

THE HINDU CROSSWORD 8867

Across

- 1 It qualifies baby from the lab (4-4)
- 5 Lok Sabha idly generates pastoral poems (6)
- 9 State national sent to Australian Open (7)
- 10 And man's invoking child's sleep-giver (7)
- 11 Women aspiring to be fair and lovely may use it (4-5)
- 12 Looking intently at not the last but the first stone (5)
- 13 The French accept alternative doctrine (4)
- 14 He runs errands in a place of business (6,3)
- 17 Sherpas I'm grouping as angelic beings of old (9)
- 19 Player giving a lead in pitch (4)
- 23 Describing a North Arcot pigpen (5)
- 24 Bloke set a race for yachts (9)
- 25 Eager to make an initial change in the green-eyed (7)
- 26 The tooth for some cutting action (7)
- 27 Move unsteadily to a seesaw in the U.S. (6)
- 28 It cracks before a bird emerges (8)

Down

- 1 Sparse movie: "Latex", for instance (4-4)
- 2 Rishi takes the French duke to be a Casanova (7)
- 3 Spell 'canter' incorrectly (6)
- 4 Rocks! Rocks! That won't take long (5,2,6)
- 6 Fabric Nu agreed to stitch (8)
- 7 You said to be involved in tricky gambol might get backache (7)
- 8 Eve son has not fixed (6)
- 10 Conference in which top people take part, presumably (6,7)
- 15 Youth at the end of day gets nothing to the sweetheart (4-4)

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- 16 Of measure given by fellows on southern mountain (8)
- 18 Bring into servitude hundred leaving territory for South (7)
- 20 Golf club gets uplift without any hesitation (7)
- 21 Kind of printer with a certain fluidity (3,3)
- 22 Kind of calculator with a certain frame (6)

Solution to Puzzle 8866

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