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Crossword A

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## **ACROSS**

- 1 Face masks regularly semi-depressing (6)
- **4** US railroad man swapped places where Elvis was crying (6)
- **8** See 20
- **9** Unfortunately, Calvin Klein is not available (2,5)
- **11** Harry Enfield without sex? That's unknown, for sure (10)
- 12 A drink for lords and ladies (4)
- 13 Friend or foe, in today's world? (5)
- 14 Hero's unwell, in pain, beginning to suffer (8)
- **16** Fire Priti Patel after showing no limit whatsoever to annoy (8)
- **18** Front of Radio Times causes a storm (5)
- **20/8** Version of *Sweet Talkin' Woman* featuring in many films (4,7)
- 21/7 Fully naked academics? (10,9)
- 23 Shocking video containing Roman Catholic part (7)
- **24** Reportedly, row with United States sounds shaky (7)
- 25 Untidy fashion? (6)
- 26 Fruit's not British but fruit it is! (6)

## **DOWN**

- 1 Four rescued in Red Cross campaign (5)
- 2 Fancy his cracking northern European dish? (7)
- **3** Australian guy, one inspiring Clapton to make traditional music (9)
- 5 Given up desire? Oh dear! (5)
- **6** Very good time for everyone, or not? Danger! (7)
- 7 See 21 Across
- **10** Ginger Spice, under false name, meeting Head of Edinburgh Zoo (9)
- 13 Motor race, a Chelsea showpiece? (9)
- **15** Our King's content with one of five children being a buffoon (9)
- 17 I use harsh language, they say, lacking any form of friendliness (3-4)
- 19 One's in the kitchen, very much into vegan cooking (3,4)
- **21** Full universal credit initially accepted by group of teachers (5)
- 22 Part of flower conservator usually protects (5)