

THE HINDU CROSSWORD 8660

Across

- 1 Secured against loss or injury (7)
- 5 Win causing quiet churchman trouble (7)
- 9 A predicament to accept either choices, both untenable (7)
- 10 Strain of rattling one's tin (7)
- 11 Very hot pepper of special pungency (5)
- 12 Boring i.e. a wayward native inhabitant (9)
- 13 Reckless person took risks with vile cocktail (4,5)
- 15 Not proper to leap at copper, to implore (5)
- 16 Direct supplier of beef (5)
- 18 Barker the rubicund stationer (3,6)
- 21 What the trouser press puts, or intensifies (9)
- 24 Copy one thousand, given time (5)
- 25 Strange knit to split pea-plant (7)
- 26 The French to trace out sugar syrup (7)
- 27 The underworld class is all cut up (7)
- 28 Answers for laboratory workers (7)

Down

- 1 Dunce I'd mistakenly brought on (7)
- 2 One goes in to join one in the army (7)
- 3 Memo about a lot of unsold books (9)

- 4 Mad gunner makes a theatrical entertainment (5)
- 5 The Irishman took a turn on the beat (9)
- 6 Cross Channel listlessness (5)
- 7 Foolish when I have one over the eight (7)
- 8 Oil applied to bats, wild in Leeds (7)
- 14 Bright as a button and beautifully turned out (4,5)
- 15 A top man's pride sent crashing (9)
- 16 Unilateral defence against barking? (7)
- 17 Inspires advance in sex change (7)
- 19 It became obsolete when the market backed the automobile (4,3)
- 20 Refers to Oriental in disguise, for marijuana cigarettes (7)
- 22 Irene in trouble turns to him (5)
- 23 It's a right created string instrument (5)

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Solution to Puzzle 8659

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