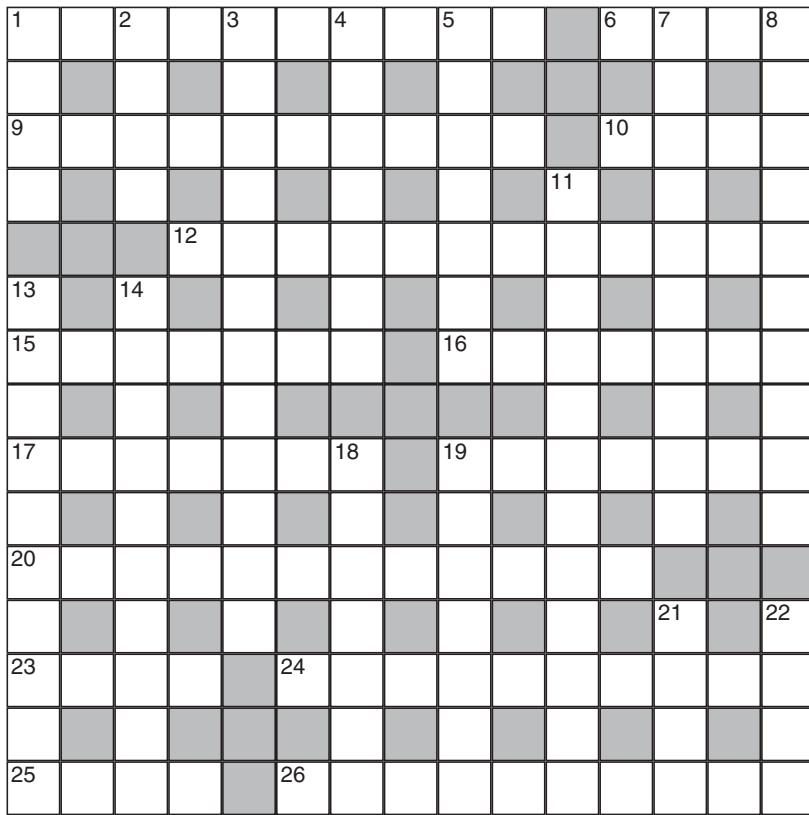


# The Hindu Crossword No. 2506



- 3 Honour favourite English heroine (5,7)
- 4 Gardening tools we left in class turned up (7)
- 5 Social climber in posh street in neighbourhood (7)
- 7 Tea is in pot brewing in plant (10)
- 8 Such chaps may have a blossoming young business? (10)
- 11 English novelist avoiding trendy girls with binoculars (5,7)
- 13 Just the place for some political prisoners? (6,4)
- 14 Mathematician cried 'shame' losing composure (10)
- 18 A further unknown person (7)
- 19 They attack one in added clauses (7)
- 21, 22 Mark well? No, badly beaten (4,4)

## Solution to No. 2505

### Across

- 1 Published book by sharp solicitor (7,3)
- 6 Drams knocked back in turn (4)
- 9 Sydney landmark is nothing Europe has, unfortunately (5,5)
- 10 Draw rand out of back (4)
- 12 GI with army officer and children (7,5)
- 15 A banker finally looks after debts (7)
- 16 Lots shaken by play from Russian writer (7)
- 17 Polonius's daughter's in love with a help, I suspect (7)
- 19 I'm great playing piano jazz (7)
- 20 Polanski's getting girl cast in religious film (5,7)
- 23 Assistant in Dubai dealership (4)
- 24 Sixty cheer store changes (10)
- 25 To go by hand (4)
- 26 Informer, awful sneak, slippery creature (5,5)

### Down

- 1,2 Squander surplus and disappear (4,4)

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