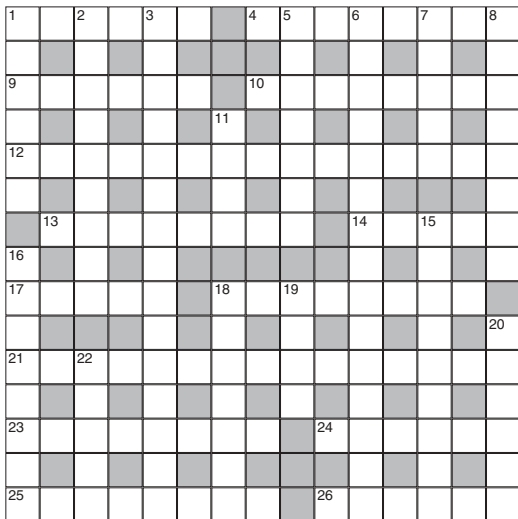


# The Hindu Crossword No. 2574



## Down

- 1 Spirit shown by good musician we hear (6)
- 2 Vicar's mad about girl? The other way round (4,5)
- 3 Italian wine rich claim trashy, ridiculously (8,7)
- 5 Head receiving permit from board (7)
- 6 Mixture one cooked around five – in this, perhaps (11,4)
- 7 Female to take back dress (5)
- 8 Lard once melted in kitchen utensil (8)
- 11 Printer's error in publicity poster (4)
- 15 River in Brazilian city, magnificent to the East (3,6)
- 16 Column consisting of screed about Israel's leader (8)
- 18 Clown making most of mistake in it after start of pantomime (7)
- 19 Wise man, bridge player, mature (4)
- 20 Strange lad ringing marks on tree (6)
- 22 Best one, first in class in subject (5)

## Across

- 1 Hammers handed to unoccupied labourers? (6)
- 4 Precise remedy (8)
- 9 Aviator, a large fellow (6)
- 10 Pump social reformer, 'the sailors' friend' (8)
- 12 Overspent? Tricky, abroad, being very poor (7-8)
- 13 Flower border? Tedious talk about it (8)
- 14 Concede a European king must go (5)
- 17 Patriarch in Pisa academy (5)
- 18 Ask one lecturer to identify a god (8)
- 21 Earl grey at ten — no cocktail for an officer of the Crown (8,7)
- 23 Wall hanging records struggle (8)
- 24 Still in flat? Likewise (4,2)
- 25 Income from price set high (8)
- 26 Propose at home to nurse (6)

## Solution No. 2573

