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ACROSS

- 5 Pest (6)
- 6 Chiffon for example (6)
- 9 French novelist and playwright famous for portraying genuine French society during the **Restoration (6)**
- 10 Primordial abyss of Greek mythology (8)
- 11 Escape (4)
- 12 Beginning on March 20, 2022 (10)
- 13 Super simple (2, 4, 2, 3) (11)
- 18 Renovating (10)
- 21 Experiment (4)
- 22 Contract (8)
- 23 Pulled back (6)

DOWN

- 1 Containers used to burn charcoal for cooking or rituals (8)
- 2 Fair (6)
- 3 Beggars (8)
- 4 Straying from the standard (6)
- 5 Possible (6)
- 7 Poor quality (6)
- 8 Painting this angry turkey running all over * (6, 5) (11)
- 14 Attacked (8)
- 15 Adventurous (8)
- 16 Pointless (6)
- 17 A particular feature (6)
 - 19 Plant disease (6)
 - 20 Gather (6)

24 Repeated (6)

25 Portray (6)