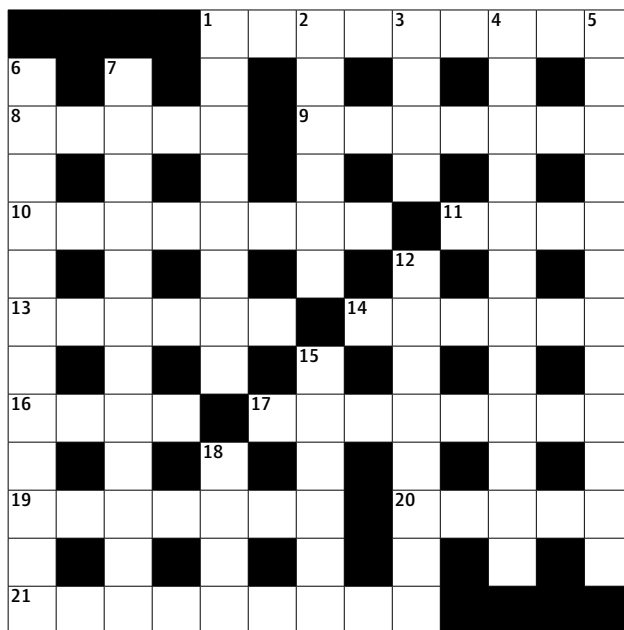


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Across

- 1** Early years (9)
8 Giving out a steady light (5)
9 Surgical pincers? (7)
10 Wanting (8)
11 English architect, d. 1723 (4)
13 Continue to annoy (6)
14 Fencing call (6)
16 Bound along (4)
17 South American bird with loud, harsh cry (8)
19 Islamic state (7)
20 Edouard __, painted *Déjeuner sur l'herbe*, d. 1883 (5)
21 In the red (9)

- 12** Scary personification? (8)
15 Skin complaint (6)
18 Beach grains (4)

Down

- 1** Yellow (8)
2 Arrival in large numbers (6)
3 Black, perhaps – night (4)
4 Very basic obsession? (3-5,4)
5 Go to pieces (12)
6 Bullfighter who uses darts (12)
7 Value of a stockmarket share at the end of a day (7,5)

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