

THE HINDU CROSSWORD 8678

Across

- 1 Cade and Rani jump in cheerfulness (8)
 5 Sailor's eye will take in everything (6)
 9 Offensive rumour about a retiring medical officer (7)
 10 Vel curt about damaged waterway (7)
 11 He gives money to the fashionable in more superior environment (9)
 12 It sticks with the violinist (5)
 13 Objects to conclusions (4)
 14 He will adjust your appearance so you may play a part (4-2,3)
 17 Edit a clue suitably to make it clear (9)
 19 Tom has nothing on Roman statesman (4)
 23 Slow movement noticed in circulation of a particular gossip (5)
 24 What an old man may mull over in later years (5,4)
 25 One sent hurriedly after 40 customers (7)
 26 U.S. city elegant in the past (7)
 27 Sweet that Ragu's distributed at close of festivity (6)
 28 Two fools get one northern killer (8)

Down

- 1 Chase (3,5)
 2 Stopped to spill gin indeed (7)

- 3 A cut of beef is available (6)
 4 What the priest wears the old babu wore (8,5)
 6 As pulled to produce a ringing sound (4,4)
 7 Supervise, we hear, away from India (7)
 8 This bay is a convict settlement (6)
 10 What you pay when you settle the electricity bill? (7,6)
 15 Glass vessel floating in the sea? (8)
 16 Fall from clouds (4,4)
 18 Sporting fish seen around flatboat (7)
 20 Article on mali's shooing off beasts (7)
 21 These dresses are easy on the wearer (6)
 22 Evergreen combination of Amy and Ric (6)

Solution to Puzzle 8677

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