

Clues Across:

1. Fast runners are off-white dogs. [10]
6. White flowered lily loses start for old university entry. [4]
9. B is for Joe Loss perhaps. [4,6]
10. Worry about mist rolling in from the sea. [4]
12. Censure with democratic state. [12]
15. Mabel taking in everyone English can be beaten into shape. [9]
17. US town a day away for Gene. [5]
18. Herb coming back in the tundra, but 500 missing. [5]
19. Previous darkness hidden by Ant's light. [4,5]
20. Nice one Cyril! Drunk and only half analytical, complacently accepting. [12]
24. Man in the Irish Sea. [4]
25. Natural protection could be inside boat. [10]
26. Yankee gains Oscar twice. It has its ups and downs! [2-2]
27. University head takes risk on rollover. [10]

Clues Down:

1. Wasteland where bigot wanders endlessly. [4]
2. King George leaves Scottish town for European hotspot. [4]
3. L is for Copernicus's view of the solar system. [12]
4. International response without help or editor. [2,3]
5. The sort of good night's sleep to be had in Bethlehem? [9]
7. Cy takes in broken radio record for affairs of the heart! [10]
8. Look after workers, they stand and wait. [9]
11. Cheating play oft leads a son astray. [4,3,5]
13. I'm in a fully developed state – not yet! [10]
14. Specialised hospital friend in a coldly detached way. [10]
16. William finds charged particle of thorium exceedingly small. [9]
21. ET is partly extra-terrestrial, i.e. 'normal'. [5]
22. Starts to vary in one large instrument. [4]
23. Confused rats lead way to Russian monarch. [4]