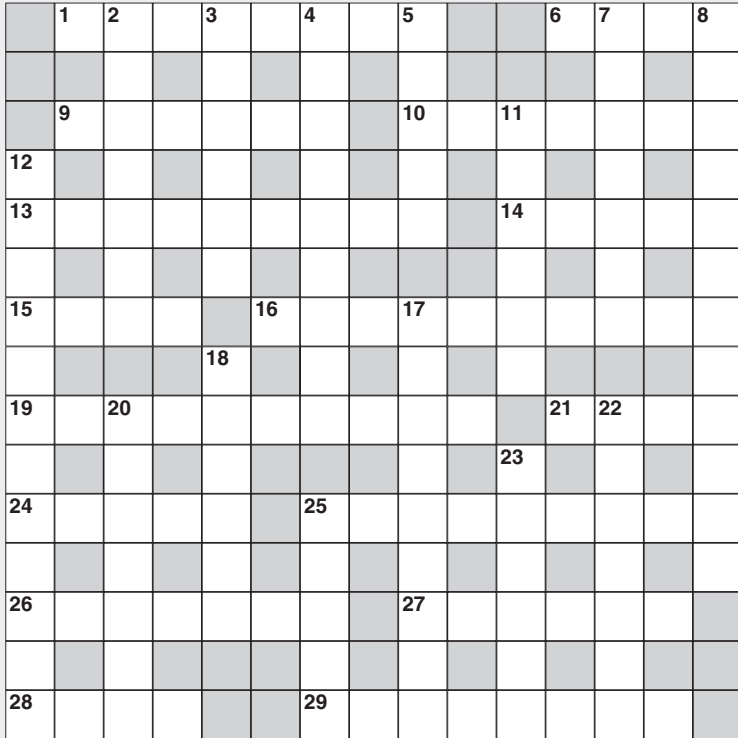


The Hindu Crossword 8137



Across

- 1 Checkmate is such a position (8)
- 6 Utilities for you and me in El Salvador (4)
- 9 Such a zone is vague state (6)

- 10 From the sea, cocaine is dissolved (7)
- 13 Disengage extract that is problematic (9)
- 14 Which would never meet, according to Kipling (5)

- 15 Therefore, it's hard to get round a London district (4)
- 16 It brings forth sounds like "er" and "um" (10)
- 19 Its products keeps the wheels moving (3,7)
- 21 Really? (2,2)
- 24 Titles announced for ceremonies (5)
- 25 Lawyer for Sir involved in a deal (9)
- 26 Ravi Varma, for one (7)
- 27 Oswald put out ancient words of wisdom (3,3)
- 28 Stalk a supporter? (4)
- 29 Pounded me caught between an actor and a revolutionary (8)

- 8 Deeply fixed habit characteristic of a wrestler's assistant (6,6)
- 11 Catch the medical department with a standard throw-up (6)
- 12 Records that reveal earth-shaking incidents (12)
- 17 Part of the house where secrets are kept, perhaps (5,4)
- 18 Pets crowd around an extra large drink (6)
- 20 Network delayed going through convulsion (7)
- 22 In a position to shift State I.U. (7)
- 23 Go round in just an undergarment? (6)
- 25 Natal job mentioned (5)

Down

- 2 Vigilant about a time-keeper (2,5)
- 3 Article the head of tasters removed is boiled candy (6)
- 4 Harp: "Telex gives more than necessary assistance" (5,4)
- 5 It signals sound sleep, no doubt (5)
- 7 Indian woman orders raids round the world body (7)

Solution to puzzle 8136

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