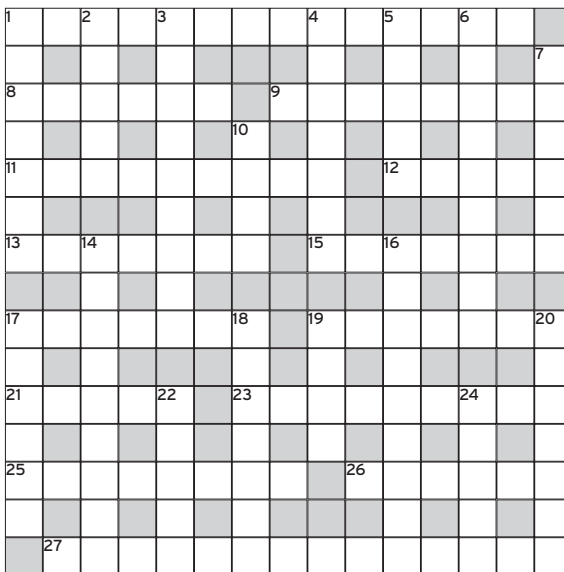


THE HINDU CROSSWORD 9288

Across

- 1 Oddly, our U movies hurt a part of the eye (8,6)
- 8 It can stretch a match at cards (6)
- 9 Brown-haired girl, violent one, straddles snare (8)
- 11 Pride disrupts organ care (9)
- 12 The best product from a dairy (5)
- 13 Hard work leaves a mark around Virginia (7)
- 15 The kind of account for money set aside (7)
- 17 Be in the running to rewrite poem etc. (7)
- 19 Able to meet one's financial obligations, therefore advanced about five (7)
- 21 The inspection to make an embezzler anxious (5)
- 23 In a hamlet, men processed Swiss cheese (9)
- 25 Rapidity shown in dumping it in a vegetable (8)
- 26 Cover around the head for a member trapped in trickery (6)
- 27 Insect in a long American river tracked by famous old singer, reportedly (8,6)



Down

- 1 Modification of an originally valuable song book (7)
- 2 A fleshy stem underground? Right (5)
- 3 A large, shallow lake makes one always happy, with a bit of ecstasy (9)
- 4 Poles share funny equipment to secure the animal to a cart (7)
- 5 The chap in charge is very energetic (5)
- 6 The tune pa played to raise the stakes (2,3,4)
- 7 Part of the skin that Sunder missed to spot here (6)

- 10 Blue dye that is a noting! (4)
- 14 Creature – a right crazy, sick duck (9)
- 16 Token of love that blossoms in February? (9)
- 17 Risk taken by a revolutionary giving shelter to African party (6)
- 18 Choose an academician, one in Greek mythology (7)
- 19 Some wrestling for money and love (4)
- 20 A flammable liquid, a substance with most of the constituents of 19 (7)
- 22 Bone decay reversed in a trunk (5)
- 24 Get away with work in a big commercial success (3,2)

Solution to Puzzle 9287

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