

THE HINDU CROSSWORD 8502

Across

- 1 A rickety engine producing the force of motion (7,6)
- 10 Exercise aids for brainless beauties, say (4-5)
- 11 Rustic Rau moves between two sides (5)
- 12 Let everyone be an endless debtor (5)
- 13 Sort of legislator who was not returned (9)
- 14 Roles reversed around a minor ruler (6)
- 16 Craft that could turn over in lids (5)
- 19 Measure – raise it to the third power, say (5)
- 20 Stableman with a way in new role (6)
- 25 Bat always poetically used by a fraud (9)
- 26 Essential Indian excavators in olden times (5)
- 27 Hunt for a prolific thriller writer (5)
- 28 Hero worship worries Naidu a lot (9)
- 29 Check your Inbox, understand? (3,3,7)

Down

- 2 I am overdue, about an instant, to offer a sacrifice (8)
- 3 Joint featuring the Spanish weapon (5)
- 4 Doing nothing, like the car stopped at the signal (6)
- 5 See men scurrying, escorting lawyer as a group (8)

- 6 No re-use or recycling? That is wrong (9)
- 7 Does a heartless chap deserve to whirl? (6)
- 8 Student steeped in thoughts of role models (6)
- 9 Dashing young man seen in an Hasselblad expo (5)
- 15 A goddess reportedly intended as a diversion (9)
- 17 Start listening, repeat and become educated (8)
- 18 Advantage that is not so significant at home in the environs of Beijing (8)
- 21 Withdraw statement about insincere talk (6)
- 22 A split nut (5)
- 23 Eight notes of music (6)
- 24 Urge so unusual in a bird (6)
- 26 Alloy provides support on ship (5)

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Solution to Puzzle 8501

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