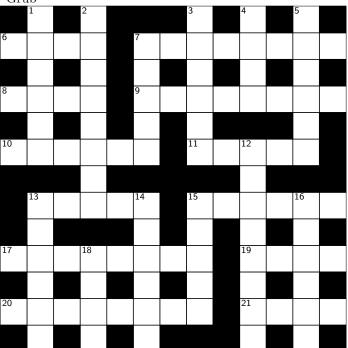
Christmas Special by Grub



Across

- 6. Stern conversation almost takes one in (4)
- 7. Receiving 9 0s when you expect a byte is over the top (1,3,4)
- 8. Even Heidegger reaches a limit (4)
- 9. Fight tot with blade, unfortunately (2,6)
- 10. Flyboy finally keen to be the first to break the sound barrier (6)
- 11. The particular cycling spirit (5)
- 13. Throw away game for another game (5)
- 15. Cock up, firm, after fiddle in a spot initially (6)
- 17. Awkward semis, one running to ejaculation (8)
- 19. Pass around one loop (4)
- 20. Lacking in skill, without top grade, gives magnanimity (8)
- 21. Fingered ratbag clutching pound (4)

Down

- 1. Knob amongst bush and legs (6)
- 2. French to go before information causes a reaction (8)
- 3. Operational muscle divides base (6)
- 4. Belch a sentence up (4)
- 5. Part of one's defenses receive Clubber Lang flogging (1-5)
- 7. Reptile replaces 5 with 500 in brief promo (5)
- 12. Someone who is nuts for HD? (8)
- 13. Grass up doctors in shocking statement (6)
- 14. No teacher is God (6)
- 15. Smelly gibbon perhaps? (5)
- 16. Dish is ropey in character (6)
- 18. Gulp at merkin below pole (4)