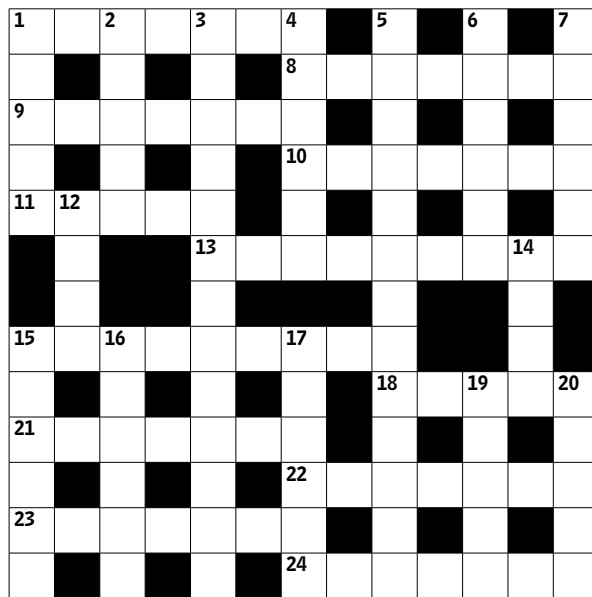


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ACROSS

- 1 Understatement (7)
- 8 Emerge (7)
- 9 Cure for all ills (7)
- 10 Kitchen sideboard (7)
- 11 Boredom (5)
- 13 Terrifying experience (9)
- 15 Swear (9)
- 18 Hobo (5)
- 21 Support point for lever (7)
- 22 Cutting tooth (7)
- 23 Intermediary (7)
- 24 Blot out (7)

DOWN

- 1 Failing (5)
- 2 Tongue of wood for joint (5)
- 3 Admission of cliché use (2,4,1,6)
- 4 Old salt (3,3)
- 5 (Word or phrase) in brackets (13)
- 6 Billiousness (6)
- 7 Edict (6)
- 12 Invalid (4)
- 14 500 sheets of paper (4)
- 15 Flummox (6)
- 16 In circulation (6)
- 17 White fur (6)
- 19 Fabulist (5)
- 20 Analyse grammatically (5)