

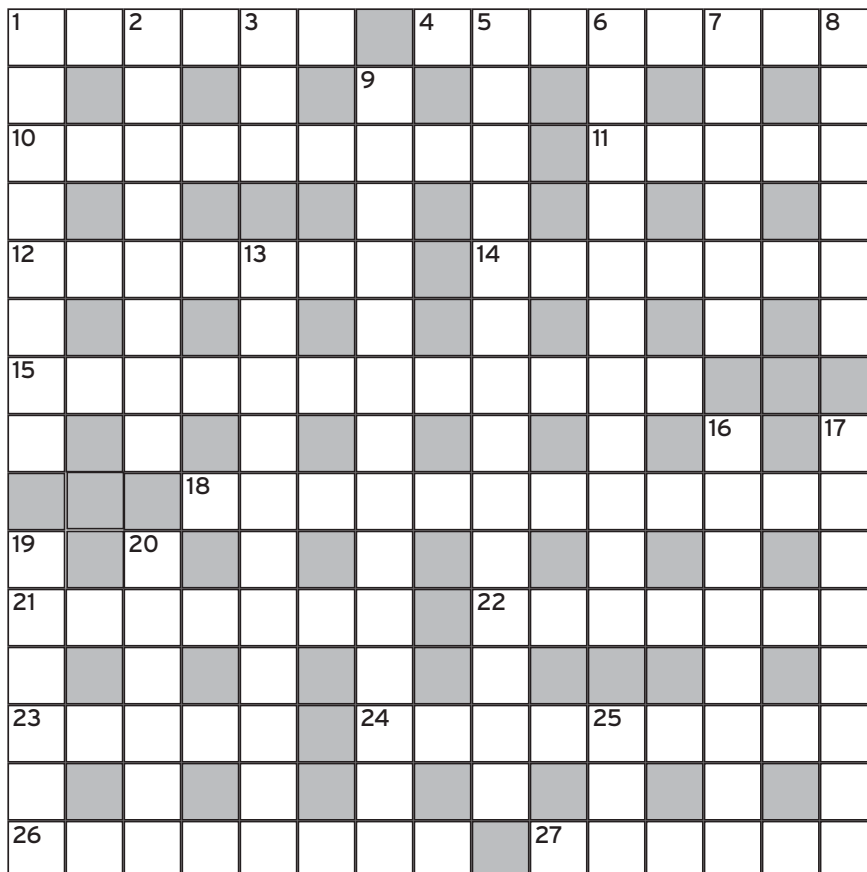
The Hindu Crossword No. 2692

Across

- 1 Doctor touring Fife, lost and annoyed (6)
 4 Awful wretch pocketing it for a bird-watcher (8)
 10 A sugar-coated chocolate drop having no equal (9)
 11 Accumulate a large amount (5)
 12 Miss O'Hara appearing briefly in brilliant red (7)
 14 Strange life in section of London borough (7)
 15 Urges Ben - 'order a snack' (4,8)
 18 What one may experience driving under the Mersey? (6,6)
 21 Lists of charges resulting from arguments about a right (7)
 22 Eyeglass found by spy, worn by evil doctor on cape (7)
 23 Colour of bream, swimming (5)
 24 Pairs cool off in citadel (9)
 26 Cross, dramatist at rear of theatre (8)
 27 Caution shown crossing over a densely populated district (6)

Down

- 1 Clergyman, one entering large church (8)
 2 Dance enthusiast circling with energy (8)
 3 Greek character held by secret agent (3)
 5 About to appear beneath Ward, late male comic writer (6,2,2,4)
 6 One may be seen by the roadside, clue lending support to illegal trading (7,4)
 7 Try ringing the Parisian therapist (6)
 8 Occupy a place on bank (6)
 9 Relax? One might after a row (4,2,4,4)
 13 Party for church workers (6,5)
 16 Round plug, perhaps (8)
 17 Fit to be eaten at home? Salt needs to be added (2,6)
 19 In the end, book of maps should be printed on time (2,4)
 20 Song about sailor leaving peninsula (6)
 25 Most of fruit and veg(3)



Solution No. 2691

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