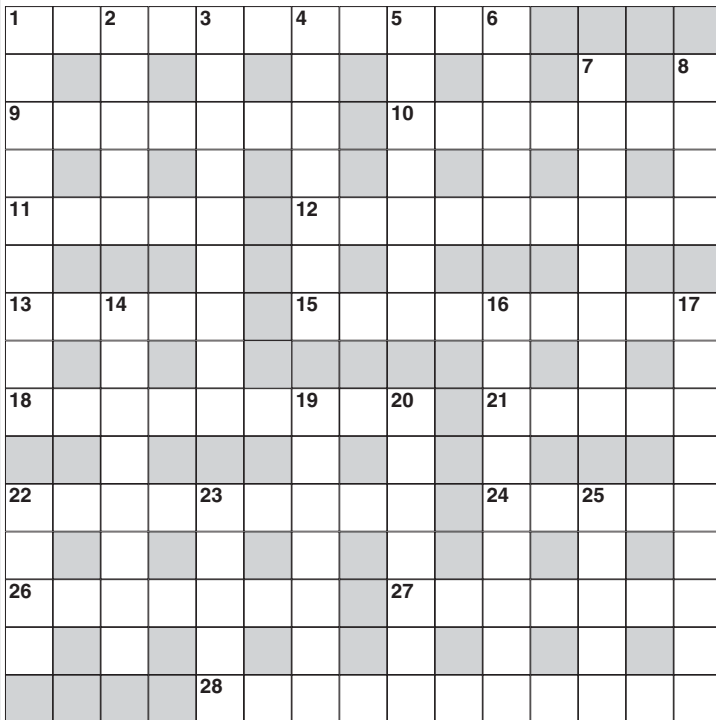


The Hindu Crossword 7866



Across

- 1 It holds briefs for a diplomat (7-4)
- 9 No medic serves one possessed by an evil spirit (7)
- 10 Atingle, coining slogan (7)

- 11 Thigh armour plate is a removable asset (5)
- 12 A polite, respectful pupil's address (6,3)
- 13 Worshipping figure in an interior antique shop (5)
- 15 As taken by one

who wants to settle down (5,4)

- 18 Completely hush-hush (9)
- 21 Fools cut off the head of the crowds (5)
- 22 Kalashnikov's offspring? (3,2,1,3)
- 24 Damayanti's husband captures unknown African antelope (5)
- 26 Anu and Sulu mix in a combination that is rare (7)
- 27 Frighten world body with Verne novel (7)
- 28 In a machine it's the one that shows data (7,4)

8 Deride Jughead always (4)

- 14 Explorer who goes deep (8)
- 16 The two kinds of vote in a referendum (3,3,3)
- 17 Will word (9)
- 19 Brightens as I.G. lends letters (7)
- 20 Leans us in a posture that is erotic (7)
- 22 Horses set at intervals (4)
- 23 Got what was lost (5)
- 25 One goes round advertising for airport area (5)

Down

- 1 Hearings given by those who verify accounts? (9)
- 2 The paper age? (5)
- 3 Held together and landed a blow (9)
- 4 The one who got away (7)
- 5 Warn pet about foreign city (7)
- 6 Lies adjacent to another (5)
- 7 They lie (8)

Solution to puzzle 7865

W	A	R	D	R	E	S	S	T	O	D	D	L	E
R	A	O	T					R	J	Y			
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F	S	R	Y	E	M	I	N						
A	W	A	R	D		M	A	R	C	I	A		
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