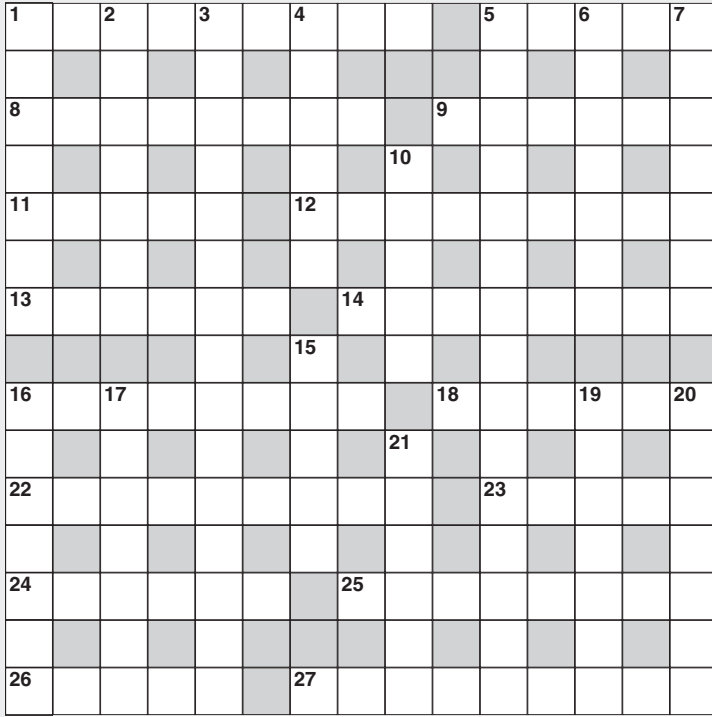


The Hindu Crossword 8230



Across

- 1 Speech sound in one syllable as in 'coin' (9)
- 5 The horseman's stipulation (5)
- 8 Big characters from New Delhi and Islamabad? (8)

- 9 Steal from a garden with a rugby move, please, to start with (6)
- 11 Eastern lake could be frightening (5)
- 12 Natural disasters, could be, not man-made things (4,2,3)

- 13 Move casually, say, accepting deposit (6)
- 14 An English resort said to bring cheer (8)
- 16 Instruction in good art in a novel way (8)
- 18 Get a boat in shape (6)
- 22 Meal starter absolves famous publisher (5,4)
- 23 The spirit of *The Tempest* (5)
- 24 The idea that the Italian found reversed in the middle of the day (6)
- 25 Call at funeral for a final delivery of mail (4,4)
- 26 Fetter the murderer, hot within (5)
- 27 In the marina, cop became comprehensive (9)

- 5 A bit of Britain in Spain, a pillar of Hercules (4,2,9)
- 6 Get drug spilt on floor covering (7)
- 7 Inveigled with a cord and racket (5,2)
- 10 A test or examination to reveal a large stock (5)
- 15 A bulb one fixed in stormy noon (5)
- 16 The C-in-C designed a practical method to deal with a task (7)
- 17 Severe mental deficiency in people: it arises in extremes of anorexia (7)
- 19 Wing-like shape to support old boxer (7)
- 20 Nothing about the ear or about a great African river (7)
- 21 A twist in the foot? (6)

Down

- 1 Writer whose expectations were great! (7)
- 2 Old Egyptian paper (7)
- 3 Oddly, northern boatmen are naturally fitted to their role (2,3,6,4)
- 4 It is used to reduce friction and to foil cantankerousness a bit (6)

Solution to puzzle 8229

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