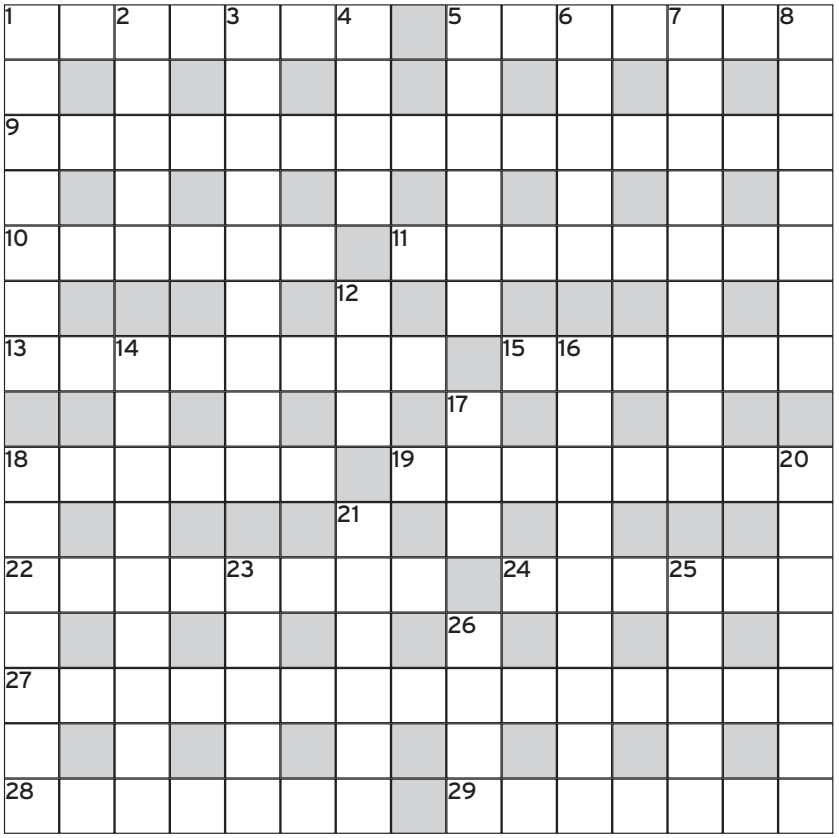
THE HINDU CROSSWORD 9268



Across

1 501 employees representing women's work (7)
6 Arbitrator taken advantage of and rejected (7)
9 One time message of proscription (15)
10 Brood about one's exploitation (6)
11 Two-way discussion (8)
13 Practical people who exposed Tsar's lie (8)
15 A Kabuliwallah! (6)
18 Living in a city, first of entertainers was polished (6)
19 A column I covered with a mix of lime, sand and water (8)
22 Constituents of Agra and Rome get mixed up about a letter (8)
24 It may be armed when giving protection (6)
27 An infinite movement to meter population explosion (9,6)
28 A badge accepted in return by Odette sorrowfully (7)
29 King of Athens who could use the singular cleverly (7)

Down

1 One has to sleep to be one (7)
2 Covers for members from powerful blows (5)
3 Owning up to what parents seek, come June (9)
4 Instability in a fine light unit (4)
5 This fruit is planted in fall (6)
6 A key track could be weak (5)
7 Small fish fired at with a catapult (9)
8 Accommodation for those going for a stretch (7)
12 Pressure unit that may be a source of cash (1,1,1)
14 In bars, grime becomes a waxy substance (9)
16 Slab of rock that signals sound quality (9)
17 Depression where racing motorists may stop? (3)
18 In Rajasthan, it is where Pai struggled in broken Urdu (7)
20 What Nielsen may provide for sailors? (7)
21 Grown up, like the old actor Victor perhaps (6)
23 He has to have a host to be one (5)
25 Growth providing a branch as an offer of reconciliation (5)
26 Tasteless butter, say, containing a trace of lead (4)

Solution to Puzzle 9267

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