



Across

- 5 So the French men missing English become glum (6)
- 7 Final delivery could be outstandingly attractive (8)
- 9 Shylock perhaps puts measure to the Queen to become a gemologist (8)
- 10 Animal put MEP in turmoil (6)
- 11 Combine glitz with one old TV series (8,4)
- 13 Soldiers trade but it is not a pleasant experience (6)
- 15 Iron turned to confront and obliterate (6)
- 18 Mutinous seal

- misbehaving but this may be coincidental (12)
- 21 Alphabetic range held by a fool may offer more (6)
- 22 Material better for headgear (5,3)
- 23 SE Dubai along with the north became nonpartisan (8)
- 24 Pretty Spanish male fish (6)

Down

- 1 What most servicemen are expected to get up to (8)
- 2 United Nations to publicise disconnect (6)

- 3 Space-time connection found in the garden (8)
- 4 Silly Jack drops account with counterfeit peso for capital (6)
- 6 Pick up a book on filigree art (8)
- 7 Artist involved with Kate is carried out on a mat (6)
- 8 Ensure a good crop with fertiliser (4)
- 12 A letter's target (8)
- 14 Scamper to place of duty for illumination (8)
- 16 Release worker using no instruments (4,4)

- 17 Shawl covering cape is cool (6)
- 18 Potato commonly mashed with it? How very silly (6)
- 19 Early Old English to a graduate is just a small thing (6)
- 20 The thread of a story (4)