EVERYMAN CROSSWORD NO 3451

ACROSS

- **1** Cheerful bishop's flexible (6)
- **4** Get down to nudism, astonishingly (8)
- 9 Liqueur price list outrageous – expensive, ultimately, for one (6,3)
- **11** English textile town, to the west a university (5)
- **12** Against carrying on, old Italian chap (7)
- **13** Recall one hundred odd swallowing drop of special medicine? (7)
- 14 E.g. neck ends? (5,6)
- **16** Exactly how rent is paid? (2,3,6)
- **20** Note journalists keep back (7)
- **21** A group working in desert (7)
- **23** Model, keeping one's balance (5)
- 24 Dissolute peer loves to get up late? (9)
- 25 A boozy bender touring eastern city up north (8)26 Gambler in cap (6)

DOWN

- 1 Comic strip character, a valet (6)
- **2** Stupid, one point put about one in charge (7)
- ${\bf 3}$ Girl's broken heel close to

pavilion (5)

- 5 Behind bars having committed swindle – judge intolerant (13)
- 6 Rough and ready model needing dress (9)
- **7** Excavate part of chateau near there (7)
- ${\bf 8} \ {\rm Louise's \, partner \, playing}$

Hamlet (6)

- **10** Area in which pollution is controlled, not good for the kipper house? (9,4)
- **15** Recovering, continuously ingesting them (2,3,4)
- 16 Leader in Premiership, a cut above the others? (7)17 Flush? Reportedly posted

a trivial amount of

- money (3,4)
- **18** Doctor's entertaining chat over a brandy (6)
- **19** Even row about card game (2,1,3)
- 22 Some Beaujolais left in passageway (5)

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Everyman No. 3449 winners

