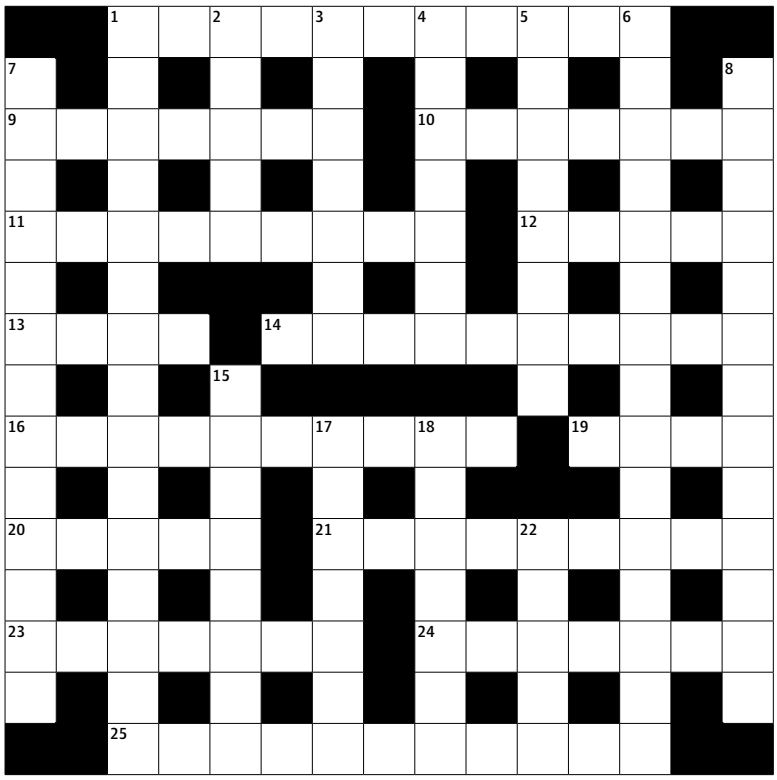
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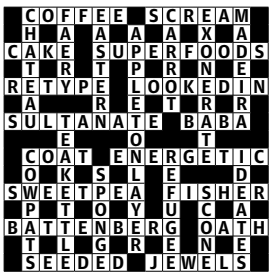
Across

1 Resistant to changing it, bar I am an expert in (6-5)
9 Cleared by air defence after skirmish, and OK to travel? (3-4)
10 *One* drug troublingly Tennyson's reward? (7)
11 Essential for dress colours on outside of uniform? (9)
12 In Exodus, perhaps, you'll have run through a crowd (5)
13 Gold in reserve not often spherical (4)
14 Frantically rang about empty domicile, having been let down - one such? (6,4)
16 Who say, in fancy dress: 'Can I go as me?' (10)
19 Identified with a circle, called, spoke (4)
20 Absolute idealist turned on by Man (5)
21 What might be refused by statesmen? (5,4)
23 Controversial claim about Glastonbury? One puts the music down (7)
24 Tortoises originally used to supply cover for Roman soldiers (7)
25 Cashier's wound dressed with fine designer cravat? (11)

Down

1 See 7
2 Lesson in speaking presided over by master (5)
3 Upcoming party to start celebrating Agamemnon's daughter (7)
4 Babe's grub mixed up? Tucking in, girlfriend beginning to eructate (7)
5 Open a suggestion (8)
6/8 It's mobilised for deviation and alien subterfuge around America (7,6,2,13)
7/1 Fancy item of jazz memorabilia on *Antiques Roadshow*, maybe not particularly presentable? (4,9,3,3,7,2)
8 See 6
15 With Grace to summon up, ducking delivery? (8)
17 Slimmers enjoy taking dip (7)
18 Such parts this catastrophic? (7)
22 Selection of exotic cakes along the way gets us high (5)

Solution No. 30,055



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