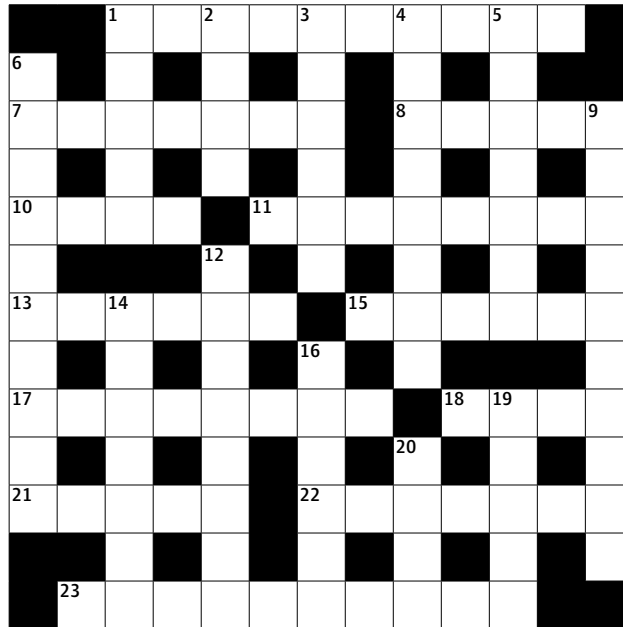


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Across

- 1 Arranged in categories (10)
 7 Heavy silk fabric with a raised design (7)
 8 The way things are going? (5)
 10 Immense (4)
 11 Downward movement under the force of gravity (4,4)
 13 Drilling (6)
 15 Solemn promise (6)
 17 Responded (8)
 18 Region (4)
 21 Desiccated (5)
 22 Advantage (7)
 23 Circus compere (10)

Down

- 1 Christian symbol (5)
 2 Man on the ceiling of the Sistine Chapel (4)
 3 False attacks on someone's good name (6)
 4 Paternal (8)
 5 Precious stone (7)
 6 On the level (5,5)
 9 Soft Italian cheese (10)
 12 Grounded (anag) (8)

- 14 William Tell composer (7)
 16 Country formerly part of Yugoslavia (6)
 19 Cite (5)
 20 Building block (4)

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