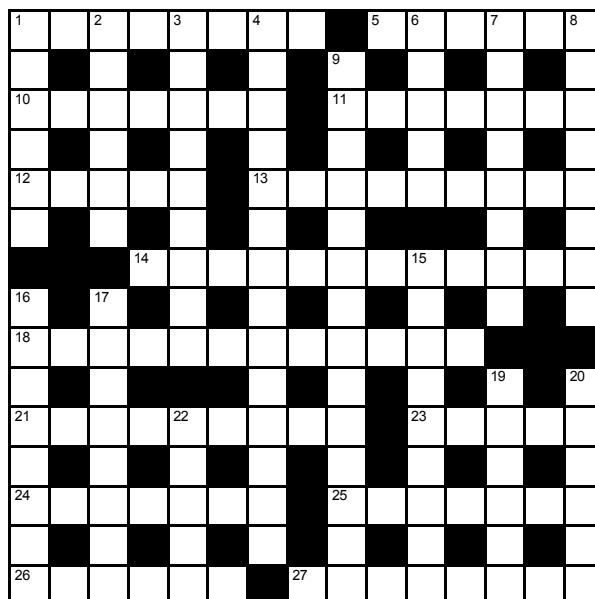


Across

- 1 Figures female fools? (8)
- 5 Company leaves *Bless This House* actress for higher ground (6)
- 10 Composer goes to court for a ruling (7)
- 11 Sardine turns from east to north and moves bowels (7)
- 12 Laced cocktail for clean cyclist (5)
- 13 Dads court: move muscles (9)
- 14 Mixed fortune: Arc de Triomphe for 12A/23A recently (4,2,6)
- 18 Pips indicate sorry malady (12)
- 21 Gadabout stirs skivvies' hearts in dilapidated Boat Inn (3,6)
- 23 Peron poles paramount pedal-pusher (5)
- 24 An ace, a six, a peak, an ace (7)
- 25 A king again turns and falls (7)
- 26 Dry taste inside bake (6)
- 27 Practise on a cortege conveyance? (8)



Down

- 1 Spot deputy counsel (6)
- 2 March past: ride without Dad (6)
- 3 Ugly troll bins failed plan (9)
- 4 Rainer rode tax, playing like a champion (14)
- 6 Dread swing, I see (I hear) (5)
- 7 Iron bear moving up, up and away (8)
- 8 Calamity: *Bless This House* actor up a daisy (8)
- 9 1500m? Ta! (6,8)
- 15 Snaps at retiree: come again? (9)
- 16 Left fat pig inside (8)
- 17 Engage a place for roasting marshmallows (4,4)
- 19 Sounds an odd marketplace (6)
- 20 The internet community? (6)
- 22 Bury the bottomless doctor (5)