

THE HINDU CROSSWORD 9452

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Across

- 1 They are of Asian origins but also aborigines of America (7)
- 5 Soldiers ordered to carry kit (7)
- 9 Clover like plant as fodder for cattle (7)
- 10 In time Paulette displays an ornamental shoulder piece (7)
- 11 Fix or mark deeply (5)
- 12 Viewing to excess is a mistake (9)
- 13 Suspiciously detect vermin (5,1,3)
- 15 Lines forming part of a boundary (5)
- 16 Set of rules and characters for converting one form of dates to another (5)
- 18 Moving with all speed when without cover (9)
- 21 Likely place for tennis elbow– mind out! (9)
- 24 Lease taken for a frame to support a picture during painting (5)
- 25 Ran on to go to the erstwhile capital of an Asian country (7)
- 26 Ordered to an isle in a detached situation (7)
- 27 Hideaway provided by South-East Mediterranean island (7)
- 28 Arrange to lie in tent to give claim (7)

Down

- 1 Treats bad habits very badly (3,4)
- 2 Announce in last month real alternative (7)
- 3 A harvest on new soil in ancient Greece (9)
- 4 Constricted form for a shorthand character (5)
- 5 The warder is no vegetarian apparently (9)

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- 6 Titles given to Muslim leaders (5)
- 7 Upon oath, Lee glad to have informed court (7)
- 8 Total possessions of property (7)
- 14 Seen to ride around dwelling place (9)
- 15 He's given unwarranted responsibility (9)
- 16 Taking care of charges they're timid (7)
- 17 Able to con a dim character like him(7)
- 19 Immediate? No, just a moment (7)
- 20 Fish with a Midas look? (7)
- 22 The ball not in possession of any footballer (5)
- 23 Disturbing sound (5)

Solution to puzzle 9451

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