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| 1 German article | 21 Pronoun | 31 Pertaining to amorous sentiment |
| 4 Biblical character | 23 Printers' measures | 34 Chock, as the rolling of a cask |
| 11 Suffix denoting quality in adjectives | 24 Large snake | 35 Afternoon session |
| 12 Smearers, bad painters | 25 Popular name for a breed of dogs | 37 Frigid substance |
| 13 African | 26 Prefix of falling | 38 That which stabs and makes a small burning wound |
| 15 Heads of monasteries | 27 End, cessation | 39 Animal |
| 16 United States General and Senator | 29 Strutting of a Chinese rooster | |
| 18 Number | 30 Member of Asiatic race (var.) | |
| 19 Balance of parts | | |

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| 1 Lowered | 10 Literary papers | 27 Fabric |
| 2 Soothing potion | 14 Circular edge | 28 Erode |
| 3 Emits vapor | 17 Reproaching | 29 French writer |
| 4 Era | 20 Eminence | 31 Units |
| 5 Animal cry | 21 Pictures or decorations made of bits of colored stone | 32 Animal |
| 6 Take away | | 33 Letter of the alphabet |
| 7 Place of monks | 22 Comes out | 36 Hesitant sound |
| 8 Part of Spain | 25 Fatherland (Lat.) | |
| 9 Refuse, scrap | | |

ZIG-ZAG

By CYNTHIA FARIE

LITTLE but neat—and only four two-letter words. The small forms are often troublesome, more so than the longer ones. Here is a skilful use of restricted space.

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| 1 Restaurant | 28 Instruments used for | 49 Empaled |
| 5 Craze | rubbing | 52 Enliven |
| 10 Expression of grief | 30 Enveloped with | 56 Jewish measure |
| 14 Semi-precious stone | 31 A lake | 57 Rested |
| 15 Reveals | 32 Disgraced | 59 Sister |
| 16 Distinguish | 35 Faded | 60 Musical composition |
| 17 Lacteal fluids | 39 Chirp | 62 Little devil |
| 19 Tap | 40 Name of an automobile | 63 Shed |
| 20 Lariat | 41 Greasy | 65 A color |
| 21 Dolt | 42 Classified | 66 Swords |
| 22 Work | 45 Sort of stone | 68 Island |
| 25 A maxim | 47 Make muddy | 69 Therefore |
| 26 American general | 48 Breed or stock | 70 Guards |
| | | 71 An equal |

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| 1 Stupors | 20 Extent | 45 Hair on horse's neck |
| 2 Like a monkey | 23 Settled | 46 Sour substances |
| 3 Feigned | 24 A gait | 48 Grated |
| 4 Deer | 27 A bulwark | 49 Piece of paper |
| 5 State (abbr.) | 29 Speculative truth | 50 Throw |
| 6 Add | 32 Spring | 51 Accustom |
| 7 Almost | 33 Pronoun | 53 Aromatic plant |
| 8 Engraved figure | 34 Prefix, air | 54 Thin silk fabric |
| 9 While | 35 Unite closely | 55 Go in |
| 10 Goddess of mischief | 36 A curved bone | 58 Presage |
| 11 Let | 37 Measure of length | 61 A color |
| 12 Communion table | 38 Stain | 64 Sprt on a card |
| 13 Dishes of sliced cabbage | 40 Musical instrument | 66 And (Lat.) |
| 18 River in France | 43 Saltpetre | 67 Steamship (abbr.) |
| | 44 Joy | |

SPOTTY

By L. P. OBER

SIMPLE, but not so much so as to make it too easy. You should not have to spend much time on this one—but don't run away with the idea that it's a walk-away.

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| 1 Measured step | 27 River of Italy | 44 Small pendent ornament |
| 7 Help | 28 In that direction | 46 Rested |
| 13 Involuntary trembling | 30 Omitted in pronouncing | 47 Imitate |
| 14 Referring to height | 32 Yale | 48 Prepare for publication |
| 15 Gather grain | 33 South African antelope | 50 Metric land measure |
| 16 Entire | 34 Inborn | 51 Industrial furnace |
| 18 Fairy | 37 City of Austria | 52 Drowsy |
| 19 Also | 40 Negative | 54 Invaded suddenly |
| 20 Great body of salt water | 41 Lose spirit | 56 Court game |
| 21 Plan | 43 Exist | 57 Give special importance to |
| 22 Pronoun | | |
| 23 Moved, as a vessel | | |

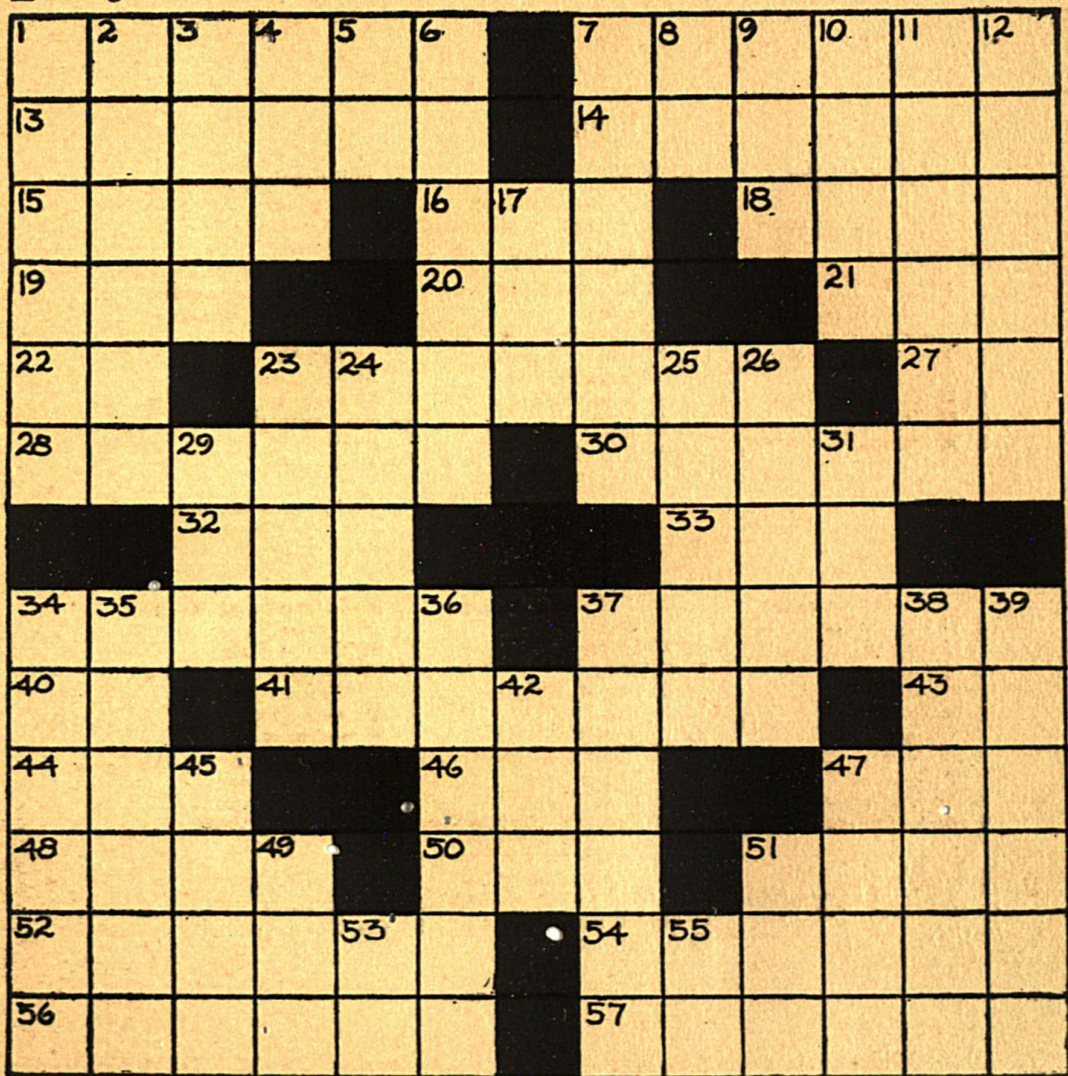
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| 1 Narrow passage | 12 Three-legged stool | 37 Exercisers of the franchise |
| 2 City of Italy | 17 Meadow | 38 City of Italy |
| 3 Peruse | 23 Lettuce and — | 39 Changes |
| 4 Little devil | 24 Stale | 42 State of equality |
| 5 Act | 25 City of Illinois | 45 Well (French) |
| 6 Expunged | 26 Ate | 47 Assistant |
| 7 Glowing | 29 Tumor | 49 Decimal measure |
| 8 Thus | 31 Ubiquitous creditor | 51 City of Moab |
| 9 Soak in | 34 Swarm over | 53 Jumbled type |
| 10 Separate article | 35 Kind of soup | 55 In contact with |
| 11 A Mexican blanket | 36 Literary compositicas | |

YOU SHOULD WORRY

By A. V. BLUM

YOU won't worry over this one. A nice, smooth motion of the pencil, and the thing is done.



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| 1 On what account | 23 Wrath | 47 Indisposition |
| 4 Piece of land | 24 To overhang | 48 Skin |
| 7 Small | 27 Death signals | 49 Drink |
| 10 Appointed time | 30 Grayish white | 52 Soup vessel |
| 12 Beverage | 31 Medicinal plant | 55 Jester |
| 14 Heathen god (myth.) | 33 Gape | 56 Composition for eight parts |
| 15 Large mouthed jar | 35 To urge | 58 Spruce |
| 16 Carnivore allied to the civet | 36 Herb of grace | 60 To put up |
| 17 Either end of Saturn's ring | 37 Contend | 61 Snowy |
| 18 Last | 38 Low murmuring sounds | 62 Lateral |
| 20 Unrelenting | 40 Tissue | 63 More than this |
| 22 A shouting or vociferation | 42 Refuse | 64 Individual |
| | 43 Article of furniture | 65 To spread |
| | 45 Confident | |

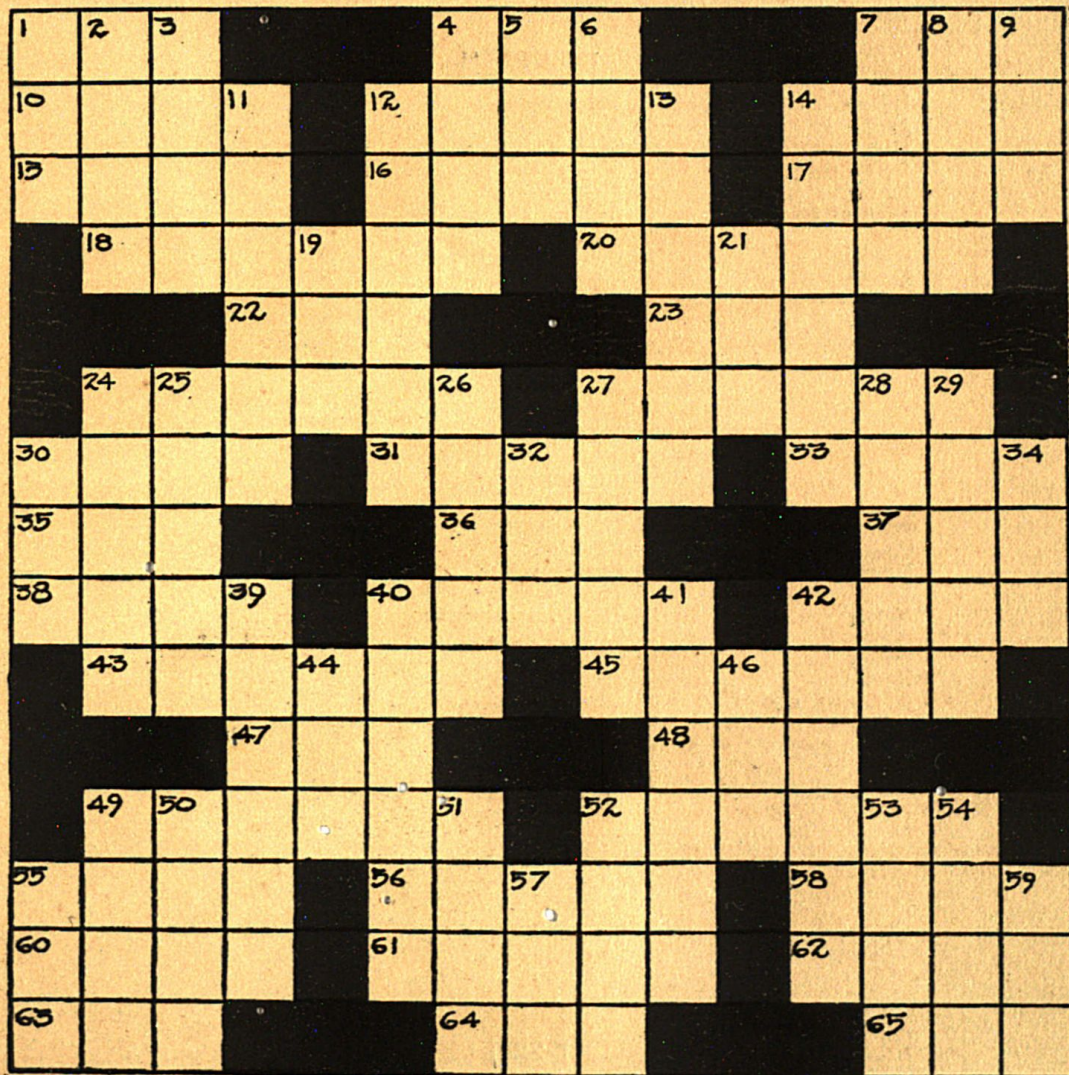
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| 1 The one that | 19 Hush | 40 Companion |
| 2 Irreproachable | 21 Extinct bovine animal | 41 Disprove by argument |
| 3 Christmas | 24 Sham (colloq.) | 42 Hardship |
| 4 Prevaricator | 25 Violent waves in a river, called a bore | 44 To strike lightly |
| 5 Word formerly used in oaths | 26 Affrighted | 46 Worthless fellow |
| 6 Hardy heroine | 27 Joints | 49 Tenor |
| 7 A verge | 28 Large basin | 50 Particle |
| 8 Not difficult | 29 Domesticated animal | 51 Resound |
| 9 Originally the highest note | 30 The fruit of the dog rose | 52 False hair |
| 11 More precipitate | 32 A protuberance (colloq.) | 53 To send forth |
| 12 A kind of basket (pl.) | 34 French marshal | 54 Bare |
| 13 Membrane of the eye | 39 A settlement mart | 55 To fit; to join |
| 14 Only | | 57 A soft metal |
| | | 59 The European pike |

TEES AND CROSSES

By IRVAN NECKERMAN

MR. NECKERMAN, many-times contributor to the joy of nations and well-known to all our readers, once more proves that you can't keep a good man down. Isn't this a neat way of avoiding unkeyed letters and two-letter words?



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| 1 Dilapidated cottage | 28 Oblique glances | 47 Conducts a struggle |
| 6 Artificial | 30 A small bay | 49 For fear that |
| 11 Gorges | 31 Those who color | 51 Female relative |
| 13 Edible seeds | 33 Glass-gall | 53 Vital principle |
| 15 Pert. to a desert | 35 Track by scent | 54 In full activity |
| 16 Kind of fever | 37 Ancient city in Phoenicia | 56 Careless |
| 17 Fail | 38 One who goes to a market | 58 Spasmodic twitching |
| 18 Conduit | 41 City in India | 59 Worship (var.) |
| 20 Understand | 44 Tail | 61 Noisy |
| 21 Falconoid bird | 45 Projecting border of roof | 63 War-vessel soldiers |
| 23 Glossy, as leaves | | 64 Silk fabrics |
| 25 Part of the body | | 65 Ferment |
| 26 Feminine name | | 66 Domesticated |

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| 1 Pillaged | 12 Travel lazily | 40 Stagger |
| 2 Openly | 13 Indulgent | 42 Perturb |
| 3 Energy | 14 Part of a play | 43 Polished |
| 4 Feminine name | 19 Virginia willow (bot.) | 44 Allege |
| 5 Master | 22 Variety of corundum | 46 Crusts |
| 6 Indite | 24 Carts | 48 Denominations |
| 7 Insects | 27 Originated | 50 Genus of basswoods |
| 8 Harden | 29 Trivial thing | 52 Showiness |
| 9 A former capital of Bulgaria | 32 Adversary of man | 55 Melts (Scotch) |
| 10 The striking out of a part of a word | 34 Imperial | 57 God of love in Sanskrit |
| 11 Emits a disagreeable odor | 36 Contrives | 60 Fix |
| | 38 Day of the week | 62 Masc. name (abbr.) |
| | 39 Repair | |

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HARDER THAN IT LOOKS

By CHARLES

USUALLY so many five-letter words would make a puzzle easy, but not when they are accompanied by such as 33 Horizontal and The God of Love in Sanskrit.

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| 1 Lethargy | 24 Biblical name | 47 Fem. name |
| 5 Unmoved | 26 Tongue of a vehicle | 49. First one to circum-
navigate Africa |
| 9 Drag by force | 29 Person of little account | 53. Fem. name |
| 13 Volatile emanation | 35 Smooth | 56 Fibre of the Am. aloe |
| 14 Fem. name | 36 Island of the U. S. A. | 58 Apt |
| 15 Bee | 37 A continent | 60 Measure of length (pl.) |
| 16 Agitator | 38 City of the great divide | 61 Mild oath |
| 18 Urged | 39 Hence | 62 Shut hastily |
| 19 Type measures | 40 Be surcharged | 63 Turkish governors |
| 20 Copied | 41 All-embracing | 64 Strike |
| 22 Character in Victor
Hugo novel | 43 Fails | 65 Fish |
| 23 God (Lat.) | 44 An age | |
| | 45 Water-vessel | |

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| 1 System of rules | 12 Whirlpool | 42 Finish |
| 2 Norwegian god | 17 Am. Indian | 46 Flowed |
| 3 Peat-bog | 21 Man's nickname | 47 Imitated |
| 4 Skill | 23 Once more (Latin) | 48 African river |
| 5 Pistol | 25 Island near N. Y. City | 50 Assists |
| 6 Place of Napoleon's
exile | 26 S. American country | 51 Bite repeatedly |
| 7 Sauce made of her-
rings | 27 Range chamber | 52 Place of the Taj Mahal |
| 8 Passage-money | 28 Indulgently | 53 Beloved of Hercules |
| 9 Possesses | 30 Belonging to us | 54 Binary |
| 10 Estimator | 31 Female camel | 55 Vipers |
| 11 Place | 32 Compensation | 57 Fool |
| | 33 Pile up in layers | 59 Congeal |
| | 34 Sweet potatoes | |

PATTERN WITH WORDS

By CHARLES ERLINKOTTER

THIS constructor is capable of tripping up our very best people with his choice definitions. However, he has been merciful here, and has only dragged a red-herring sauce across the trail.

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| 1 Small lizard | 22 Notable period | 44 Brazilian money of ac- |
| 4 American poet | 23 Cooking utensil | count |
| 7 Tune | 24 Track | 45 Anecdote |
| 8 Device for producing | 26 Prefix—three | 47 Country-like |
| light | 27 Capable of extension | 49 Paradise |
| 10 A rubbing to a fine | 29 Demolished | 50 Dog feet |
| powder | 31 Coal weight | 52 Be drowsy |
| 13 Descent of water in | 32 Swine | 53 Unite by fusion |
| drops | 33 Bloodhound | 54 In a sensitive manner |
| 14 Beam | 37 Canes | 57 Total defeat |
| 15 Jogging pace | 41 The whole | 58 Mis-statements |
| 17 To watch | 42 Diocese of a bishop | 59 Very small |
| 18 Tubes | 43 Female sheep | 60 Ox-like animal |
| 20 Compact | | |

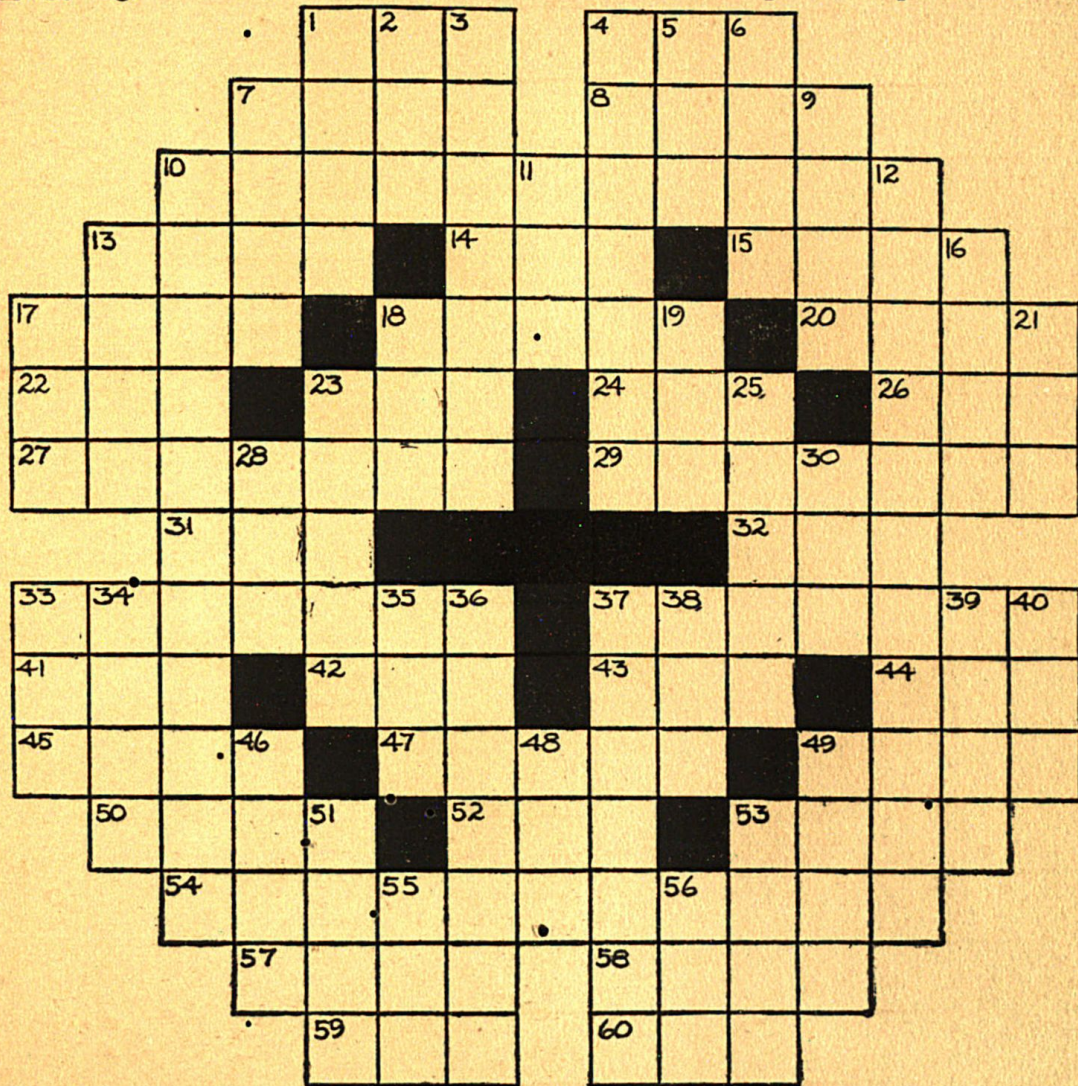
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| 1 Ireland | 16 Weary | 38 Tool with which to |
| 2 Suitable | 17 Rainy | pierce holes |
| 3 Pertaining to a bull | 18 Mate | 39 Poverty |
| 4 Actors | 19 To add | 40 Violation of propriety |
| 5 Grain | 21 Middle | 46 Water pitcher |
| 6 Send out | 23 One eighth of a gallon | 48 Putrefy |
| 7 Dry | (pl.) | 49 Fishes |
| 9 Harbor | 25 Flavor | 51 Frozen particles of |
| 10 Wild Neapolitan | 28 Male descendant | vapor |
| dances | 30 Drunkard | 53 Seven days |
| 11 Knock | 33 Perched | 55 Entreat |
| 12 Towards the North | 34 Applaud | 56 By way of |
| Pole | 35 Contraction of ever | |
| 13 Unusual | 36 Join again | |
| | 37 Willingly | |

OCTAGONAL

By PHILIP T. GABEL

MR. GABEL is an old-timer where cross-words are concerned. It is not surprising, therefore, to find an excellent construction coming from his practised hand.



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| 1 Sojourn | 31 Ox-like African ante-
lope | 57 Disengage |
| 6 Feminine pronoun | 33 Sanctum | 59 Hedge |
| 9 Beseeches | 36 Denoting a purpose | 61 Freeze |
| 13 Creator | 38 Efface | 62 Prop |
| 15 Egg-shaped | 40 In law, an action | 64 Morbidly irritated |
| 16 Birthplace of Abraham | 41 Unroof | 66 Gingersnap |
| 17 Shelf, as of rock | 42 Broken | 67 General purports |
| 18 Revolve in a spiral | 44 Haul | 69 Pertaining to a wall |
| 20 Ripped | 46 Peacock butterfly | 71 Tone of diatonic scale |
| 22 Devours | 47 Playing-card | 72 Measures of land |
| 24 Helped | 49 Pointed | 73 Ejected |
| 25 Self | 51 Finis | 76 Augur |
| 26 Dexterity | 53 Toward the left side | 77 Facetiousness |
| 27 Enchantress | 55 Meet again in session | 78 Borders |
| 29 Black | | |

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| 1 Unwarrantable assump-
tion | 19 Enclosures used for
some specific work | 48 Paving-block |
| 2 Prefix: two | 21 Wanderer | 50 Barren |
| 3 Coquettish look | 23 Frighten | 52 Hummed |
| 4 Perish | 26 Keel-billed cuckoo | 54 Tassel |
| 5 Finisher | 28 Silly | 56 Luke-warm |
| 6 Let it stand | 30 Measures of length | 58 Appeared |
| 7 Exclamation | 32 Lifting device | 60 Brood of a predatory
bird |
| 8 Unit of work | 34 Extirpates | 62 Pierce |
| 9 Derived from boron | 35 Recent | 63 Demi-god |
| 10 Avoided | 37 Gauze-like material | 65 Discard |
| 11 Portal | 39 Sidle | 66 Volcanic scoria |
| 12 Vehicle on runners | 41 Fasten | 68 Mend |
| 13 External | 43 Images | 70 Connective word |
| 14 Child's playing marble | 45 Rosin | 74 Chinese weight |
| | | 78 Symbol for tellurium |

ALL SERENE HERE

By EUGENE SHEFFER

A SEASONED contributor poses you a problem here, and he hasn't put many obstacles in your way. The interlock is nice and you'll note the absence of unkeyed letters.

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| 1 Serve | 20 Go | 35 Ancient heroine |
| 5 Fencing term | 21 Animal (Fr.) | 36 Low part of a city |
| 11 God | 22 Fear | 37 Burden |
| 12 City in Nevada | 24 Title of address | 38 Poet |
| 13 Weight | 25 Part of common verb | 40 Hairless |
| 14 Metal | 27 Driveway | 41 Imaginary land |
| 15 Gritty substance | 28 Luminous body | 42 Kind of seaweed |
| 16 Inhabitant of Medi-
terranean Island | 29 Tag | 43 Obey |
| 17 Exclamation | 30 Total | 44 Ill feeling |
| 18 Divert from straight
line | 31 Turkish officials | 45 Electrical measure |
| 19 River in Asia Minor | 32 Part of ear | 46 Animal |
| | 33 French particle | |
| | 34 Shrub | |

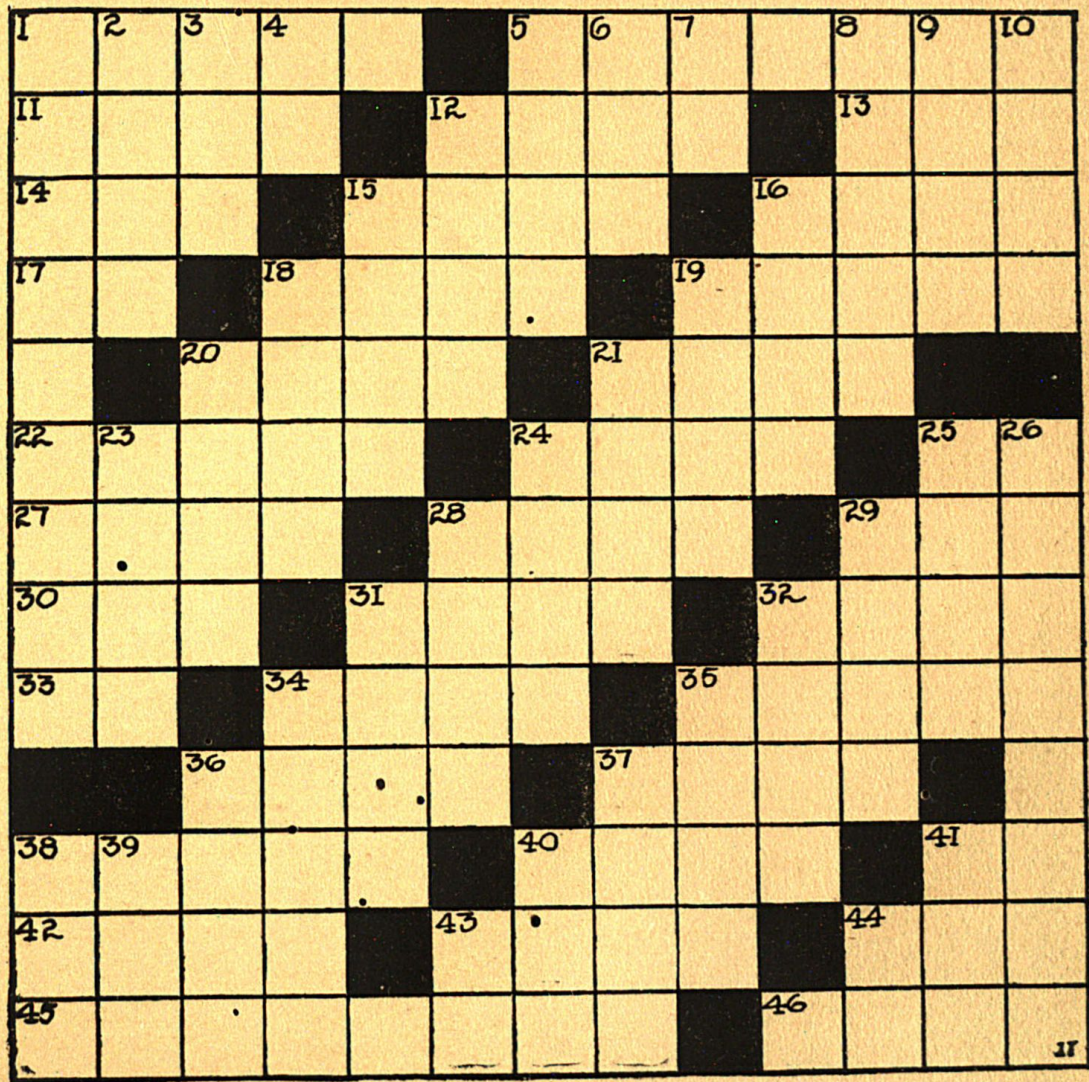
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| 1 Bishop's church | 16 Overfill | 32 Guide |
| 2 Song | 18 Small globe | 34 Past |
| 3 Number | 19 German title of ad-
dress | 35 Retain |
| 4 Plural suffix | 20 Well-being | 36 Sharp projection in
water |
| 5 Tear | 21 Prejudice | 37 Rustic path |
| 6 Asiatic country (poet-
ical) | 23 Part | 38 Barrier |
| 7 River | 24 Mythological river | 39 Years |
| 8 Old | 25 Infant | 40 Large receptacle for
various materials |
| 9 Conservative | 26 Name | 41 Primordial metal |
| 10 Complete | 28 Appear | 43 Pronoun |
| 12 Part of South Africa | 29 Related | 44 That is (Latin, abbr.) |
| 15 Dispatch | 31 Color | |

PUZZLE No. 258 WHEN THE HORIZONTALS FINALLY GET MEAN

By JOSEPH BARBATO

THE top and bottom lines of horizontals have an odd word or two. The rest of the way this puzzle is easy.



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- 1 High mountains
- 5 Obscurity
- 10 A narrow pass or defile
- 14 Noise; clamor; uproar
- 15 Warm
- 16 A barrow
- 17 A large bulrush
- 18 To heave
- 19 Perched
- 20 Rytinas
- 22 Loathing
- 24 For fear that
- 25 To move
- 26 Nuts
- 29 Rejoices
- 33 The flower
- 34 Artificial water trenches
- 35 An inlet, or creek (Shet. Ilds.)
- 36 To a distance
- 37 Vegetables
- 38 A depression
- 39 Species of goldfish
- 40 Violent anger
- 41 A projection
- 42 A breed of dogs (pl.)
- 44 An adherent of Zo-roaster
- 45 A book of the Bible
- 46 Celebrated French artist
- 47 Sprightly
- 50 Deserted
- 54 Longing desire
- 55 Waste and knots of Wool; combings
- 57 A river in Austria
- 58 Indigo dye
- 59 Hamper of wickerwork
- 60 Part of the face
- 61 To found, as an argument
- 62 Small portable stoves
- 63 A prong

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- 1 Skillful plans
- 2 A bumpkin
- 3 To whimper
- 4 Starlike
- 5 Pressure
- 6 Organ of body
- 7 The sacred bull
- 8 The god Pluto
- 9 Destitute of teeth
- 10 Foolish
- 11 Inclination
- 12 A plexus
- 13 Basement entrance
- 21 Smoothed
- 23 Supports
- 25 An opening in the forest
- 26 A small bird
- 27 To cut off, as a vowel
- 28 Beverage
- 29 Spouts for hot metal
- 30 Levels
- 31 The one or single occasion
- 32 Mediterranean vessel
- 34 Annealing ovens
- 37 Assumption
- 38 Abandoned
- 40 A village; a dwelling
- 41 Game of chance
- 43 Noisy, rapid talk
- 44 Sheriff's summoned assistants (pl.)
- 46 Land at the mouth of a river
- 47 To tell tales
- 48 Silver
- 49 The mother of Horus (myth.)
- 50 The daughter of Jupiter (myth.) (poetic)
- 51 Whitish gray
- 52 Thin tin plates
- 53 Sea eagle
- 56 Fragment

DOUBLE DIAGONALS

BY I. NECKERMAN

ANYONE who has tackled this constructor's constructions knows offhand that there is trouble ahead. Mr. Neckerman delights in breaking solvers' hearts.

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| 1 County in Ireland | 24 Greek combining form,
muscle-fibre | 41 Above |
| 6 A deep red | 25 Central part | 42 Island in Grecian archi-
pelago |
| 11 Name of an opera | 26 Instilling | 43 Kind of puzzle |
| 12 To the sheltered side | 28 Inclined | 45 Historical period |
| 13 In a certain place | 30 Grease | 46 Toward |
| 15 In good season | 31 Conquer | 47 Moved back |
| 17 College degree | 32 Cuts out | 49 Bone |
| 18 Sap used for varnish | 35 Strait between Alaska
and Asia | 50 Flat circular piece |
| 20 Wanderers | 38 No one | 51 Ornamental prince |
| 21 This side of (Lat.) | 39 Hawaiian food | 53 Slab on which column
rests |
| 22 Ornamental fastening
of cloak | | 54 Opportune |

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| 1 Town near Naples | 17 Mud | 35 White crystalline com-
pound |
| 2 Tantalum (chem.) | 19 Part of horse's hoof
(pl.) | 36 Roman emperor |
| 3 Bone of the body | 21 Conspire with | 37 Covered with gramina-
ceous plants |
| 4 Fancy | 23 Opening in a forest | 40 Japanese sash |
| 5 Mold in which any-
thing is cast | 25 City in Egypt | 43 Forked support for rifle |
| 6 Disport | 27 Indian tribe | 44 Combining form, half |
| 7 Malt liquors | 29 Female sheep | 47 Hurry (Scot.) |
| 8 Thing, in law | 32 Establishing a resting
place | 48 Hazy |
| 9 Point of compass | 33 Booty | 50 Prefix, two |
| 10 Pestered | 34 Patch (dial. Eng.) | 52 Concerning |
| 14 Mountain lake | | |
| 16 Scotch for John | | |

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SO'S YOUR OLD MAN

By MARGERY MCKAY

MISS MCKAY does her stuff in eminent style in this construction. It is simple enough, in all conscience, but many unusual words make up for the conventionality of design.

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HORIZONTAL

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| 1 A division of the
Aryan family | 25 Prophets | 46 Famous lover |
| 5 To engage | 27 To cut short | 48 A mooring |
| 9 Whip | 28 The female of the hart | 49 Prefix meaning through |
| 10 Again | 29 A propelling instru-
ment | 50 A wild swan (pl.) |
| 11 A scent | 30 Relationship | 52 A hardy cereal |
| 12 One | 32 To toss gently | 53 The middle of the day |
| 13 Vapor | 33 Spikenard | 55 Gentle flow |
| 14 Catch | 35 Girl's name | 57 To portend |
| 16 Permit | 37 Term of address in
Persia | 59 Taunt |
| 18 An English nobleman | 39 Girl's nickname | 60 Above |
| 20 Congealed water | 42 The tenth part | 61 Opinion |
| 21 Value | 45 A particle of matter | 62 An elongated fish (pl.) |
| 24 To grow old | | 63 The blackbird (poet.) |

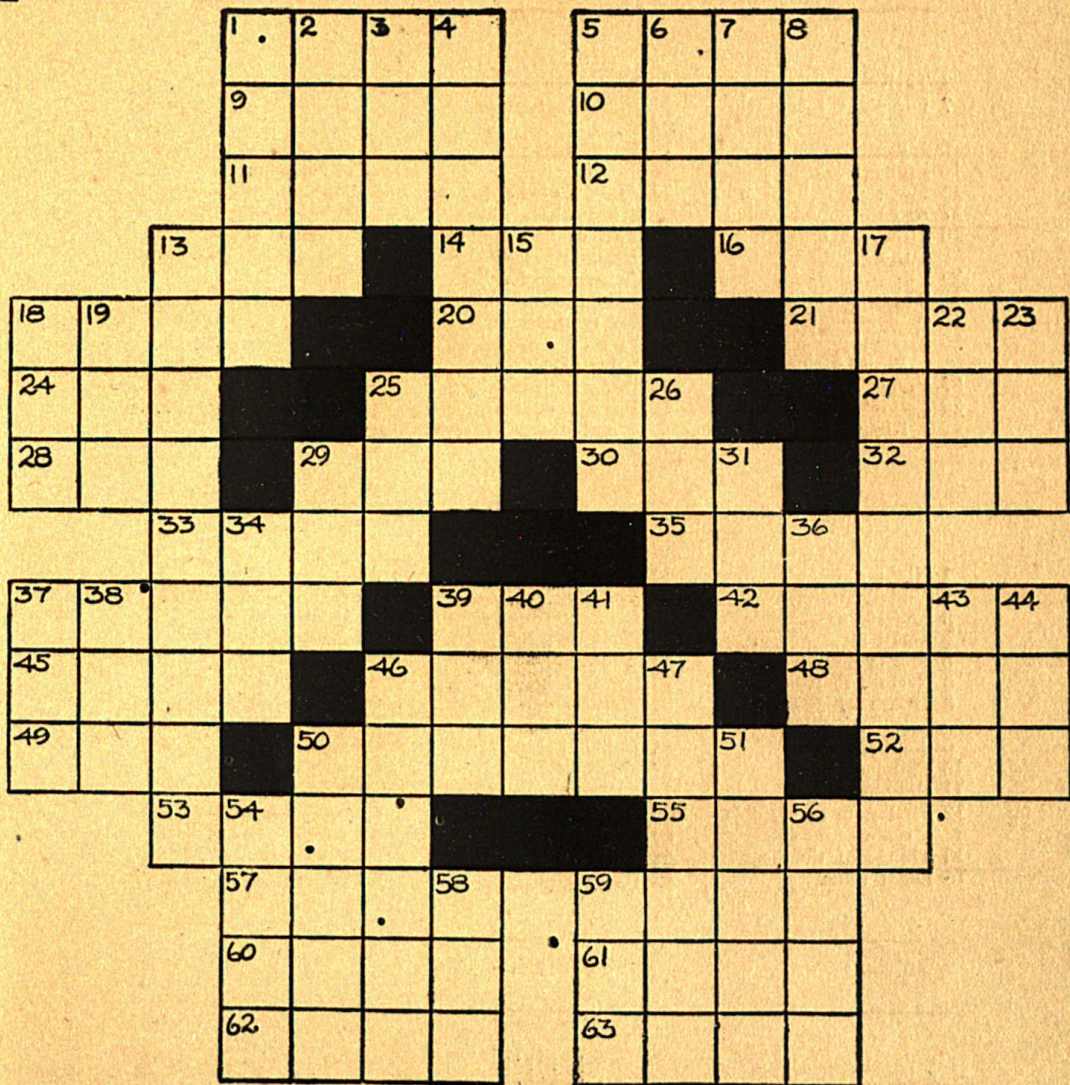
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| 1 A shallow | 22 Likewise | 43 Heavy one-masted •
coasting vessel |
| 2 A movable cover (pl.) | 23 To flow back | 44 Small perforation |
| 3 Bustle | 25 Mournful | 46 Poem of fourteen lines |
| 4 A graduated scale | 26 Transgression | 47 An imitation gold |
| 5 A coat of armor | 29 Circular body | 50 Disease in cattle |
| 6 A tavern | 31 The egg of a small
insect | 51 Temperate |
| 7 To render turbid (old
French) | 34 Direct at something | 54 Musical wind instru-
ment |
| 8 Come in | 36 Bird's beak | 56 Intense interest |
| 13 A novice | 37 Alburnum of a tree | 58 Stuttering exclamations |
| 15 Playing card | 38 Devoured | 59 Man's nickname |
| 17 Painting on walls | 39 The low of a cow | |
| 18 Spike of corn | 40 A hobgoblin | |
| 19 Gone | 41 By birth | |

A PRETTY FORM

By J. KRULIS, Jr.

I LIKE these novel forms. This one is nicely decorative.



- 1 Thrive
 7 Porcelain receptacle
 for Saturday night
 use
 14 Pronoun
 15 Made of a hard wood
 17 A handsome woman
 18 Structure bordering
 the mouth
 20 Purport
 22 Twelve
 23 A continent
 25 French protectorate in
 West Africa
 27 Preposition
 28 Follower of Genghis
 Khan

- HORIZONTAL**
 30 Undulates
 31 Indolent tumor
 32 Article
 33 Equal score
 35 Jewel
 36 Author of "Essay on
 Man"
 37 Part of fish dinner
 39 Designates
 40 A presser of cloth
 41 Epic poem
 43 Five-pointed figures
 44 Fire dog
 47 Cries of a crow
 48 Prefix: equal
 49 Unit of soul and
 body

- 50 French article
 51 Nothing but
 52 Inn
 54 Favorite of Queen
 Elizabeth
 56 Pronoun
 57 Kind of oilcloth
 59 The Orient
 60 Masculine nickname
 61 A drink
 63 Tender (Latin)
 64 Obscure saying
 67 Athenian statesman,
 429 B. C.
 69 Preposition
 70 Tinged with rose color
 71 Captivate

- 1 Night garments
 2 Understanding
 3 Therefore
 4 Small mass of butter
 5 Pieces out
 6 Restore to freshness
 8 Month of Jewish cal-
 endar
 9 Southern state
 10 Call loudly
 11 Gold-headed Parrakeet
 12 First note in Guido's
 scale
 13 Things of the past
 16 Legal minority

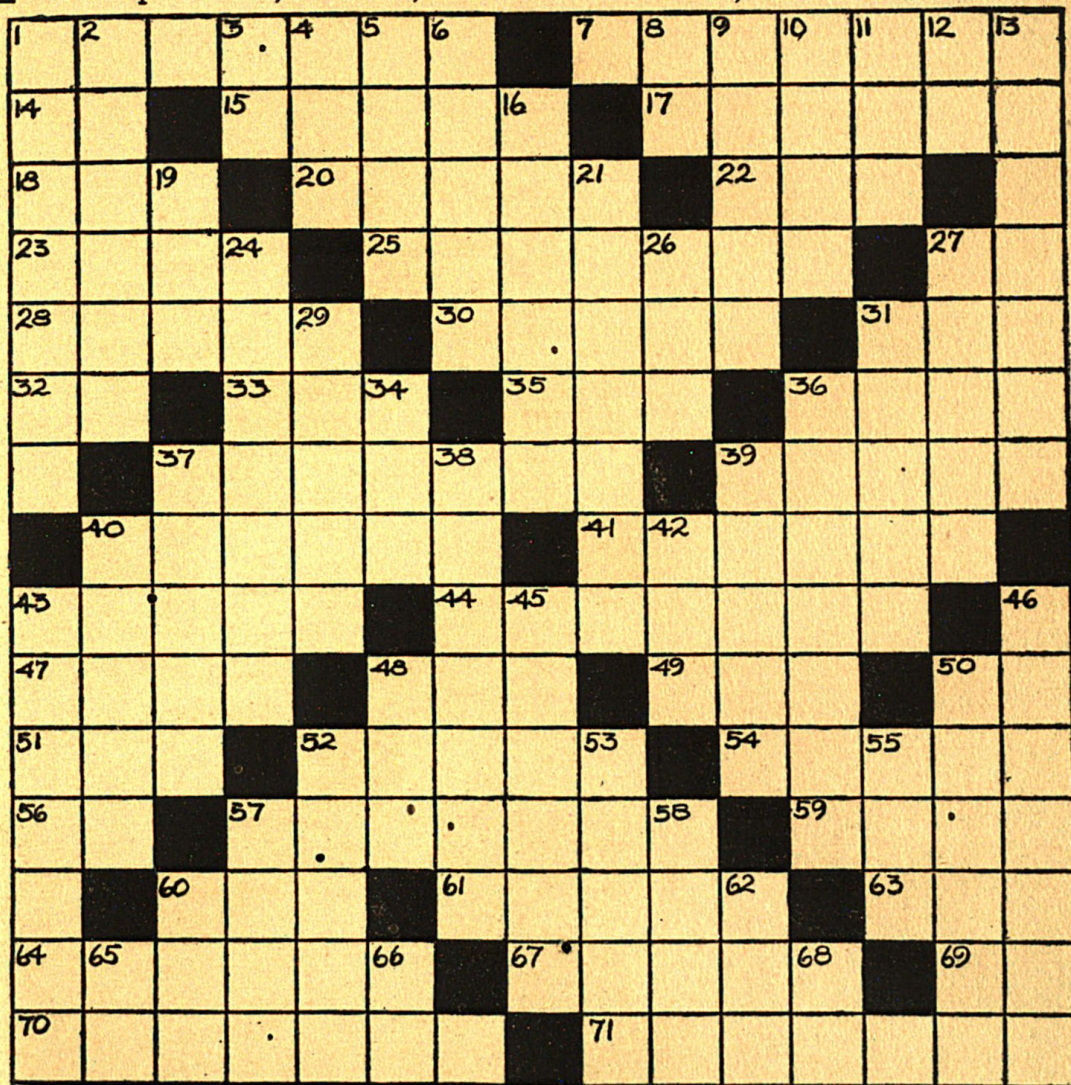
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 19 False hair
 21 Venerated
 24 Originators
 26 Kind of muffin
 27 Wigwam
 29 King of beasts (pl.)
 31 Mothers of men
 34 Mother of lambs
 36 Indian baby
 37 Move like a worm
 38 Extreme
 39 Amundsen's dirigible
 40 European country
 42 Small coin of India
 43 Hasty flight

- 45 Intellectual
 46 Measuring instrument
 48 Electrified particle
 50 An injury
 52 Game played on a
 board
 53 Long-handled spoon
 55 Undermine
 57 Shrewd
 58 Perceived
 60 Pronoun
 62 Fabulous bird
 65 Not any
 66 Preposition
 68 Eastern state (abbr.)

HELP!

By CHARLOTTE DAVIS

If you will scan the names of the editors of this book and then at No. 1 Horizontal of this puzzle and, after that, at No. 2 Vertical—well, what the deuce!



HORIZONTAL

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| 1 An epic | 23 Cult of beauty | 43 Measuring proportionally |
| 5 Member of South Pacific race | 25 Bass horn | 46 Id est (abbr.) |
| 9 Long, narrow opening | 27 American writer | 47 Dissolve away, as an acid |
| 10 Wrath | 29 Disk-like | 49 Dash |
| 12 Fancies | 31 Mortise | 50 Pray (Latin) |
| 14 Man's nickname | 32 Kind of circus | 51 Fastener |
| 15 Sharp | 33 Suffix used in physiology | 53 Label |
| 17 Apt | 34 Animal | 54 Asiatic plant |
| 18 Animal | 36 Hospices | 55 Comes to rest |
| 19 Churchman | 38 Age | 56 Isolated fertile places |
| 21 Conjunction | 40 Conjunction | |
| 22 Beverage | 41 Form of common verb | |

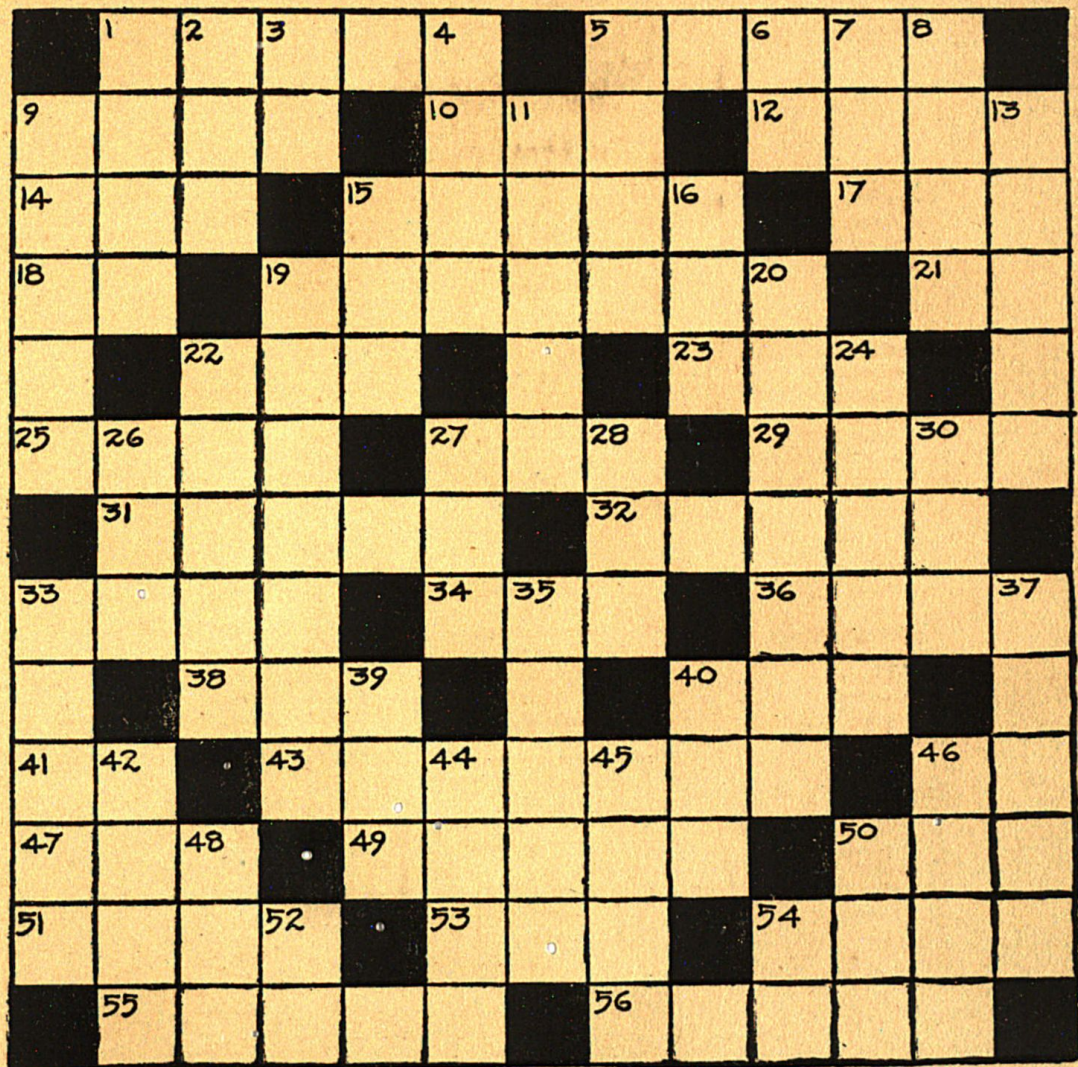
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| 1 A plant | 16 Greek letter | 40 Insect |
| 2 Top piece | 19 Smoothers | 42 Projecting small parts |
| 3 Pronoun | 20 Wearing away | 44 Dramatic parts |
| 4 Marked cubes | 22 The white poplar | 45 Character in Othello |
| 5 Prefix meaning above | 24 Tendency, direction | 46 Character in Antony and Cleopatra |
| 6 Preposition | 26 American aborigine | 48 Make lace |
| 7 Strike | 27 Literary fragments | 50 Poem |
| 8 Hero who abducted Marpessa | 28 Before | 52 Act |
| 9 Ermine | 30 Good (Fr.) | 54 Part of body (Latin) |
| 11 Lined | 33 Medicinal cigarette | |
| 13 Account | 35 Roman female garment | |
| 15 Part of common verb | 37 Filch | |
| | 39 One | |

SET 'EM UP

BY ALEX MACKAY

NOT the drinks but type. Alex Mackay set this one up on his pet linotype machine. No trouble at all, not a bit. That applies to solving it.



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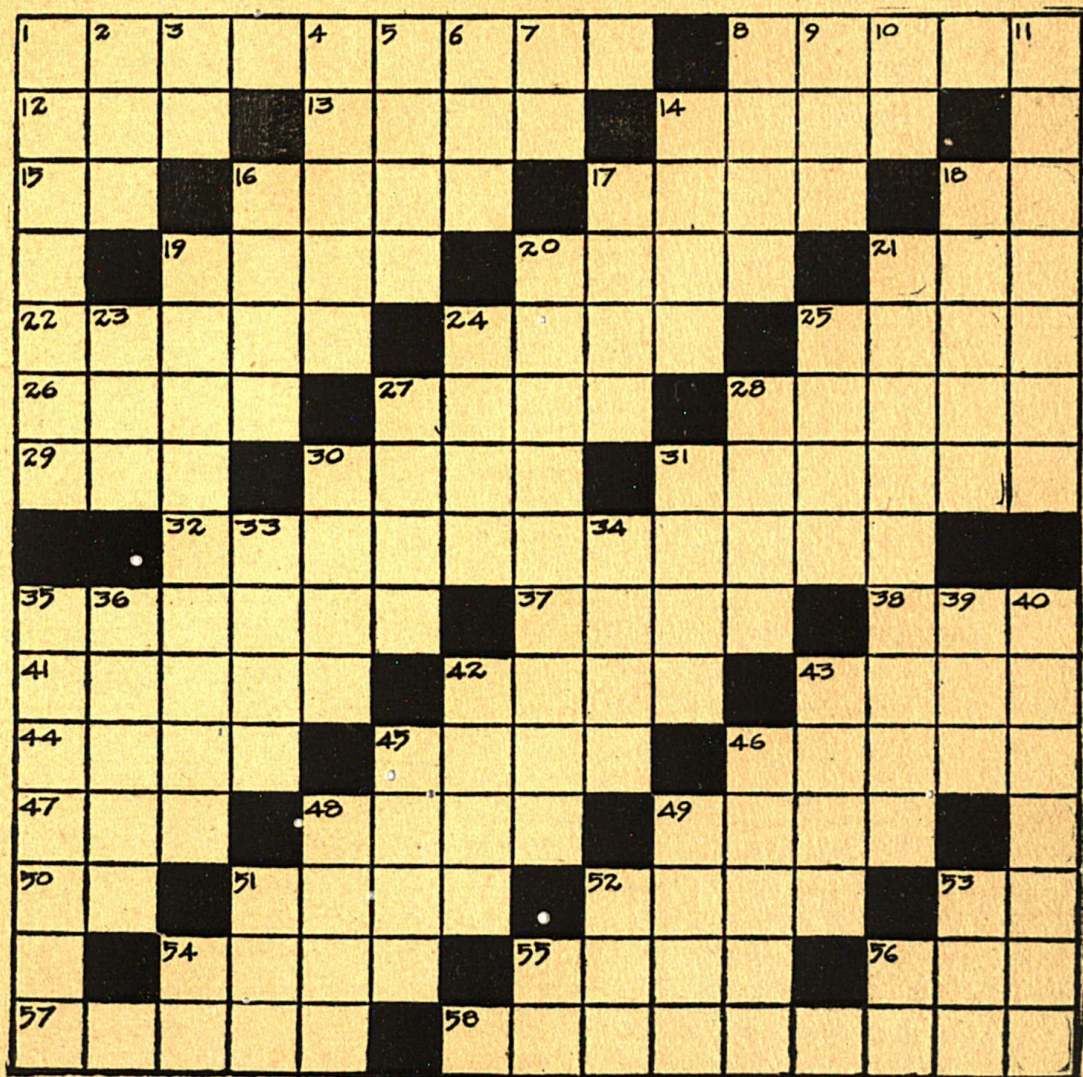
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| 1 Substitution for another (pl.) | 25 Man's nickname | 44 Limit |
| 8 The gorilla | 26 To declare, in pinochle | 45 Fine muslins |
| 12 Certain fruit | 27 A pier | 46 Parish church land |
| 13 Down with | 28 Male voice | 47 Calm side |
| 14 Uproar | 29 Skill | 48 Darnel |
| 15 A disinfectant | 30 Whetstone | 49 Ancient |
| 16 Did speed | 31 Spines | 50 Man's nickname |
| 17 Table-land | 32 Unfading | 51 Important |
| 18 Slang for boy | 35 Akin | 52 Prevaricator |
| 19 Agree | 37 Digits | 53 Jumbled type |
| 20 A vein | 38 Decline | 54 Season |
| 21 Viscous substance | 41 Enraged | 55 Death |
| 22 Belonging to you | 42 Morsel of food | 56 Dull brown color |
| 24 Insect's sting | 43 Evergreen plant | 57 Grudge |
| | | 58 Pert. to asbestos |

VERTICAL

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| 1 Tissue forming juice | 19 Sultan's dominion | 40 The most direct way |
| 2 A religious woman | 20 February 14th | 42 Farm building |
| 3 Near | 21 A long "movie" | 43 Wing-shaped |
| 4 A stone | 23 Over | 45 Temptation |
| 5 Second | 24 Spanish title | 46 Quadrupeds |
| 6 Go about idly | 25 Laborer | 48 Recital |
| 7 Plural termination | 27 Additional | 49 Wages |
| 8 If not (Lat.) | 28 Pronoun | 51 Carpet |
| 9 Gazelle | 30 Abhor | 52 Toss |
| 10 Certain thing | 31 Objective case of thou | 53 A play upon words |
| 11 Worshipers | 33 South American tea | 54 Yet (sp.) |
| 14 Schism | 34 Children | 55 Manuscript (abbr.) |
| 16 Uttered with the breath | 35 Without purpose | 56 Double (prefix) |
| 17 Nothing but | 36 Avarice | |
| 18 Wand | 39 An ear-drop | |

PUSH ALONG

THAT is, your pencil. Let 'er go—full steam ahead. Nothing here to stop your progress.



HORIZONTAL

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| 1 Add flavoring to liquor | 27 Country seat | 57 Bend |
| 4 Sovereignty | 29 Hub of wheel | 58 Untanned skin of calf |
| 7 Kiss of peace | 32 Egg-shaped ornaments | 60 Grassy field |
| 10 Cut off edges | 33 Transferers of title | 61 Edge with lace-like
threadwork |
| 13 Ivy | 35 Waterfall | 62 Scalloped |
| 14 Be obliged for | 36 Shrill criers | 65 Cost of haulage |
| 15 Frigid | 38 Improved | 69 Decompose |
| 16 Openings into organs | 40 Weapon | 70 Fame |
| 17 Unrestrained | 41 Marsh | 71 Belonging to us |
| 19 Yearner | 42 Outskirts | 72 Not this alone |
| 21 Row | 46 Effeminate man | 73 As you say |
| 22 Stir up and spread for
drying | 50 Epoch | 74 Footlike organ |
| 24 Male cat | 51 Eat wrong food | 75 Congeal |
| 25 Find fault unreason-
ably | 53 Expiate | 76 Lash |
| | 54 Heed | |
| | 56 Herbs allied to onion | |

VERTICAL

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| 1 Son of Odin and God
of war | 20 Charged product of
dissociation | 45 Serving no good pur-
pose |
| 2 Succulent fruit with
placenta | 23 Antiquity | 46 Japanese rulers |
| 3 Pertaining to a wood
(rare) | 25 Diffident | 47 Jumping |
| 4 Laugh vociferously | 26 Salutation | 48 West Indian sorcery |
| 5 Slender spine on grass | 27 Bronze gilt | 49 Sacred casket |
| 6 Breakwaters | 28 Withers | 52 Scotch river mentioned
in verse |
| 7 Dawdler | 30 Strive for superiority | 55 Consanguinity |
| 8 Hair's breadth | 31 Result | 57 Fit closely |
| 9 Covered portico for
athletes | 33 Remove the rim | 59 Feeler |
| 10 Accepted rules | 34 Slender and elegant | 61 Cutting |
| 11 Strong resentment | 37 Confederate | 62 Pack of hounds |
| 12 Fish with spear-like
snout | 39 Fluid secreted by
cuttlefish | 63 Mottled streak in wood |
| 18 Soft food for babes | 42 Through | 64 Nethermost extremity |
| | 43 Substantive ending of
nouns | 66 Lament over |
| | 44 Snowshoes | 67 Showy |
| | | 68 Scrutinize |

THE MIDDLE ROAD

By JACOB ROBINSON

THIS one is not too easy nor yet too hard. The upper left and the lower right corners may stop you a bit but not for long.

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