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Across

- 1 Launched in October 1957, "___ 1" was the name of the first artificial Earth satellite. (7)
- 5 Used as a given name or a surname, this name has Scottish origins and derives from a Gaelic word meaning "rock". (5)
- 8 This port city in northern Belgium has long been a centre for the diamond industry. (7)
- Relating to or employed 9 in the transmission, reception, or reproduction of sound. (5)
- 10/14 American actress who has won three Oscars, for her work in Kramer vs. Kramer, Sophie's Choice, and The Iron Lady. (5,6)
- 11 A bacterial infection also known as lockjaw. (7)
- 12 On 1 November 1944, over 800 refugees arrived in Wellington (NZ), seeking safety from war-torn

Europe. (6)

- 14 See 10
- 17/23A celestial event in which the moon obscures most but not all of disc of the sun, leaving ring of sunlight surrounding the shadow of the moon. (7,7)
- 19 The lower edge or edges of a roof, usually projecting beyond the sides of a building. (5)
- 22 NZ theologian Sir Geering, now aged 106, faced charges of heresy in 1967 for his teachings about the Christian Bible. (5)

23 See 17

- 24 British slang for a police patrol car. (5)
- 25 Wellington's Theatre is the only custom-built 1920s cinema still in use in New Zealand. (7)

Down

- 1 An involuntary muscular contraction, especially one resulting in cramp or convulsion. (5)
- 2 Articulate, either verbally or with a cry, shout, or noise. (5)
- 3 Thin, hard, pointed leaves such as those found on a pine or fir tree. (7)
- 4/5 This North Island district is home to a string of towns on SH1, including Paraparaumu, Ōtaki and Waikanae. (6,5)
 - 6 This Italian expression refers to pasta that is cooked so as to be firm to the bite. (2,5)
- 7 In the P.G. Wodehouse Jeeves stories, Bertie twice becomes engaged to Honoria _____. (7)
- **12** On 4 November 1930, this NZ-bred horse won the Melbourne Cup. (4,3)
- 13 The 16th president of the United States, who served from 1861 until his assassination in 1865. (7)
- 15 This 1958 movie about a

carnivorous amoeboidal alien that crashed to Earth starred Steve McQueen in his first leading role. (3,4)

- **16** English author *Graham* is regarded as one of the leading novelists of the 20th century, exploring the ambivalent moral and political issues of the modern world. (6)
- **18** This ancient kingdom was situated in the west of Asia Minor, in modernday Turkey. (5)
- 20 Breathes in flavoured steam containing nicotine from a device such as an electronic cigarette. (5)
- 21 If a person feels this they feel physically run-down, unwell, or low in spirit. (5)