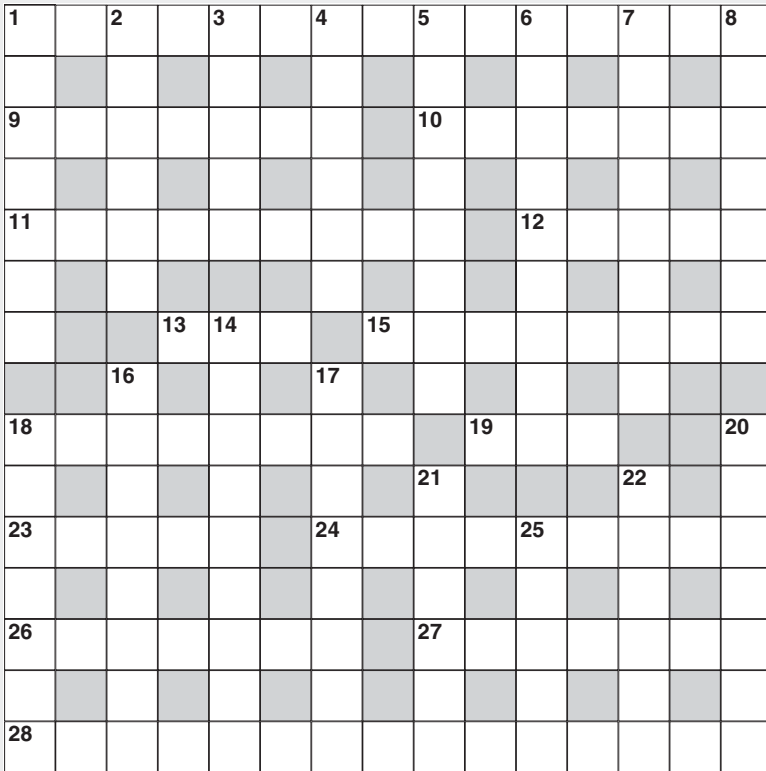


The Hindu Crossword 7629



26 Is Subash full of beans but diffident within? (7)

27 Administer poison, fill with bitterness (7)

28 Perfect spirit, water-free (8,7)

7 Having a bad reputation but trendy, known to many (8)

8 Raising crops upto the time of maturity (7)

14 German old guard in bad fluster is liable to cause anxiety and tension (9)

16 Psychiatrist's study (8)

17 Small book that father allowed to cover rate of progress (8)

18 Symbolic study of numbers, perhaps (7)

20 Halter, first of many, designed to have heat-retaining quality (7)

21 Skin disease (6)

22 Subdivision of a second-grade cattle farm (6)

25 Chaos in Omaha vocalists' convention (5)

Down

1 Outer ear may ail: cure difficult (7)

2 British service upsets whimsical child in lottery (6)

3 Rods' partners in the eye (5)

4 Support for a climber (6)

5 The greatest thing for beginners in Texas

University: Tamil with English translation (8)

6 An addition to a tax, one covered in a scam (9)

Across

1 Farmer, a Greek, one enlightening leader (15)

9 Again given a penalty, purified (7)

10 Diplomatic finish in court, performance not quite complete (7)

11 Amphitheatre, one evocative of a giant perhaps (9)

12 Music for dance

written by a man, bachelor (5)

13 Balaam's beast (3)

15 Way one behaves, a pose (8)

18 A born lama? Odd, odd (8)

19 Chanter is at heart a social creature (3)

23 Bolts down (5)

24 Load carrier in shape? Rock violently (9)

Solution to puzzle 7628

