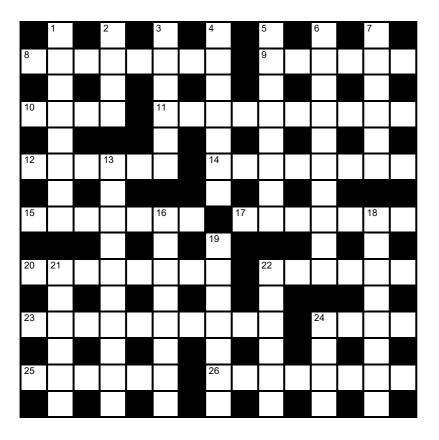
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Across

- 8 After voyage, arriving where Bond's earthier cousin was brought up? (8)
- 9 Oh, what a capital malapropism! (6)
- 10 Brother: in short, I return a bird (4)
- 11 Changes to herb mum can use to indicate speed (4,6)
- 12 With honour lost, everyone stuck in the bog (6)
- 14 Marvellous Heroes little boy defended?(8)
- 15 Extreme evidence about Space Oddity the one that got away (7)

- 17 Butting in, China Girl, whose ship has sailed, finds posh French residence (7)
- 20 Caught, say, with fruit, having to initially use knife more skillfully? (8)
- 22 Decks where sailor is found, drunken sot. (6)
- 23 Leprosy can turn into sleeping sickness (10)
- 24 Let's Dance: 50 going at the last with enthusiasm (4)
- 25 Spooner's children, close to docks (6)
- 26 Twice animals at first encapsulate umpteenth Australian; no corals for example (8)

Down

- 1 Nationals of South Africa put feet in, heading off with playing partners (8)
- 2 Rock 'n' Roll Suicide, briefly leaving out you, I see, on the 15th (4)
- 3 Actor demands millions, not billions, the ham (6)
- 4 Sugar paste childishly put in, because... (7)
- 5 ...about 40 is, some say, like the journalist Dudes, sort of? (8)
- 6 Someone who copies English out instead: it's surprisingly something exciting (10)
- 7 Thin White Duke, first outside and last

- respectively on leaving zone, shows pluck (6)
- 13 Fashion fad: cool art leads to maximum capacity (4,6)
- 16 Advantage not as much as an infinite plane (8)
- 18 Love in tatters in tatters I tell you (8)
- 19 More work, not at the outset Hunky Dory (7)
- 21 Muse on town: be off, by the sound of it first class return (6)
- 22 Oddly, took yoof to a car (6)
- 24 Go with high 11, masked swordsman chucking out bishop at mass (4)