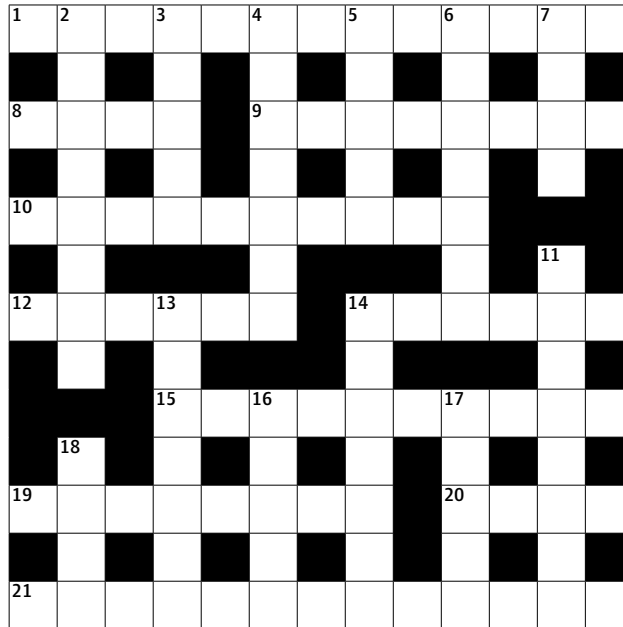


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Across

- 1 Creative freedom for writer or artist (6,7)
 8 Undershirt (4)
 9 Brief evocative description (8)
 10 Wind speed gauge (10)
 12 Without success (2,4)
 14 Bowler's appeal (6)
 15 Child secretly exchanged for another in infancy (10)
 19 Skive by pretending to be ill (8)
 20 Jump – dollar – male deer (4)
 21 Place in which to be in ecstasy? (7,6)

- 14 English painter and engraver, 1697-1764 (7)
 16 Acute but unspecified feeling of worry (5)
 17 North African country (5)
 18 Musical – stardom (4)

Down

- 2 Direct relationship between just two people (3-2-3)
 3 Almost blind American jazz pianist Art, d. 1956 (5)
 4 Uncivilised chap (7)
 5 Block of metal (5)
 6 Arched line of facial hair (7)
 7 Pigeon shelter (4)
 11 Marine crustacean – European goose (8)
 13 Attribute (7)

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