

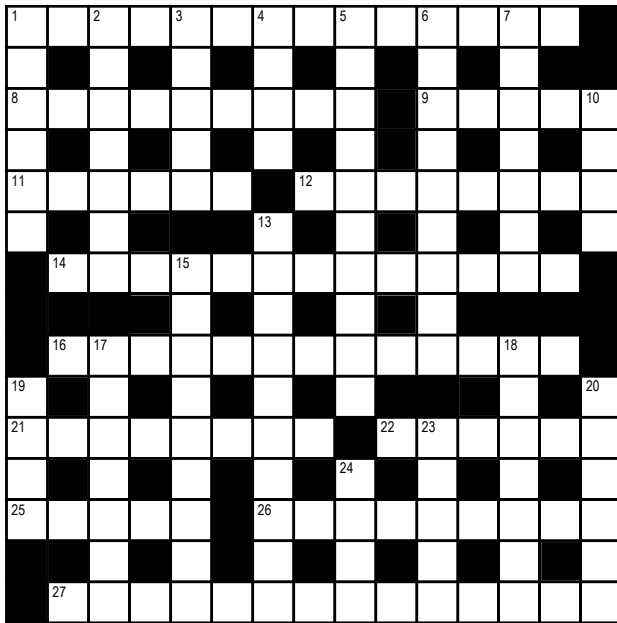


## One Two

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**Bonus Questions:** 1. What is the theme?  
2. What's the theme word? (7)



### Across

- 1 Former British prime minister, strangely tethering toy up (4, 3, 7)
- 8 American sporting event using first class ball (5, 4)
- 9 Expressions used when cold bishop occupies British Royal Society (5)
- 11 Early pope, lion with independent ego indeed (3, 3)
- 12 Batsman seconds those engaging in hartal, perhaps (8)
- 14 Papa's punchier when arranging method of buying online (2-3, 8)
- 16 "Rowdy Seamen Hurt Nit" is the content of news story (5, 8)
- 21 Topless model going back in to work in an elegant way (8)
- 22 Not very bright, I will upset sesame (3-3)

- 25 Malevolent people lived by perpetrating spite, primarily (5)
- 26 Yeomen of the guard losing loud birds with bright plumage (3-6)
- 27 Grass gets beaten with scull in social conflicts (5, 9)

### Down

- 1 Grinder is a nuisance to the French (6)
- 2 Stop over following kind, mostly, that delivers a violent blast (7)
- 3 Bones playing sitar (5)
- 4 Cupid's opposite number turns angry (4)
- 5 Efface old boy that's educated (10)
- 6 Blunder after beak upset about perpetual victim (9)
- 7 Profitable ventures, say, where students do not start (7)
- 10 Belt up god, belt up (4)
- 13 They are concerned with sight tool biceps exercised ... (5,5)
- 15 ... visions of hearts in long jumbled mass (9)
- 17 As being Italian for the knife, say (7)
- 18 Experienced sailor turns over shelter for hoary rope's end (4,3)
- 19 Special energy women ooze (4)
- 20 Arrest in street just the same (6)
- 23 Old Chinese currency initially invested in Scots pine (5)
- 24 Bit of hesitation in the wake of French I taunt. (4)