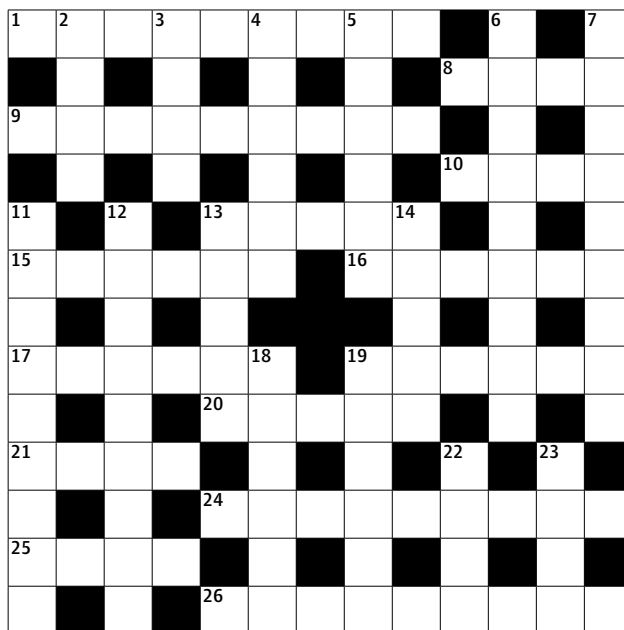


## Quick crossword no 12,625



### Across

- 1** Ruthlessness (9)  
**8** Team game played with horses (4)  
**9** Roman toys (anag) (9)  
**10** Rotate (4)  
**13** Small oar (5)  
**15** With serenity (6)  
**16** Capital of Taiwan (6)  
**17** State of well-being (6)  
**19** Burn slightly (6)  
**20** Open land with scrubby vegetation (5)  
**21** Quote as evidence (4)  
**24** Free (2,7)  
**25** Gain by labour (4)  
**26** First version (of a device) built for development (9)

- 13** One of the seven deadly sins (5)  
**14** Deciduous conifer (5)  
**18** Bully – Trojan warrior (6)  
**19** Rigorous (6)  
**22** Portable shelter (4)  
**23** Pace (4)

### Down

- 2** Bread baked for babies (4)  
**3** (The) horse-racing (world) (4)  
**4** Extreme folly (6)  
**5** Violent disturbance (6)  
**6** Melodramatic TV serial (4,5)  
**7** Blatant (9)  
**11** Team game played with long sticks (3,6)  
**12** Fool Tracy (anag) – relating to the sense of smell (9)

### Solution no 12,624

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