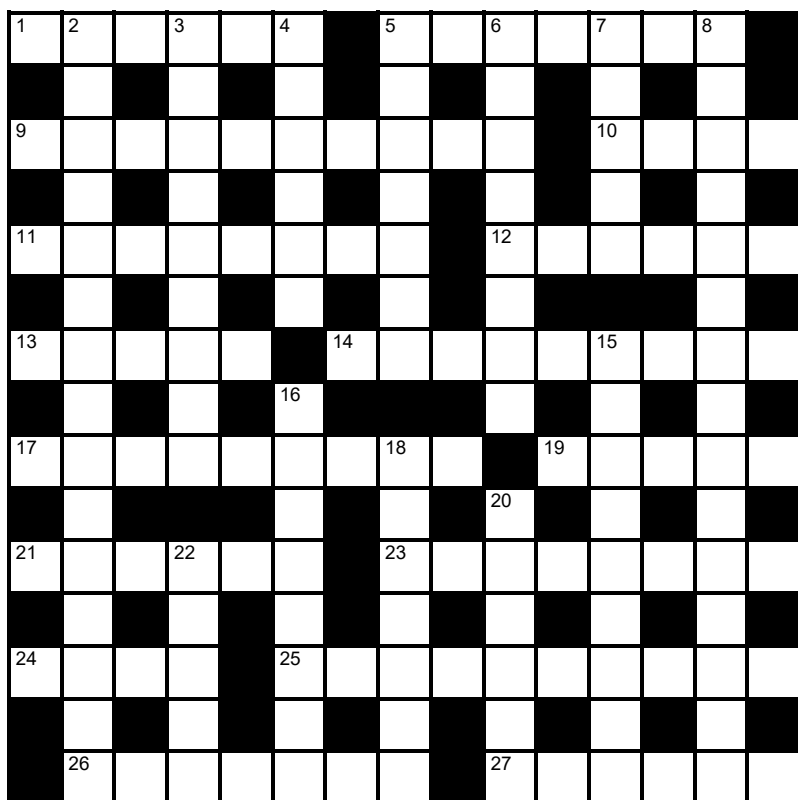


Crossword #20



Across

- 1 Cycling labyrinth, following European Commission's condition (6)
- 5 Marked Disney villain visibly ashamed (7)
- 9 It makes wrapper? *Bon!* (5,5)
- 10 Secret agent's tie (4)
- 11 Licks her into shape like Bob Cratchit, perhaps (8)
- 12 *Big Country* California has nothing on (6)
- 13 Supplement's from a couple of folios to nine (5)
- 14 Large growth in cost to straighten backbone (5,4)
- 17 When to get gifts of shirts and mac, unexpectedly (9)
- 19 I'm nothing – an upset character in the Bible (5)
- 21 Yearn to follow alumnus' description of quadrangle (6)
- 23 One working looks cautiously around for leaders (8)
- 24 Somewhat camp lothario's secret scheme (4)
- 25 New Australian winter festivity (10)
- 26 10 villains seen in 20 stories? (7)
- 27 Narrowly observed queen's returning overnight flight (3-3)

Down

- 2 Standard of doctor Lorca, frequently the man with some Scotch whisky (5,2,3,5)
- 3 Ruler redrafted wide radii (6,3)
- 4 Domestic abuse's origin at university, to publicly acknowledge (2,4)
- 5 In South Carolina, a couple of pages start to honour one lesbian (7)
- 6 Riot Act revised before year's first heinous crime (8)
- 7 Hood, say, to steal from the fashionable (5)
- 8 I left, hugged by happy drunk, after loud argument heard on high around 17 (4,4,7)
- 15 This shows a diner the right spot where to find king or queen ousting a witty character (5,4)
- 16 Steps over alien to get scenery and props (5,3)
- 18 A parliamentarian's on top of universal support for one with severe injury (7)
- 20 Dread either character from personnel dept meeting soldiers (6)
- 22 Unconventional learning institution started disregarding the odds (5)