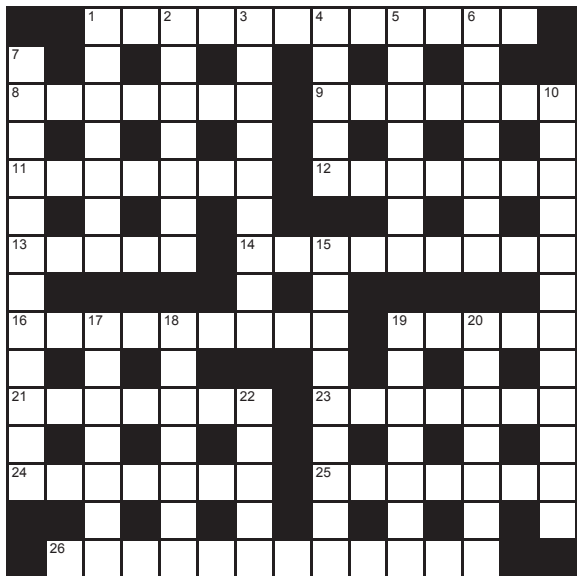


CROSSWORD

No. 14,143 Set by CINEPHILE



JOTTER PAD



ACROSS

- 1 Transporter of love by cornet, possibly (8,4)
- 8 Wrong sort of trading in liquor, say (7)
- 9 Small house available without lease for French novelist (7)
- 11 At leisure and no longer available for tax (3,4)
- 12 Spread out at speed and help to get back in (7)
- 13 Is it possible for journalist to be given the stick? (5)
- 14 Unhealthy (say) friend breaking the rules (9)
- 16 Lend coach out to council town, an endless gem (9)
- 19 Dresser in two generations (5)
- 21 Accidental encounter of a French setter and an insect (7)
- 23 Benefit of distance and time (7)
- 24 Model for painting permitted a single pastry (7)
- 25 Disorderly Olympic destination to the British (7)
- 26 Scene of witches initiating Berners Lee as premier (7,5)

DOWN

- 1, 22 Opera firm's baby, dropping pole, almost complete (4,3,5)
- 2 Retreat back with some lucky numbers: his followers had a smashing time. (3,4)
- 3 Vermicidal satellite (5,4)

- 4 Prize for stretch limo, perhaps (5)
- 5 Clip for a friend (7)
- 6 Drop left out completely (3,4)
- 7 Splitter on October 1st, curved or otherwise (7,5)
- 10 Always those fish point to the rest of the world (8,4)
- 15 Military exploit delaying All Fools' Day? (4,5)
- 17 Officer doing 500 miles in sea (7)
- 18 Wine is less than tea and less than happiness (7)
- 19 Country with a large number of stale eggs (7)
- 20 Scottish water beast with local expression (3,4)
- 22 See 1 down

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