

# THE HINDU CROSSWORD 8795

## Across

- 1 Tree arrives with second person from France in the vehicle (7)
- 5 Revolted by non-alcoholic drink, makes a bloomer (3,4)
- 9 Founded as Terminus town, grew up as State capital in USA (7)
- 10 Lexicographer's claim that he has reached P – for Painting (7)
- 11 Marie developed plant for using its fibre for various articles (5)
- 12 All the unaided morgue attendant has to deal with (9)
- 13 Beggar who admits he is incapable of reforming his character (9)
- 15 Regions spare asset is within reach (5)
- 16 Read on time about business for a particular market (5)
- 18 Conveyance laid on by accident, maybe (9)
- 21 The chap Smitton, we hear, taken from Italy (9)
- 24 He lies about receiving money (5)
- 25 I put on a disguise too good to be true (7)
- 26 An excursion made to oil producing city (7)
- 27 Lee takes Nora to meet her (7)
- 28 Bloomer shaped ornament (7)

## Down

- 1 A couple of animals familiar to crossword solvers (7)
- 2 Town criers to call me before noon (7)
- 3 Exotic Argentine fruit (9)
- 4 Whaler's knife found stuffed with soft material in quarter (5)
- 5 A term for spruce trees originally (9)
- 6 Play softly in order to direct (5)
- 7 Soon her devastated land is approaching (7)

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- 8 Record on my direction, names of places derived from others (7)
- 14 He casts no vote for the consumption of alcohol (9)
- 15 Slender types from wild Caithness (9)
- 16 Duty imposed on a lot of families around Utah (7)
- 17 Nobody but Jack has seafood (7)
- 19 Lend a hand when the char is away (4,3)
- 20 Delay in action to set pier right (7)
- 22 Giant hunter of Greek mythology (5)
- 23 External course route designed (5)

## Solution to Puzzle 8794

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