

# THE HINDU CROSSWORD 8703

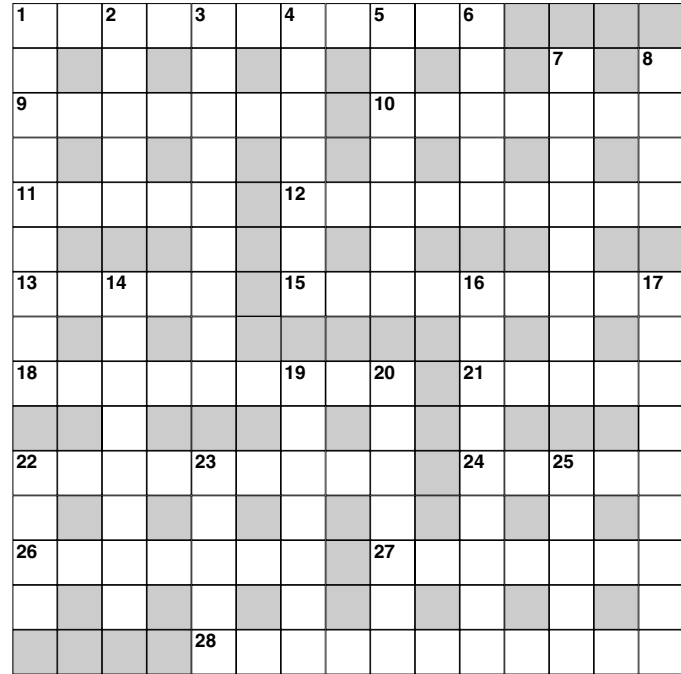
## Across

- 1 Lively stir over tea as a stimulant (11)
- 9 What you pay for cover? (7)
- 10 Horse or dog? (7)
- 11 In a dominant position (2,3)
- 12 Ran back to share the account (9)
- 13 Handy, but not clever to use (5)
- 15 Two officers go to a continent for a tuber (9)
- 18 It may be present during a Christian celebration (6,3)
- 21 Numbers to which some may dress (5)
- 22 Working hard – as archaeologists may do? (7,2)
- 24 Does nothing to repair the slide (5)
- 26 Contend to usurp the French (7)
- 27 Chief in the main sees it running against the ship (4-3)
- 28 It gives a bigger picture (11)

## Down

- 1 Pro involved in kickback is censurable (9)
- 2 What one did for the rest of the night (5)
- 3 Whimsically opine slum is to be demolished (2,7)

- 4 Boy going before mother can come up with yearbook (6)
- 5 Like a supreme ruler without a risk (7)
- 6 Boy on a heath (5)
- 7 Sank into a mobile in New Hampshire town (8)
- 8 What you're often advised to do before you bear it (4)
- 14 The kind of tasks that are duties (8)
- 16 One who stands for election is almost frank with appointment (9)
- 17 Saints sat in a huddle for helper (9)
- 19 Ovum (3,4)
- 20 Grass, for one (7)
- 22 An elevator route (4)
- 23 Lest I break the fibre... (5)
- 25 Thread I sell is woven (5)



## Solution to Puzzle 8702

