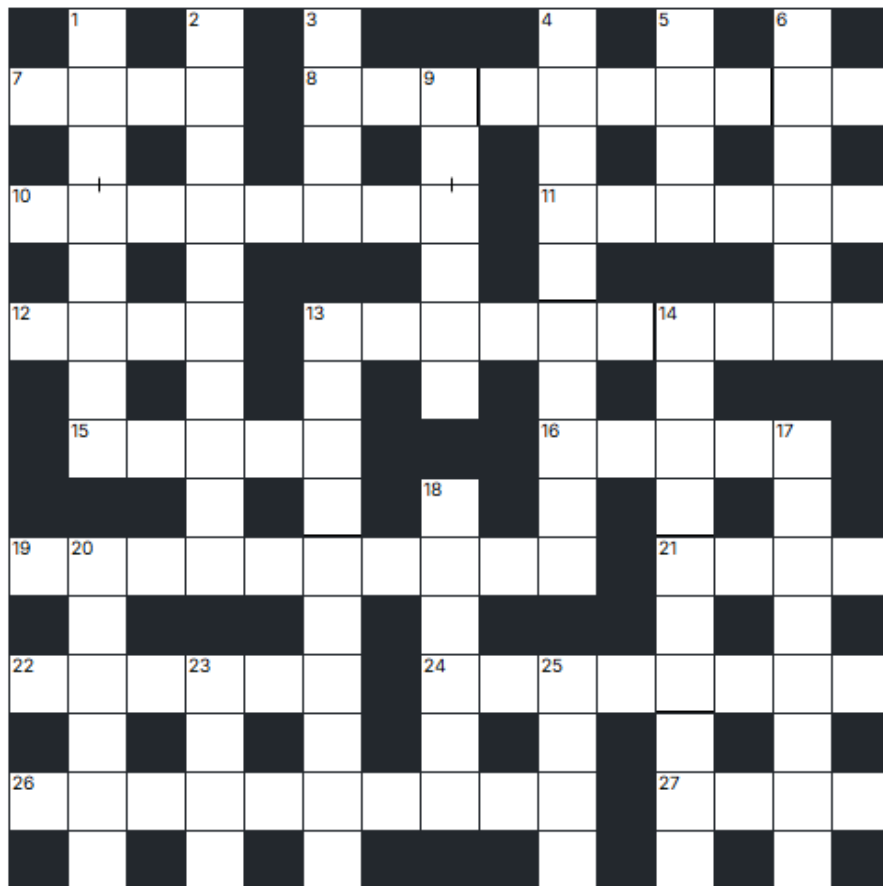


## Special

### Instructions:

To support your solve, this puzzle includes a classic British film's:

- ☐ title
- ☐ writer
- ☐ director
- ☐ lead actors
- ☐ and source material
- ☐ along with a memorable line of dialogue.



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### Across

- 7 Boo-boo? Yep, on vacation slicing tomato when exhausted (4)
- 8 Representatives such as Rocky ok with filth, see? (3,5,2)
- 10 In distress, tiny tailless choir of birds (8)
- 11 Endless gratitude to friend essentially providing nose rag (6)
- 12 Financial market regularly tense: yen backsliding (4)
- 13 Eel, following boy's lead, advanced near grandma with papa chasing yellowjacket? (6,4)
- 15 Nullify rule in facility (5)
- 16 Chase away salesman, rejecting terms of legal loophole (5)
- 19 Oddball enters wearing departed's Māori jade (10)
- 21 Unwrapped ACME's variety of beans (4)
- 22 Nag Miss Lee interminably (6)
- 24 Tolerable Roman mainly coming back for sweet sherries (8)
- 26 Extraordinary life detour defines ballplayer (10)
- 27 Risk undressing? Nice at first; in the end it ain't (4)

### Down

- 1 Dewy web periodically gathered frost, wood and ... food? (3-5)
- 2 Cry out to Celia, gutted, if ever struggling (10)
- 3 Get topless and groove (4)
- 4 She'll relieve you in the dark and barely clutch beneath the head (5,5)
- 5 Pick up missing debut from German director (4)
- 6 Symbolically, I eat with cow (6)
- 9 Some Libs freed criminals (2-4)
- 13 Live a little eccentrically facing loud critique as one held to the fire, say (4,6)
- 14 His Holiness, Pele, beginning to organize team into position (4,3,3)
- 17 *Still Life*, primarily capturing a mop with no changes, sent up in parodies (8)
- 18 Howard gets cast initially to play *husband's* part for larger-than-life playwright (6)
- 20 Not entirely true? Full-stop: Sorry. (6)
- 23 Idolize heartless rebel (4)
- 25 Frog recalled boxing hideous giant (4)