

THE HINDU CROSSWORD 9554

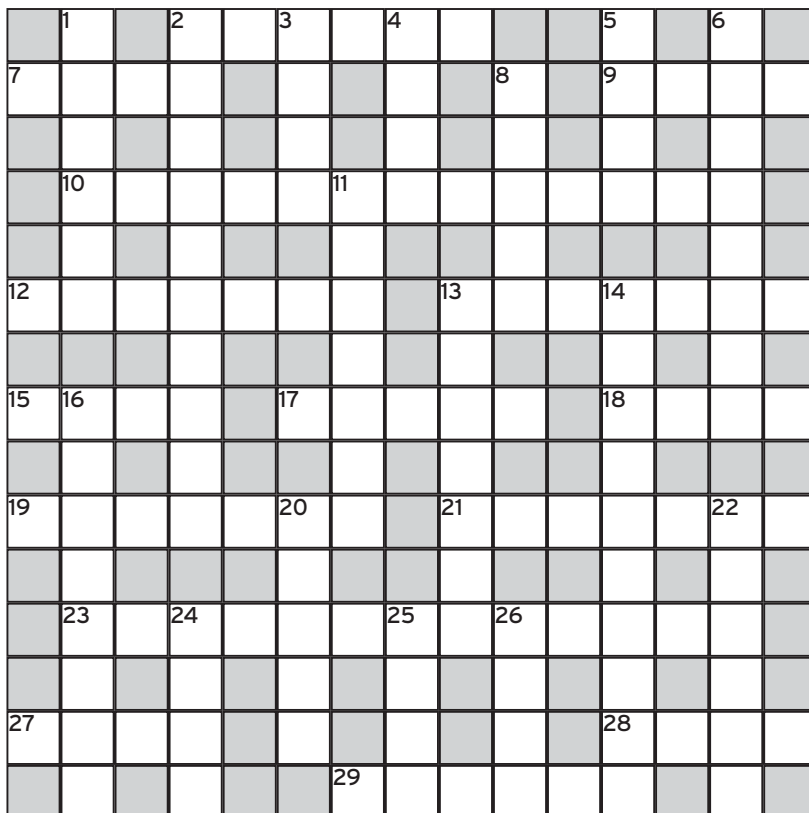
Nita Jaggi

Across

- 2 Socialist holds the firm side of an evidence (6)
- 7 Said to drive away the footwear (4)
- 9 Sad notice for the hobbyist regularly (4)
- 10 Valuable possession is destroyed at the pinwheel (5,8)
- 12 Set to praise the right ambitious person (7)
- 13 Root not formed in the large city (7)
- 15 Powder reserves for Elsie is there (4)
- 17 Thin sheet of horizontal timber (5)
- 18 Skill to turn the round root (4)
- 19 Journal entry that an accountant wants to finish? (7)
- 21 North, East, South-lets come together in sheltered positions (7)
- 23 Kate and Keats together jumped outside a cab going west to assume a secondary position (4,1,4,4)
- 27 Implement to take back the stolen goods (4)
- 28 Walking stick for the first-born, so it's said (4)
- 29 Large chap conceals one fat stomach (6)

Down

- 1 Used the laws to destroy the garments (6)
- 2 Hand them, since one saint strangely remembers the past (10)
- 3 Deal successfully with the policeman in England (4)
- 4 Shake up in an embroilment (4)
- 5 Note always put up on the crop (4)
- 6 Powerful ruler has detectives going up to the sailor holding the tax officer (8)
- 8 Animal inside the ship podium (5)
- 11 What an adult needs to block out the noise? (3,4)
- 13 Giant, I see is very powerful (7)



- 14 Extend away the straight part of a racetrack (10)
- 16 Ritual to boil a nut so to crack (8)
- 20 Comes closer as Sibyl's predecessor went up over an arab (5)
- 22 Level of small measure in the large text (6)
- 24 Start off by learning the art to block the plan (4)
- 25 Region found in the far East (4)
- 26 Eager to have Ken over at the end of June (4)

Solution to puzzle 9553

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