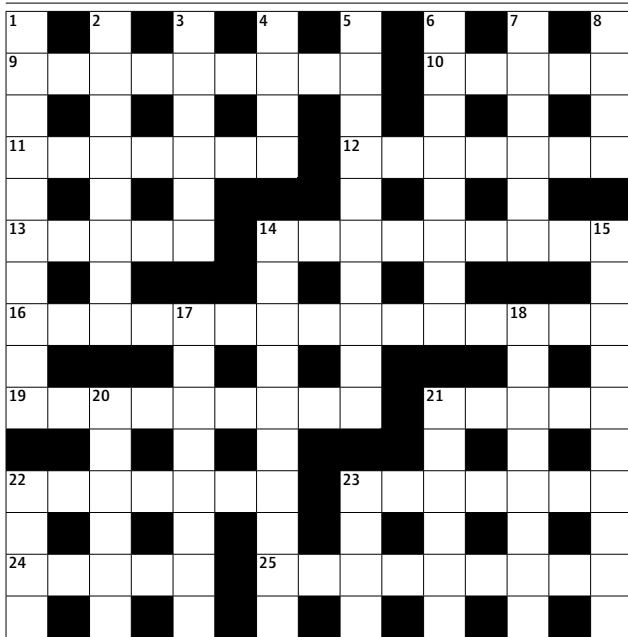


Guardian cryptic crossword



No 25,800 set by Puck

Across

- 9** Supply dongle to look at duck (9)
10 Boy on deserted island with a record in right hand (5)
11 Fertiliser from scruffy old man filmed in 4 25 street (7)
12 See 20
13 Very much disadvantaged neonatally, keeps going 4 (2,3)
14 Reportedly have no money invested in label producing baby food (9)
16 A rabble run right round small part of 4 25 (7,8)
19 Holding degree given by university, cuts pack? (3,6)
21 Element briefly found in two bits of 16 part 1 produced without love (5)
22 Revolutionary rhyme mainly penned by fat cat (7)
23 Type of 16 part 2 with a right angle in view? (7)
24 Dull and not 1, his subject (5)
25 See 4

Down

- 1** Selfish Englishman beginning to rant about senior officer in charge (10)
2 Way of serving food – for starters, always using lit torch (8)
3 Barren part of the 4 12, deprived of name and identity (6)
4,25 County of East Sussex – thereabouts yeomen

primarily got into work by horse (4,9)

- 5** US volunteers exercise a church body 13 (5,5)
6 Fuss from supporter about where French hotel has fallen short (8)
7 Muscles used in playing lute, initially (6)
8 Part of what's expressed while 14 across women dance (4)
14 Productive periods at end of term? Party times for some! (6,4)
15 Bergen deployment with flyer not initially going commando (5,5)
17 Extraordinary charisma in outmoded form (8)
18 Irish girl has to pull up a flower (8)
20,12 Boycott injured, with runner in place in 4 25 (6,7)
21 Stew last bit of 16 part 1 produce (6)
22 A 20 cut up fruit (4)
23 Half of Ilkley looked for broadcast (4)

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