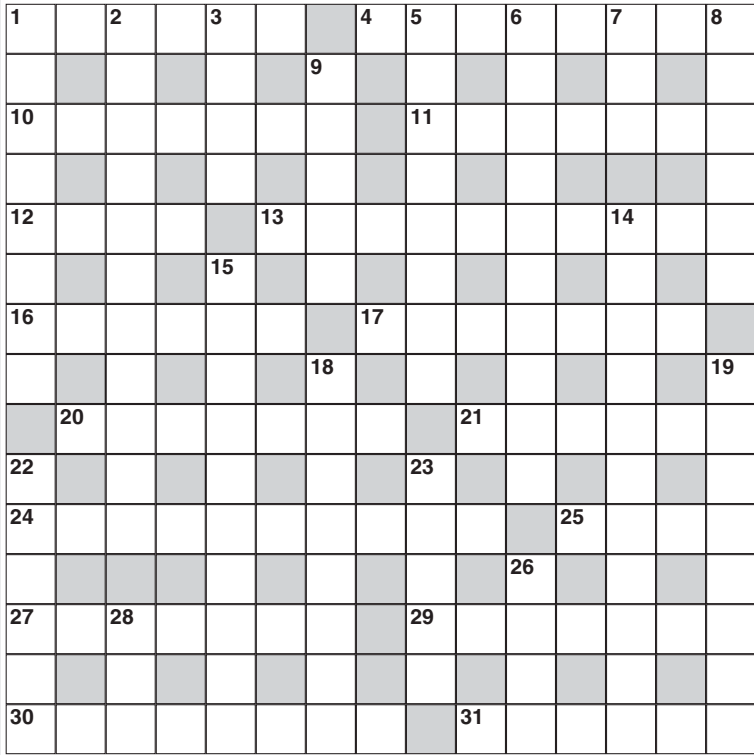


The Hindu Crossword 8172



Across

- 1 Many do fiddle with the machine (6)
- 4 He's in a disreputable club and with it he can stick (8)
- 10 Always to be in the right, that's the dream (7)

- 11 Wiped out Henry quietly — he was defeated (7)
- 12 An accepted standard of behaviour in society is a rule (4)
- 13 Simple-minded individuals (10)

- 16 Gives the impression they're stuck on (6)
- 17 In relating to the god of war there is breakdown of martial affairs (7)
- 20 Appendices finish up in the river in Italy (7)
- 21 Set course for the headwaters of the river (6)
- 24 Sailor may hesitate to take allowance, but it's not the norm (10)
- 25 Information received, thanks to the lawyer (4)
- 27 He is a worker, gets on at ten (7)
- 29 One does not continue giving a plug (7)
- 30 Where striker stands for a pay rise? (8)
- 31 In high spirits when editor admitted to not being on time (6)

- 7 A scion of a family (3)
- 8 He can be a possible heir (6)
- 9 A cap for the Basque (5)
- 14 Cover for the flight (5,6)
- 15 One wrapping soft fruit with an air (10)
- 18 Published books in different forms (8)
- 19 Made good on returning (8)
- 22 A long expedition involving meticulous planning (6)
- 23 Slide down on a sledge (5)
- 26 Heard a foul was committed on this bird (4)
- 28 It upset many with an involuntary habitual response (3)

Down

- 1 A state of ignorance (8)
- 2 Don't give up vulgar way of referring to a dice (5,3,3)
- 3 Rome possibly is greater in size (4)
- 5 Gloomy indication by the conductor of musical stress (8)
- 6 Garden paling puts Spanish uncle in high spirits (10)

Solution to puzzle 8171

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