

THE HINDU CROSSWORD 8705

Across

- 1 Decline to remove wrinkles, apparently (8)
- 5 Took up with the tongue (6)
- 9 Having success after success, describing one doing *angapradakshinam* (2,1,4)
- 10 More in want (7)
- 11 Rage as Valley tunes to a different disposition (2,4,3)
- 12 He has a short way to pull (5)
- 13 Have a look around the South as well (4)
- 14 One who has control over the eyes (9)
- 17 Are out and out new to French motorway (9)
- 19 I go into bat at the end of the line (4)
- 23 The aka ID (5)
- 24 Retired soldier's status (2-7)
- 25 Suffused by the 12 p.m. glare (7)
- 26 Worshipping raingod for a sprinkle (7)
- 27 Man is game! (6)
- 28 Fix again to the cart: hate it being loose (8)

Down

- 1 Collapse, as a bird that's shot might do (4,4)
- 2 They may be used to add colour to a writer's work (7)

- 3 South Indian town is at the end of the road, worn-out (6)
- 4 Not a telling demo (6,7)
- 6 Nymph opens out heart to America (8)
- 7 Undisclosed military rank (7)
- 8 Make it a shade bolder? (6)
- 10 A preoccupied person's excuse while turning down a request (2,4,2,5)
- 15 Diplomatic run as LOC becomes knotty (8)
- 16 How a person may be seen to be lying eventually (2,6)
- 18 Similar dress (7)
- 20 North American tree as a mini growth (7)
- 21 Set up a motorboat (6)
- 22 Take a course to keep away from drinks (3,3)

Solution to Puzzle 8704

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