

**Across**

- 1** Island nation imports small savoury pastry (6)  
**5** I was wrong to turn up with a camel (3,5)  
**9** Sent back puddings under pressure (8)  
**10** Director's dog turned away, as it were (6)  
**11** Buffoons oddly dismissing Foo Fighters (4)  
**12** Dividing agricultural Scottish region but not Soho, oddly (10)  
**13** Computer is regressing -- English artist's still taken by it (6)

- 14** Kind of well-worn satire in article (8)  
**16** Main lover almost hasn't got inside (5,3)  
**19** Aim low when one's old (6)  
**21** Become fluent in a language to get it at your fingertips (4,6)  
**23** See a shape (4)  
**24** Opulent Parisian couple tour Luxembourg and Spain (2,4)  
**25** Not so resilient Englishman doubles back before the French Revolution (8)

- 26** Poet's always wearing apron where the poor stay on board (8)  
**27** Head to Kenya with a respect for combat sport (6)

**Down**

- 2** Bill passed dashing policeman at art fair's opening (3,2,10)  
**3** Supervise poetry written in Old English (7)  
**4** McKellen entertains Pacino for some French people (9)  
**5** Skirting tax collectors, produced a sort of wine (7)

- 6** Guardian drops European slant (5)  
**7** Modernises happy times (7)  
**8** M6 to Lancaster? Penny nearly gets her mum's approval (8,7)  
**15** Small wooden tool's not fine enough, Papa'a gathered (9)  
**17** Conspire with student halfway through playing Cluedo (7)  
**18** Can I be friendly? (7)  
**20** Sailor finds what Spooner keeps his nails in (4-3)  
**22** Cycling, gastronome conceals letter (5)