

Across

- 1Picture postcard riverside village along the Dordogne river with tropical banana plants and palm trees; orage claquage (anagram) (2,5-6)
- **5**Raise your verre to make a toast (eng) (5)
- 7Oil with a nutty quality used in cooking (eng) (6)
- 8How many cents make a euro? (fr) (4)
- **9**The place to buy your viande; (fr) (9)
- 11At which station was France's biggest train robbery in 1944 (carried out by the resistance)? (6,4)
- **14**If food is too sale it is inedible (eng) (5)

- 18Un ... au feu; a winter warming meat dish (fr) (3)
- 19This town (Upper Périgord) is famous for its knives which have boxwood handles (7)
- 22Maintenant; présentement; aujourd'hui (eng) (3)
- 23The best prunes in France are grown here (4)
- **24**Drink usually served before dinner (8)
- **25**The go?t of your food will determine how good it is (5)
- 26A furry burrower (garden pest)(fr); brown (eng) (5)

Down

- 2A white wine produced in the Bergerac AOC region; a wine grape variety; a small flower design (7)
- 3Pamplemousse is a fruit often eaten for breakfast (eng) (10)
- **4**Piece of cutlery (fr) (7)
- 6Sauce made of garlic and olive oil used as a sauce for fish (fr) (5)
- **8**Salted cabillaud becomes morue (eng) (3)
- 10Just another dent in the wheel; une personne insignificante (eng)
 (3)
- 12The english abbreviation for taxe sur la valeur ajoutée; a large container (eng) (3)

- **13**Popeye's favourite vegetable (fr) (7)
- 14Roderick David (born in London) used to have a house in the Dordogne, he had various hits including Maggie May (7)
- 15The best things in life are free; indépendant (fr) (5)
- **16**Cèpe mushrooms (7)
- 17Famous truffle market in January for gastronomes where you can find out about the "black diamond" truffle at the museum; grosse (anagram) (6)
- **20**Without épice your food is likely to taste bland (eng) (5)
- 21The devil lives in a place on fire (fr) (5)