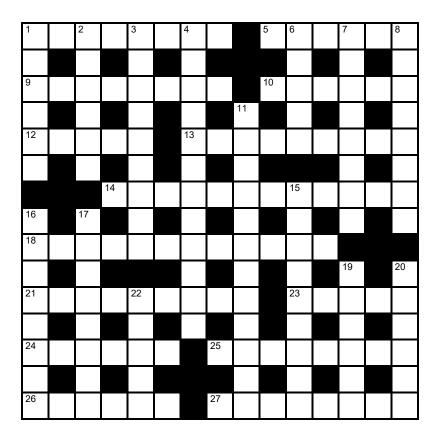
We can work it out



Across

- 1 Altering triangle? Could change either for a limit of sums (8)
- 5 Samples of pressure covers (6)
- 9 Whims mislead benches, say (8)
- 10 Seb holds wrongdoing to be A/H (6)
- 12 Confirmed saint's shabby (5)
- 13 Nanny is unarmed, perhaps (9)
- 14 Chap caught between floor coverings has little energy regarding numbers (12)
- 18 Unkindest ghost removing last saint, which could be insensitive (5-7)
- 21 Note reptile with large mass making experimental model (9)
- 23 Horse: "I vote against!" (5)
- 24 Successor 'olding 59 to be cure-all (6)
- 25 Ancient knowledge found in ghastly grey tome (8)
- 26 Case of Egyptian name attached to plug for ancient deities (6)
- 27 Snake carrier by the Spanish meadow found in Hades, according to the Ancient Greeks (8)

Down

- 1 On the off chance, some fashionable detective work? (2,4)
- **2** 14 muscle? (6)
- 3 Vert I go? No, I'm just pretending to (9)
- 4 Six-footer on hindrance of vocal playwright (5,7)
- 6 River, or the oddly lacking one? (5)
- 7 Sacha Baron Cohen character getting egg for a sly ruler (8)
- 8 Romantic idyls, during which drink in an unfaltering manner (8)
- 11 Supermen brim with tears they're indivisible (5,7)
- 15 Dryad, very small, keeping right speed (4,5)
- 16 Rush seal to garden, almost (8)
- **17** 14 social event? (8)
- 19 Was appropriate, like some sheets (6)
- 20 Those people are going to tango before a year in Hell (6)
- 22 Board may supply attendees with spirits (5)