For each clue, an anagram of the solution should be entered into the grid in place of the solution itself. Both the solution and its anagram are single words which appear in any standard English dictionary. NB: Certain solutions have multiple possible anagrams, e.g. if the solution to the clue is 'PROSE', the word to enter into the grid could be 'POSER', 'ROPES', 'PORES' or 'SPORE'.

The Secret of the Naga's Arm

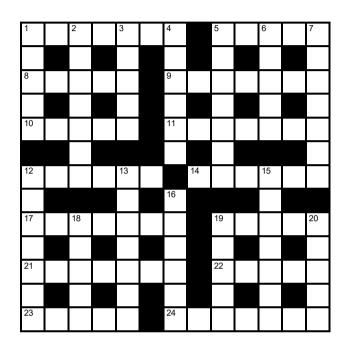
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Across

- 1 Late princess has moderate illness (7)
- **5** Wraps strips around the tail (5)
- 8 Play the ball or wait? (5)
- **9** I left entrails scattered around beastly headgear (7)
- **10** Alternatively gird with trendy silver-lead beams (5)
- 11 Dangers of heartbreak for vacant teenagers (7)
- 12 Lets political leader walk away from contents (6)
- 14 Broadcasts the first of six tape recordings addressing multiple points (6)
- 17 Show genuine coverage of jerk doing a Uturn (7)
- **19** Will everybody be quiet to start with? (5)
- **21** Winter rainfall embraces the land (7)
- 22 Do away with Cockney woman's proviso (5)
- 23 Draw around footprint (5)
- 24 Quietly promoted and commended (7)

Down

- 1 Some start to follow ever-changing shifts (5)
- **2** Following is in a clique (7)
- **3** Away team must meet Austria to start with (5)
- 4 Understand that your introductions must be cordial (6)
- 5 The original argument for back-stabbing? (7)
- **6** Holiday opportunity (5)
- 7 Rest's disturbed by heartless Somali relatives (7)



- **12** Continue going over chapter that is frilly in the extreme (7)
- **13** No talking as central characters from Glee come in (7)
- **15** Concerning an archive of Balzac, Tolstoy or Henry James, perhaps (7)
- 16 When wrapped around lard stuffing, venison becomes sweeter (6)
- **18** A touching overture to revoultionary tune (Chambers) (5)
- **19** Tough and sticky ending for the man who gave us Tess (5)
- 20 Blushes in the middle of electro sessions (5)