrical interference? (6)
- 2** In entomology, what name is applied to an insect in its final, adult, sexually mature, and typically winged state? (5)
- 3** What name is given to the scum formed by oxidation at the surface of molten metals? (4)
- 5** What nationality, by birth, was the former world number one tennis player Ilie Nastase? (8)
- 6** In classical mythology, which race of creatures fabled to be half man and half horse lived in the mountains of Thessaly? (7)
- 7** Which small turnover of Indian origin is filled with vegetables or meat, fried and served hot? (6)
- 8** In Islam, what name is given to the meat from animals that have been slaughtered in the prescribed way according to Sharia law? (5)
- 13** Which German-born painter was a co-founder of dadaism and developed the technique of collage?

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- 15** What name is given to a regular payment to a person that is intended to allow them to subsist without working? (7)
- 17** See 13 Across
- 18** According to the Old Testament, which son of Abraham and Sarah was offered by Abraham as a sacrifice to God? (5)
- 19** What is the surname of the actor who played the part of the *Six Million Dollar Man*, *Colonel Steve Austin*? (6)
- 22** From the Spanish for 'cottonwood', what was the name of 18th-century Franciscan mission in San Antonio, Texas, which was, in 1836, the site of a historic resistance effort by a small group of determined fighters for Texan independence from Mexico? (5)
- 23** Which percussion instrument consists of a metal plate that is struck with a soft-headed drumstick? (4)