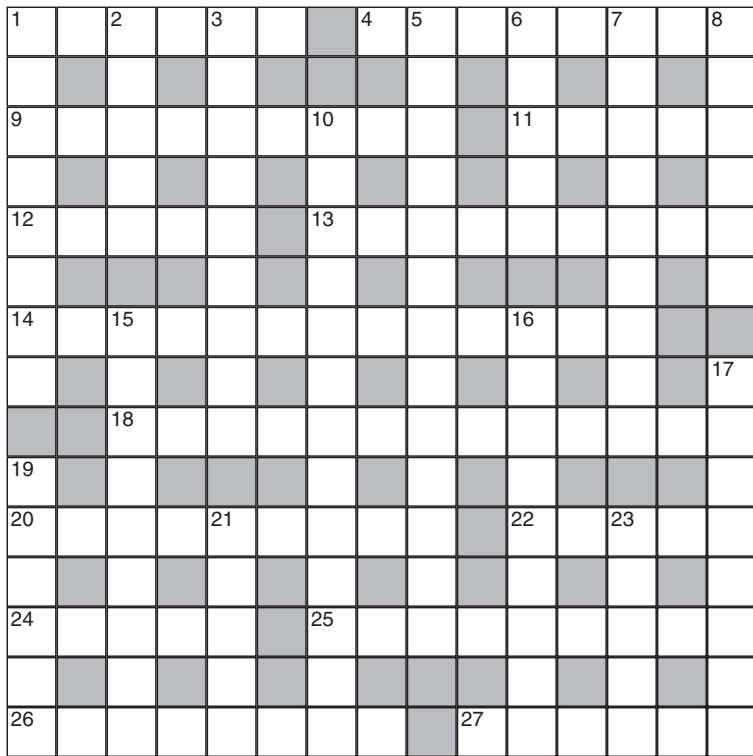


# The Hindu Crossword No. 2591



- 26 Game fish (8)  
27 Inventor is entertained by English lecturer (6)

**Down**

- 1 One's in Alabama port to prepare for active service (8)  
2 Score ton with partner (5)  
3 Sway to and fro, being sick during leave (9)  
5 Completely topsy-turvy (4,4,5)  
6 Go over, step right up (5)  
7 Clean home, in a mess,

- for fickle person (9)  
8 Seaman hit bull's eye (6)  
10 The sound of a sailor going over reportedly rough training ground (7,6)  
15 Storage tank most agree needs to be demolished (9)  
16 Not tarnished? Could become dull in use (9)  
17 Naval doctor eating piece of tuna fish (8)  
19 Alluring island castle (6)  
21 I grumble about girl (5)  
23 Greek fool, informant (5)

## Solution No. 2590

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**Across**

- 1 Reason Italian's back in action (6)  
4 Wanting to cross, finds a quicker way (5,3)  
9 Hood shown in book with a silly call girl (9)  
11 Check utterance made by president (5)  
12 Faithful ally worried about nothing (5)  
13 Indicate section of flagship (9)

- 14 Playing in guest, character introduced song associated with him? (9,4)  
18 Tree, very small in street, a reddish-brown colour (5,8)  
20 Fish only served after fruit (5,4)  
22 Beer fit for a king knocked back (5)  
24 Saw maiden meeting German fellow (5)  
25 Send down countryman at end of case (9)