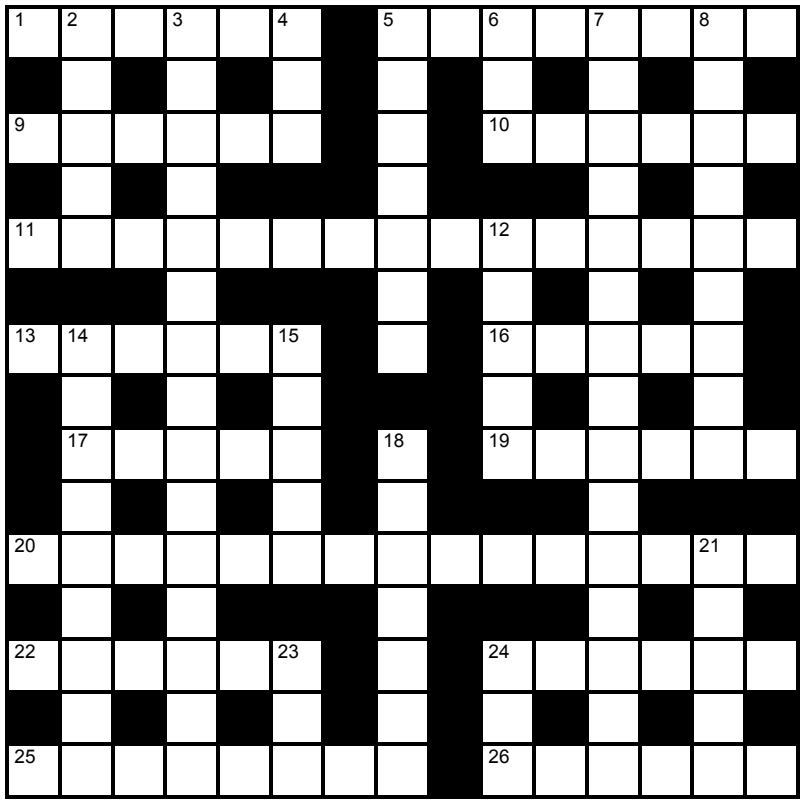

Across

1 Just a little, my dear Theophilus, not too much (6)

5 Stale pip liquidised to make soup (5-3)

9 Unmonitored, sodium carbonate goes off. It adds up (6)

10 Urge king to return for another (6)

11 Forbidden plane of consciousness (4,2,9)

13 Look at present and past play equipment (6)

16 One can go off these dreadful liars (5)

17 Memorial for little dog (5)

19 Youngster doesn't require directions to chew food (6)

20 Haven't I changed? Naughty, naughty man! (4,3,8)

22 Second visit east to see band (6)

24 Misleads starters: "Don't expect caviar on your salary" (6)

25 Worry about job in design (8)

26 Goodness me, I'm number one! (6)

Down

2 A day reserved for prayer and fasting from 4th of December onwards (5)

3 You don't have to be one to understand how to test no-stick rice mixture (6,9)

4 Odd hairs not belonging to 26 (3)

5 Family sheep turned around to find fellow traveller (7)

6 Easygoing Californian airport (3)

7 Ooo! Clowns, lions, acrobats, the lot! (5-4,6)

8 He imparts spirit and, strangely, is greener (9)

12 Long-winded, rowdy exchange (5)

14 Round it goes in Paris, former high point for the working man (9)

15 Chinatown, abandoned by NATO, bombed and used for airlift (5)

18 Change of plan around the rink (7)

21 Blowing off webs from Boyle's law, strange but true (5)

23 Pride in 26 (3)

24 Slow centreback (3)