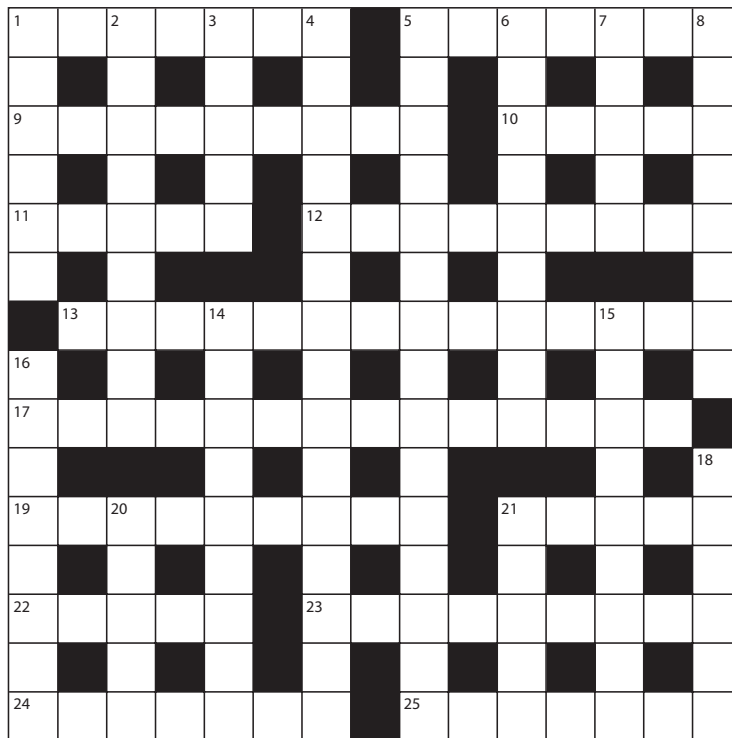


# The Hindu Crossword No. 2516



## Across

- 1 Author looking exhausted and unwell (7)
- 5 Stands by sponsor with drink (5,2)
- 9 Having equal cost and income in holiday flat (5,4)
- 10 Loud? Piece for piano is, yes (5)
- 11 Loose-limbed, Italian male after end of drill (5)
- 12,13 Uneventful, a holiday not worth a postcard? (7,2,5,4,5)
- 17 Holiday-maker, one wanting R and R, we hear, after parking (8-6)
- 19 Sofia cop nervous about onset of trial (by the very nature of the case) (4,5)
- 21 Bar, stifling to staff (5)
- 22 Discipline in class (5)
- 23 Enid cooked hot food over in capital (9)
- 24 Ray in submarine at sea, not right one! (7)
- 25 Governing body of mine might (2,5)

## Down

- 1 Astronomer in centre bowled over the Parisian (6)
- 2 Good army unit capturing a rocky height, a headland in Wales (5,4)
- 3 An animal mounted in joint (5)
- 4 County's best delicacy (10,5)
- 5 Dictator destroyed unionist's mobile (6,9)
- 6 Job-seeker is frank at end of tête-à-tête (9)
- 7 Smart and carefully planned undercover operation (5)
- 8 Carry on opening port (8)
- 14 Time to request to speak to Church of England working party (4,5)
- 15 Extra run perhaps, may cause defeat (9)
- 16 Fruit crop - it's varied after start of August (8)
- 18 An endless task for presenter (6)
- 20 Irishman entertaining daughter in saloon (5)
- 21 Live dance music (5)

## Solution No. 2515

