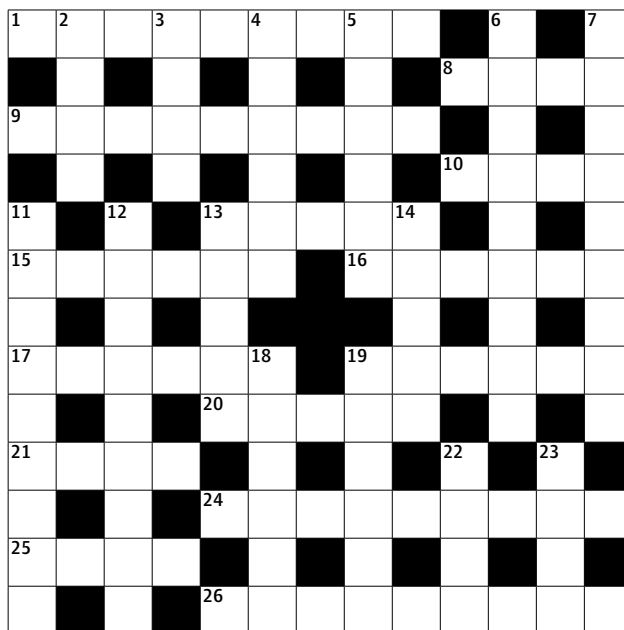


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Across

- 1 Largest city in Alaska (9)
- 8 Warning cry on a golf course (4)
- 9 Support financially (9)
- 10 College teaching practical skills (informal) (4)
- 13 14 Italian city (5)
- 15 Extremely funny entertainer (6)
- 16 Fertilising powder from plants (6)
- 17 Relating to horses (6)
- 19 Attack from low-flying aircraft (6)
- 20 Veracity (5)
- 21 Chore (4)
- 24 Spiteful (9)
- 25 Meat from a calf (4)
- 26 Servant (9)

Down

- 2 Part of speech (4)
- 3 Flexible pipe (4)
- 4 Ra (atomic number 88) (6)
- 5 Scandalous rumour (6)
- 6 Own up (informal) (4,5)
- 7 (Caught) in the act of committing a crime (3-6)
- 11 Forceful (9)
- 12 Items collected by a bride for her marriage (9)

- 13 Adulterate (5)
- 14 One of four bridge players (5)
- 18 Wayward – ranter (anag) (6)
- 19 Make every effort (6)
- 22 Benevolent – sort (4)
- 23 Scorch – stream (4)

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