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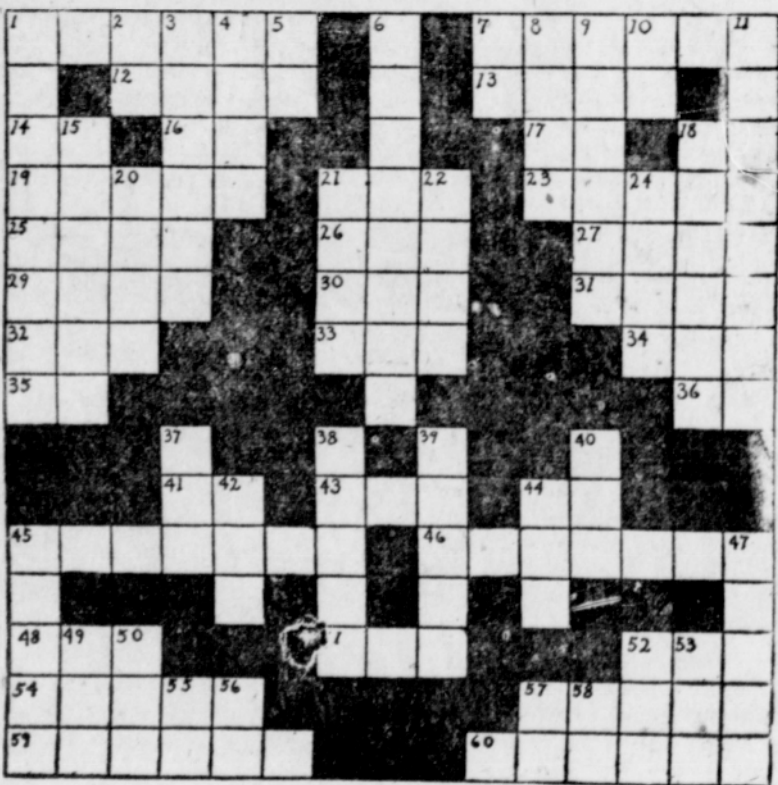
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HOW TO SOLVE A CROSS-WORD PUZZLE
When the correct letters are placed in the white space this puzzle will spell words both vertically and horizontally. The first letter in each word is indicated by a number, which refers to the definition listed below the puzzle. Thus No. 1 under the column headed "horizontal" defines a word which will fill the white spaces up to the first black square to the right, and a number under "vertical" defines a word which will fill the white squares to the next black one below. No letters go in the black spaces. All words used are dictionary words, except proper names. Abbreviations, slang, initials, technical terms and obsolete forms are indicated in the definitions.

CROSS-WORD PUZZLE No. 13



Horizontal.

- 1—Bluish gray mineral
- 7—Sudden gust of wind
- 12—Benediction
- 13—Narrow flat-bottomed boat
- 14—Northwestern state (abbr.)
- 16—Exist
- 17—Three-toed sloth
- 18—Of age (abbr.)
- 19—Old oriental coin
- 21—Distress signal (abbr.)
- 23—Seaman's tales
- 25—Above
- 26—Fate
- 27—Buckle or clasp
- 28—Crack that admits liquid
- 30—Single
- 31—Repetition
- 32—Skill
- 33—Jewel
- 34—Ancient Hebrew measure
- 35—Steam vessel (abbr.)
- 36—Pertaining to
- 41—Impersonal pronoun
- 42—The land of the free and the home of the brave (abbr.)
- 44—Part of "to be"
- 45—Director of a ship
- 46—Instrument to determine direction
- 48—Point of compass
- 51—Spread to the wind
- 52—Implement for rowing
- 54—Unit of measurement
- 57—Small sailing vessel
- 58—Banner
- 60—Order of parasitic fungi

Vertical.

- 1—Boats used in Venice
- 2—Note in musical scale
- 3—To go on shipboard for a journey
- 4—At no time (abbr.)
- 5—Indefinite article
- 6—Fore and aft-rigged vessel
- 7—Country in southern Europe (abbr.)
- 8—Landing place
- 9—Member of Greek Christian church
- 10—Near
- 11—Shore toward which wind blows
- 15—Those who plunge into
- 16—Implement to hold vessel in place
- 20—Shipshape
- 21—Hit hard
- 22—Prow of a vessel
- 24—Instrument of torture
- 27—Set of implements
- 28—Sailor's sleeping quarters
- 33—Pleasure vessel
- 40—Mischievous child
- 42—Sailor
- 44—Girl's name
- 45—Craft propelled by paddling
- 47—Propeller of a steamer
- 49—Woman under religious vows
- 50—Printers' measures
- 52—Military supplies (abbr.)
- 53—Lifetime
- 55—Islands in English channel (abbr.)
- 56—For example (abbr.)
- 57—Prefix meaning two
- 58—Boy's nickname

Lived to Great Age

The greatest age known to have been attained by any woman since the beginning of the Christian era is 140 years, which historical authorities generally agree was the age of the celebrated countess of Desmond when she died in 1604. A portrait of the countess, who was one of the most remarkable women of the sixteenth century, has recently been presented to the National Portrait gallery in London.

The Clever Idiot

"She was such an infernal fool, the sort of fool who can find her way in the time table, understand the income tax, know the date of the battle of Waterloo, in other words a thoroughly well informed woman whom people call clever, and who's nothing but a driving idiot."—From the "Triumph of Galileo" by W. L. George.

Under a Tree

In summer, looking upward into the vast expanse of green boughs, is an intricate architecture, an inimitable roof, whose lattice windows are set with transparent lapis lazuli, for the deep blue of the sky seems to come down and rest upon it.—Richard Jeffries.

Ink From the Maple

A home-made ink was, in earlier days, sometimes made from the bark of the red maple by boiling it and adding sulphite of iron, says the American Tree association. It contains considerable tannin, and, at one time, was occasionally employed in dyeing.

When a Man's Hard-Boiled

"Hard-boiled" came into general use during the World war. It is slang and is applied to a person hardened in mind or feeling and insensitive to the sufferings of others. Originally, of course, it referred merely to the condition of a hard-boiled egg.

Distributing the Bouquets

According to a Welsh paper, Sir Walford Davies writes to Mr. Gwilym Jones as follows: "I wish to thank the splendid choir and myself for their and our own fine work in the Mass in B minor at Wembley."—Boston Transcript.

His Call Names Him

The hoopoe is about eleven inches long, of a dull rufous or fawn color, varied with black and white, says Nature Magazine. Its name originated from its strange call. The bird is a native of parts of Europe, Asia and Africa.

Hit From the Shoulder

The lady (describing disagreement with another lady)—So I see to 'er, "Pansy." I see—"yer calls yerself Pansy—well, wot I calls yer is Chimpanzee, with hall the 'abits and hinstinks of sich."—London Answers.

Making It Pleasant

The latest Parisian motorcars are painted in brilliant jazz designs of peacocks, flowers, etc. The idea, presumably, is that the stricken pedestrian's last impression of earth should be a cheerful one.—London Opinion.

Solution of Puzzle No. 12



OREGON LEGISLATURE COMPLETES LABORS

Cigarette Tax Is Most Signal Accomplishment of the 33rd Legislative Assembly.

Salem.—The thirty-third legislative assembly of Oregon completed its labors after a session which extended six days over the 40-day constitutional period. By holding over a few days the session closed without the customary confusion and turmoil which marked the closing hours of some previous sessions.

While the session will not be notable for the number of big constructive measures passed, neither can it be criticized for having enacted laws detrimental to the state at large. No session in recent years has been so free from proposed freak laws. Aside from the underlying hostility between the governor and the law-makers, the session on the whole was harmonious and there was little friction between house and senate or among members.

Cigarettes Taxed.

From a taxation point of view perhaps the most signal accomplishment of the session was the passage of the "cigarette tax law." As passed it covers cigarettes, papers, tubes, smoking tobacco and snuff. Cigars and chewing tobacco are exempt from the tax. The law was passed much against the will of many of the members of both houses, and more than any other measure caused the legislators to squirm and protest and denounce the executive, but conditions were so critical that there was nothing else for them to do, for the governor insisted that failure to pass such a revenue producing law would leave the state without sufficient funds to meet its various activities.

Estimates place the revenue expected from this new source during the coming year and a half at approximately \$1,041,000, on cigarettes alone.

The cigarette tax, together with the bill requiring a tax on the gross earnings of utilities and the measure requiring payment of 10 per cent into the general fund from the earnings of self-supporting state activities, marked a new era in taxation in Oregon, "initiating a system that promises to relieve real property of much assessment burden."

While the legislature gave the governor his tax on tobacco, it ignored his suggestions for a severance tax and a number of other possible sources of revenue.

Governor Retains Patronage.

Governor Pierce was not made a martyr by the legislature. His patronage was not taken from him. A futile attempt or so to shift some of his appointive power to the state board of control came to naught.

In the patronage line the governor still retains in his charge the fish commission and the game commission. He did not lose the state prohibition department, but was compelled to make a change in the head of that department, by the appointment of W. S. Levans to succeed Geo. L. Cleaver.

The proposal of the governor that the public service commission be made appointive by the governor instead of elective, as at present, failed, and his refusal to approve of an appropriation for the commission was overridden, but he won a point by having the legislature place a gross earnings tax on utilities in the belief that this tax money would be used for the support of the commission.

Trucks and Busses Regulated.

The highway bill of major importance, in that it establishes a new principle of truck and bus regulation, over which the railroads and truck owners have fought for a month, commanded more attention during the closing days of the session than any other measure and was not disposed of until the last few hours of the session.

The bill was sent to the governor unchanged, although the executive in a message to the house had emphasized the danger of excessive rates without affording protection to the bus lines through providing for a certificate of public necessity and convenience.

The measure sets a special fee over and above all regular charges against busses and trucks operating between fixed termini. On trucks this rate is 1 mill per ton capacity, multiplied by the number of miles traveled. On busses the rate is set at three-quarters of a mill per passenger seat, multiplied by the number of miles traveled.

In the way of highway legislation, the second important bill was the Ford market road measure, which provides co-operation between the highway department and county courts.

Gas Tax Not Increased.

The legislature turned down the proposals for extracting more money from gasoline consumers, and the law-makers also refused to revise the automobile license fee system or tamper with the method of financing the highway bonds of the state.

The legislature approved a bill introduced by the ways and means committee providing for the holding of a special election on the second Tuesday in September, contingent upon the referendum of any of the revenue measures enacted at the 1925 session.

Nine Measures Referred.

Nine measures, referred by the 33d session of the Oregon legislature to the people for action, will go on the ballot at the September election, providing such an election contest is precipitated through the invocation of the referendum on the budget financing program. A tenth measure, to which the referendum clause has been attached, the Eastern Oregon state normal school question, was eliminated from the provisions of the special election bill and will go over to the general election of 1926, as will all other measures if there is no occasion for calling the special election.

The educational status of the state remains unchanged. Free textbooks, general suffrage at school elections, kindergartens and revised high school curriculum, with Bible reading in the public schools, lost. The Ashland normal school, however, has been revived and an appropriation was made for a training school at Independence in connection with the Monmouth normal. Bills providing for branch normal school training in high schools were defeated.

Farmers received their biggest benefit when the legislature arranged for the \$1,500,000 to be used for the purchase of seed wheat, a relief measure necessary because of the severe storm of several months ago.

Two attempts made in the house to pass senate bill 227, providing for submission to a vote of the people the calling of a constitutional convention, went down to defeat.

The bill to create a board of censors for movies died in the senate, after passing the house.

Little Irrigation Legislation.

Irrigation received little attention. The chain of bills promoted by San Francisco bankers for the benefit of bondholders, blew up when attention was called to them, and the agents handling these measures retired in disgust after a month of lobbying. The bills were not even introduced.

The Davis-Oakes irrigation bill, giving authority to irrigation districts to sell surplus water and to apply the proceeds to improvements, or to the retirement of bonds, is of much importance to the irrigation people.

Prohibition laws have been tightened up by making penalties more severe for violation in some cases, such as operating stills or driving automobiles while intoxicated.

As a result of the Gordon bill providing for the establishment of mutual savings banks in the state a big departure from the present established banking system has been taken.

Armistice Day Legal Holiday.

A state department of Americanization has been created and Armistice day has been voted a legal holiday.

The Dennis resolution, which bans an inheritance tax or state income tax in Oregon for 15 years, will be submitted to the people at the next election.

Boards and commissions were established to examine beauty doctors, chiropractors and real estate brokers.

One forestry bill passed, guards against fire and another makes a start on relaxing taxes on cut-over land to foster reforestation.

It will cost more to marry and more to get a divorce, the fees being increased.

Resolutions Adopted.

Resolutions adopted were to the following effect: Opposing the state's embarking in the public utility business; calling for investigation of needed changes in workmen's compensation law; supporting the public service commission suit for central Oregon railroad development; asking investigation and report to next session on advisability of consolidation of various state departments; amendment of state constitution to be submitted seeking divided session of the legislature; appointment of committee to study methods of indirect taxation, to report at next session.

Considerable of the legislative material which was most talked of before the session opened, failed. The legislature refused to ratify the proposed child labor amendment to the federal constitution.

An attempt to abolish the candidates' section of the official voters' pamphlet fell by the wayside in the senate.

Governor Pierce's scheme for immense water and power development on the Clear lake project, which would have involved millions of dollars, was quietly put to sleep and the proposed water power amendment of Senator Joseph received no attention.

The governor vetoed all bills passed during the recent session of the legislature appropriating money for the construction of state armories.

The entire armory program was disapproved by the joint ways and means committee, but during the last day of the session bills were passed providing for an armory at Forest Grove, La Grande and Cottage Grove.

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TIME TABLE

Effective Sept. 7.

Trains will arrive as follows:	
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No. 356	5:33 A. M.
No. 354	8:10 A. M.
No. 358	11:13 " "
No. 352	3:40 P. M.
No. 360	6:22 " "
From Portland	
No. 351	9:28 A. M.
No. 357	11:05 " "
No. 359	2:40 P. M.
No. 353	6:00 " "
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The Other Angle

As long as the world's population is growing all the time, isn't it entirely possible that if sin is increasing so is virtue?—Detroit News.

And the Guests Wondered

Bobby (asked to fetch the cigars)—Do you mean your own dad, or the box that you bought specially?—London Passing Show.

Many of Them Do

"My niece," said Mrs. Blunderby, "has had a college education. She speaks several languages quite fluently."

Gratuitous Help

Character is something you make yourself. In making a reputation you have a lot of volunteer help.—Duluth Herald.

Touch of Savagery

The civilized peoples are those that pay the highest prices for beads.—San Francisco Chronicle.

The Stiff Fight

Adversity is a fine thing. The more you oppose a beard the tougher it gets.

Water Over Niagara

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