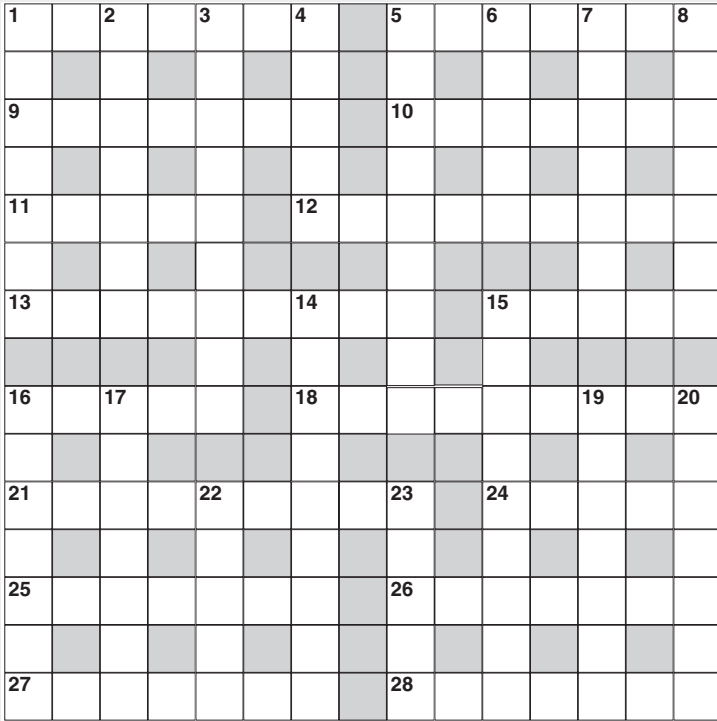


The Hindu Crossword 8255



Across

- 1 Spot on feature (7)
- 5 End of a freeze no government wants to face (7)
- 9 So right to have a spoken relationship with sister (7)

- 10 Overcomes the competition at August (7)
- 11 A series of woes (5)
- 12 Scandal — one I try to disguise (9)
- 13 This boy loved the pools (9)
- 15 Located building

position (5)

- 16 Many a wading bird on the fife coast (5)
- 18 Regards exercise as injurious to one's view of things (3,6)
- 21 Does it show the pressure of work at the Met Office? (9)
- 24 Artificial fishing fly can be dear to beginner (5)
- 25 Like one seen with a jerk from a considerable distance (7)
- 26 Gold dime not a substitute for disused Portugal gold coin (7)
- 27 Hold spell-bound by the hour in a Lent celebration (7)
- 28 Sent Amy around to seek a general pardon (7)

Down

- 1 Henry to design sofa in new style (7)
- 2 That's the nobleman on road, going off beforehand (7)
- 3 Routine procedure for a safe crossing? (4,5)
- 4 Somewhat well-endowed lady (5)
- 5 Missed tea, perhaps, will take coffee (9)
- 6 A worthless being having lower morals (5)

- 7 Merciful to have mild weather (7)
- 8 Endeavoured to get treatise edited (7)
- 14 Not inclined to give credit (9)
- 15 Spoiling, in a tot, is a certain over indulgence (9)
- 16 Keep Boys' Brigade in a cage, they may have a brain damaged person (7)
- 17 High-level transport operations (7)
- 19 A dour disposition strikes us as wearying (7)
- 20 Establishment of growing importance for playful toddlers (7)
- 22 Scholar take spirit to dance (5)
- 23 Mother has wild rebel to tame (5)

Solution to puzzle 8254

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