

**Across**

- 1** Remote transmitter initially picked up last Sunday afternoon - radio? (6)
- 4** Opens chat about training (5)
- 8** Answer not concerning small body of water (4)
- 9** This is very sour personality, following rejected reference which separates Powers (6,4)
- 10** King and queen feed horse buns here (6)
- 11** Will manager almost kill off research to start with? (8)
- 12** Make aware,

- Nessie is traced originally at sea (9)
- 14** Labour's first idiot head (4)
- 15** Nothing in returned bill for junk? (4)
- 16** Possibly irons suit after whip-round (4-5)
- 20** Please start with one ripe variety of sausage (8)
- 21** Senseless man initially out to throw away stunted fruit (6)
- 23** Upset police officer to cut a dash, given time (10)
- 24** Uncouth chaps are right about one point (4)

- 25** Worthless award without a thousand taking exercise (5)
- 26** Playwright owes Kermit a part (6)

Down

- 1** Soldiers brought up to check about 11's concern (7)
- 2** Left in charge to dish out (5)
- 3** A nasty criminal kidnaps, at first, Lucian Freud? (7)
- 4** Flyer has old coin, one used further South (6)
- 5** Lucy, perhaps with ease, to fry with this? (6,3)
- 6** Derivative result of bad cornering (4-3)
- 7** Rebels sit angrily in

hearings concerning church (13)

- 13** Chips and peas cooked in vessel (5-4)
- 15** Queen is here for hairdo (7)
- 17** Pay for our European neighbour: not right to keep in! (7)
- 18** It obstructs view of motorcyclist bearing left and heading to Northampton (7)
- 19** Lawyer, not one to keep books (6)
- 22** Conway first welcomed by man without back-stop (5)