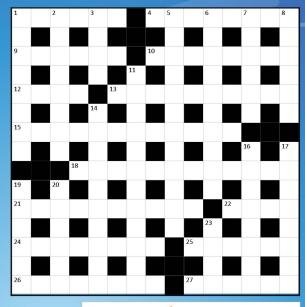
## CROSSWORD PUZZLE

## **Across**

- 1 talented
- 4 careful and persevering
- 9 sea nymph
- **10** opera introduction
- **12** Catalan artist
- 13 afraid
- **15** decompose
- 18 excessive (prices)
- **21** rare
- **22** one of four Holy Roman emperors
- 24 kind of power
- 25 'The Aloha State'
- **26** flexible
- 27 e.g.: Madame Tussauds

## Down

- 1 largest of Jupiter's satellites
- 2 fort
- **3** guitarist \_\_\_\_Clapton
- **5** energizing
- 6 pique
- **7** of a horse
- 8 in, smart
- 11 indecision
- 14 unforeseen
- **16** capital of the Vandal Kingdom
- **17** doctrine of pleasure
- **19** well-timed
- 20 weak, decadent
- 23 bird endemic to New Caledonia



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