



Across

- 1 Actor keen about Greek island retreat (5,7)
- 8 Cocaine distributed like a lot of water (7)
- 9 Order instrument shortened by cleaning facility (7)
- 11 Study on European prime minister (4)
- 12 Previously unknown institute stops one castrating actor (4,6)
- 14 Did garden have special dances? (8)
- 15 Minds apparently rubbish artist getting awards finally (6)
- 18 Very big openings

for internet

- programmers in basic software plants (6)
- 19 Pretty American takes dandy round for a drink (3,2,3)
- 21 One making fun of depravity in China (3,7)
- 23 Self bearing being under the weather (4)
- 25 Turned out better chat keeping current (7)
- 26 Legal official's conditional introduction in fresh trouble (7)
- 27 Part played by all of 1A, 7, 10 and 12 - 9 fans trek out (12)

Down

- 1 Detective starts to examine clues eating dinner for one bit by bit (9)
- 2 Miniature artist in yellow clothes (4)
- 3 Biblical text about about about earlier coward (8)
- 4 Some in Herculaneum blessed deer's entrails (6)
- 5 Excessively popular rector comes in to kick cat's uncomfortable spot (3,3,4)
- 6 Set off not worried about being famous (5)
- 7 Actor surprisingly ejects photon (6,6)
- 10 Smell danger initially after

rudely

- lampooning rotten actor (5,7)
- 13 Police officer accepting money to admit nothing in the end (10)
- 16 What student is feeling (9)
- 17 Nationalist causes somehow absorb the first of three weirdoes (8)
- 20 Opposed someone heartless, say, going earlier (6)
- 22 Following sillier director leaving (5)
- 24 No more than writer engineers (4)