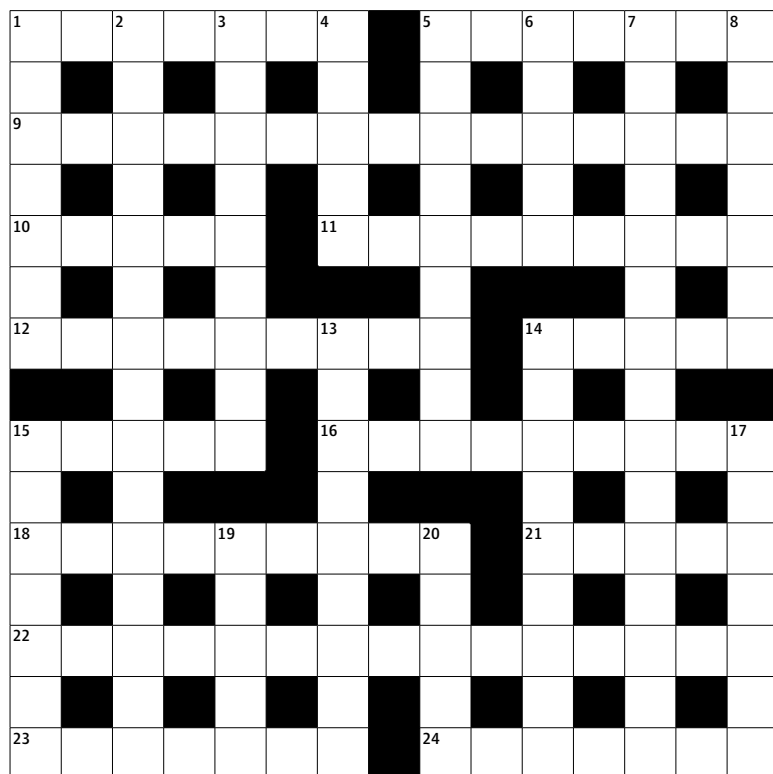


Guardian cryptic crossword No 30,138 set by Kite



Across

- 1 Describe artist engaged in painting in Newcastle? (7)
- 5 Henry's business delivered foodstuff (7)
- 9 Tam's Irish greeting? (3,2,3,7)
- 10 Third dance, perhaps it's a trap (5)
- 11 Most cold sauce ingredients initially tasty (9)
- 12 Dictator's letter writing that's more intense (9)
- 14 English family houses spotless (5)
- 15 Entrepreneur Bill upset agribusiness, returned feeds (5)
- 16 Minister's housing saint, pagan or English rogue (9)
- 18 King out of uniform is welcoming sex that produces swelling and stiffness (9)
- 21 That woman detective takes off (5)
- 22 Pass on Monopoly? (4,3,4,4)
- 23 State bay is a disappointment (7)
- 24 Short prophet after tip-off played with dog (7)

Down

- 1 Remarked such a cake is unprepared (7)
- 2 Blessed priests venerate MPs maybe (15)
- 3 Terrible state of justice after beheading (9)
- 4 Nietzsche's final, brief broad

principle (5)

- 5 Unusually large one, drone a US hit (9)
- 6 Two rivers in the country (5)
- 7 Why eat anise cake confection in food parcel? (7,8)
- 8 Eastern country unit reported to be tense (7)
- 13 Irritable setter's one found in hospital (9)
- 14 Spanner from Ford and BMW not English, right? (5-4)
- 15 Immature girl wearing good, short dress in Northern city (7)
- 17 Tested article by journalist (7)
- 19 Old, half-hearted rotter disgruntled (5)
- 20 Studies about investing in tins (5)

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F N C I O E U
LOVAGE GLOATING
N T G D I D
INHERITED SCORN
O C R U U E
WOMBAT UNCLAD
W I C P A A
ECLAIR RUBRIC
A L D F N R
CREST LADIESMEN
E T U L S W
ESPOUSAL HEIFER
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