French-themed crossword

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Note all answers are words or names associated with France

Across
1 Large public space in Paris which extends from the Ecole Militaire to the Eiffel Tower (3-2-4)
8 Capital of the Drôme department on the left bank of the Rhône (7)
9 Outer edge of a wheel, holding the tyre (5)
10 Goods sold ‘en ____’ are loose or unpackaged (4)
11 Spicy Provençal sauce consisting of red chillies, garlic and other ingredients – typically for bouillabaisse (7)
13 Small bag – of cloth, paper or plastic (6)
15 Petit beignet – filled with fish or meat (6)
18 Corsican capital and birthplace of Napoléon Bonaparte (7)
20 Mediterranean city named after the Greek goddess of victory (4)
23 Sleeveless jacket or vest – sometimes padded (5)

Down
1 Cool place for wine storage (4)
2 Un ____ simple – a single or one-way ticket (5)
3 Mélange de bière et de limonade (7)
4 Commonly found in the garden – harmless, but not good for arachnophobes (6)
5 Former province whose capital was Angers (5)
6 A sob rather than a tear (7)
7 Prawn or shrimp (8)
12 Popular edible mollusque gastéropode (8)
14 Name by which Charlie Chaplin is commonly known in France (7)
16 Form of medieval and Renaissance French poetry – often set to music (7)
17 Born in Haute-Saône in 1856 botanist Georges ____ was an early pioneer of the bande dessinée (6)
19 Repeat or copy out words written or spoken by someone else (5)
21 English-sounding name for wrestling (5)
22 Inert gas used in lighting (4)