

THE HINDU CROSSWORD 8885

Across

- 1 His theory is formulated on more stars (10)
- 6 Famous performer (4)
- 9 Structure of wood crossing with spaces between (7)
- 10 Stares at the spectacles (7)
- 12 Old recipes people pay to get (8)
- 13 Speak with affected slowness (5)
- 15 Unfinished picture frame (5)
- 17 State of intense passion or activity (5,4)
- 19 Choose examination consisting of voters (9)
- 21 Damage manners or behaviour (5)
- 23 Senseless to be somewhat in an ecstasy (5)
- 24 Put out of breath and utter pantingly (5,3)
- 27 Position from which there is no escape (7)
- 28 The peak that can never more repose at all times (7)
- 29 Circumstances requiring some course of action (4)
- 30 Official in charge of disposal of letters (10)

Down

- 1 Capable even though bareheaded (4)
- 2 Confines the grazing animal (7)
- 3 Its leaf is emblem of peace (5)
- 4 Subdue and reduce to submission (9)
- 5 Limits the knife grinder puts on (5)
- 7 Duty paid for service rendered (7)
- 8 Reels out reform firmly (10)
- 11 She is one you adore (7)
- 14 A refurbished guide to those who

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Solution to Puzzle 8884

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want to wine and dine differently?
(3,7)

- 16 Characters landlords (7)
- 18 Not well disposed (3,6)
- 20 Specimen of workmanship (7)
- 22 Overladen with the roots of all evil? (7)
- 24 Becoming electrically polarised under pressure (5)
- 25 Portion of opera (5)
- 26 Set to be in motion (4)