

# THE HINDU CROSSWORD 9024

## Across

- 1 Fighting men dissipating their means (3,7)
- 6 In days gone by some used scout escort for American Indians (4)
- 9 Yet it doesn't usually contain mother's ruin (7)
- 10 Compelled Irish terrorists to produce wine (7)
- 12 A story teller? (8)
- 13 Team leader takes over exotic hidden treasure (5)
- 15 Getting on more? (5)
- 17 Commercial communication acknowledging error, possibly (9)
- 19 Extensive picnic (9)
- 21 We sat around after a long hard work (5)
- 23 To find her, had to make ten rounds in a U.S. state (5)
- 24 An indirect way, to again charge with crime (8)
- 27 Student who sends teacher wild? (7)
- 28 To state the time is quite usual (7)
- 29 Impertinent behaviour from a southern dope (4)
- 30 Draw stumps in an evenly contested game (5,5)

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## Down

- 1 Carry burden to Lawrence (4)
- 2 Mere lad developed into a real gem (7)
- 3 American defensive clothing (5)
- 4 Popular week end tea I prepare if inordinately hungry (9)
- 5 He may be a mere liberal in disguise (5)
- 7 Oil change needed after expedition in North Africa (7)
- 8 Bank accounts for country people way back (10)
- 11 Hates immensely final exams of the French (7)
- 14 Crack up and attend theatrical performances (2,2,6)
- 16 For an emotional bond have informal talk with the left (7)
- 18 Two graduates and I join American girls for unaccompanied songs (9)
- 20 They are engaged in commerce (7)
- 22 Delight in French music (7)
- 24 Not an urban area (5)
- 25 Imagine mother going round again (5)
- 26 Order for silence on Middle Eastern network (4)

## Solution to puzzle 9023

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