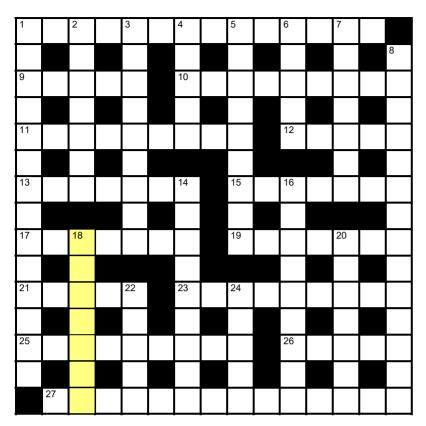
Mark's Crossword



Across

- 1 Occasional dressing of scar, cure near, by treatment (9,5)
- 9 A survey is essential in fair economy (5)
- 10 Tweets first note to make a little progress (9)
- 11 Guardian shows damage of our sphere (9)
- 12 Lowest sounds let out (5)
- **13** Wonders about canal banks and barges (7)
- **15** Silly endless expression, a peculiar habit (7)
- **17** Disputes at the conference centre are less frequent (7)
- **19** Trace of shimmer (7)
- **21** Missile for a Central America battle (5)
- 23 Tablets for former

ailments containing illegal stimulant (9)

- 25 She wore it differently, in another way (9)
- **26** Bag with married symbol (5)
- **27** Utter oldest vow to exchange presents on Stephens day (3,6,5)

Down

- 1 Star choir's calm performing of work (9,5)
- **2** Permits shoulders (7)
- 3 Subsidises riverside lunches (9)
- 4 Old school tough guy in the street is bad news (5)
- 5 Shout attributable to getting old (9)
- 6 Bad leaders always wish for undeserved loyalty (5)

- 7 Insider criminal has good manners (7)
- 8 Song with special wish charts in time (5,9)
- 14 In the breakdown, prop tries to be more hostile (9)
- 16 Begun to be accepted (9)
- **18** Broadcasts approach to in-flight entertainment (3,4)
- **20** White Russian cocktail (7)
- **22** Poorest terrace back street (5)
- 24 Amount to streak (5)