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Correct Answer to Cross Word Puzzle

Herewith is printed the correct arrangement of words in the cross word puzzle printed in this newspaper last week.

Did you try to solve it? If so, you no doubt saved your copy to check up with this correct arrangement which we told you would be published this week.

If you worked this puzzle correctly you may feel complimented as Mr. Cedric C. French, who designed it, gave you several very tricky words to be worked out.

Perhaps you now want to arrange a puzzle of your own for others to work out? If so, go right ahead and when finished send your sketch to this newspaper and we will print it.

ORPHANS' COURT

Edward E. Nuttle, executor of the last will and testament of W. Webster Kinder, deceased, filed inventory and appraisement of the personal property of said deceased and an order to sell was granted.

In the matter of the trust estate of the children of B. J and Virginia Redmond, Harvey L. Cooper, trustee, filed his third account of trusteeship, which was duly examined by the court, approved, passed and ordered to be recorded.

Calvert C. Merrikin, guardian for Floyd Briggs, Leon Briggs, Olin Briggs, Sylvester Cornish and Catherine Cornish, infants, filed his fifth account of guardianship, which was duly examined by the court, approved and passed.

The last will and testament of Solomon Beulah, deceased, was filed in this court by Ida V. Smith, custodian, after having been duly proven, was admitted to probate; the executor Charles G. Bulah, named in the will, qualified by filing an approved bond. Notice to creditors ordered and Solomon J. Bulah and Wilmore Green, were named as appraisers and approved.

Renunciation having been filed, upon application, letters of administration on the personal estate of James Edward Todd, deceased, were granted unto J. Frank Todd and Clellie E. Turner. Bond filed and approveed. Notice to creditors ordered, and Charles E. Wright and William F. Liden were named as appraiseres and approved.

On application, letters of administration on the personal estate of Elizabeth Beauchamp, deceased, were granted unto J. Walter Beauchamp. Bond filed and approved, notice to creditors ordered and William I. Norris and J. Roland Chaffinch were named as appraisers and approved.

J. Wesley Thawley, administrator of the personal estate of Arrington Breeding, deceased, filed account of sales of the personal properety of said deceased, approved and passed.

Charles B. Harrison, executor of Susie E. Patton, deceased, filed releases from Webster Blades, Lydia Nichols, Thomas J. Sisk, Jesse V. Burchard, Grace Sisk Barnette, Lawrence J. K. Blades, Minnie F. Sisk, Herman Sisk, and Gilbert Sisk, distributees, approved and ordered to be recorded.

In the matter of the estate of Jas. H. Jenery, Jr., infant, on petition and order of court, W. Arthur Scully, the guardian, was authorizeed to use a certain sum of money for maintenance of said ward. approved, passed.

Margaret N. Quinn and John P. Stafford, administrators of the personal estate of W. W. Quinn, deceased, filed first and partial account of administration which was duly examined, approved and passed.

Charles B. Harrison, administrator of James B. Chase, deceased, filed an account of the sale of the personal property of said deceased, which was duly examined by the court, approved and passed.

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This Week

By Arthur Brisbane

NATION OF IMBICILES.
GOOD START, BAD END.
WASHINGTON'S TEETH.
RELIGION IN SCHOOLS.
TO BE RICH AND USEFUL.

At Dayton a lighter-than-air flying machine carried up with it a small airplane, as a fish hawk carries up a fish. Two thousand feet up the little airplane was released by the big Zeppelin and went flying off on its own account. That's interesting in this country which has made no preparation to meet the danger of invasion through the air.

Imagine a similar machine, ten times as big, leaving the coast of Asia, or Europe, carrying beneath it a dozen high powered bombing machines. Imagine that big ship coming out of the early morning sky, releasing its brood of swift destroyers to wreck cities—the mother ship and the little ships subsequently landing on safe neutral ground in Canada.

This nation will have the world's greatest fighting fleet of airships soon, or the United States of 1924 will be known in later history as "THE NATION OF IMBECILES."

In the Middle Ages not only men but animals were tried for murder when they killed a human being and, if "guilty," were executed. On a certain occasion a sow, with her litter of suckling pigs, had killed and eaten a young child. The sow mother and her offspring were tried in court. The sow was condemned to death, the little pigs were spared, on the ground that "because of their extreme youth they could not be held responsible."

Some murderers have been hanged in the United States, with intelligence not far above that of the suckling pigs spared by mediaeval justice.

Among letters by George Washington, to be sold in London, one to his Philadelphia dentist tells how much trouble Washington had with his false teeth. They were strung on wires and got loose. They looked about as natural, when he wore them, as a set of small golf balls, being cut out of solid ivory.

Civilization does not realize what it owes to dentists and oculists, good false teeth and good spectacles.

Think of the ancient Greeks, to whom false teeth and eyeglasses were unknown. The marvel is that so many of them lived to be old.

In a California decision, the State Attorney-General forbids, in public schools, even the Lord's Prayer, in the way of religion. There is no doubt that the public school system should teach the three R's and other positive knowledge, leaving religious teaching to the discretion of parents.

It is wise to keep all religious teaching or favoritism out of public schools. On the other hand, it is unwise, and an outrageous interference with the rights of parents, to tell them that they cannot, at their own expense, send their children to private or parochial schools where religion is taught—provided that educational requirements are met.

Young man, do you want to be rich and useful? Learn something about electricity and try to invent a light storage battery. Electricity, which in itself weighs nothing, will not always be carried about stored in heavy metal, weighing as much as the vehicle that the electricity propels.

Don't be discouraged by the fact that you are not an electrical engineer or a scientist. Sometimes knowing too much about a thing prevents seeing its possibilities clearly.

The man who invented the sewing machine couldn't sew. His whole idea was putting the needle's "eye" at the point of the needle instead of at the other end. An expert seamstress would have said, "That's nonsense."

A Filipino laborer, working in the Hamakua sugar mill, is dead of bubonic plague in Hawaii.

Three rats infested with the plague have been caught.

How soon will our exalted civilization, which gladly spends thousands of millions to kill other human beings, spend the few necessary millions to get rid of rats and other disease-spreading vermin?

Poem by Uncle John

I love to meet the flivver as she spins along the pike, with the happy little family aboard. There's nothin' quite so joyous as a benzine-buggy hike, in a speedster that you really can afford. Where distance lends enchantment—like she didn't use to do, when Old Dobbin was the power before the throne,—O, the sassy little windshield with the smiles a-shinin' through, lays hold of a distinction all its own!

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Smilin' through the windshield is a mighty happy fad, if we meet appreciation on the way,—

* * *

Smilin' through the windshield—O, it drives away the dumps, when a feller gets to steppin' on the gas—when the little buggy chuckles at the hollers, hills an' stumps,—let me yell a "Halleooyer" as they pass! No use a-feelin' sorry when there's happiness to spare, where the thistle-purple decorates the road,—there's health an' wealth an' freedom in the crisp October air—God bless the little flivver and—its load!

the Jedge's Josh

Here and There

Easton, Md., Oct. 19.—Farmers and others living on what is known as the Dutchman Lane road, near here and the upper part of Landing Neck, Trappe district, are much agitated over the reported appearance in these sections of a large, ferocious-looking lion, which, it is said, escaped from a circus at Seaford, Del., several weeks ago.

It is with much difficulty that the farmers living in these sections of the county can get labor especially negroes to help them save their corn crop and put in their wheat for fear of being attacked and torn to pieces by this wild and ferocious beast.

Easton men, of sporting tendencies, plan a real lion hunt and hope to relieve the unusual situation.

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The death of George W. Hill, a prominent farmer living near Laurel occurred at his home Wednesday morning at the age of 56 years. He had been confined to his bed for the past three months from a cancer which caused his death. He had lived in this community all of his life. He is survived by his wife and two brothers Walter Hill of Laurel and Ira Hill of near Sharptown, Md., three daughters, Mrs. Ida Dickerson, of Wilmington, Miss Blanche Hill and Miss Elsie Hill both of this town and two sons, George and Gardner, both of near Laurel. The funeral was held Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock at his late home with Rev. Hormer, pastor of the Methodist Protestant circuit, officiating. The burial took place in the I. O. O. F. cemetery.

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Seaford, Del., Oct. 19.—Miss Mary LeCates, of Oak Grove, sister of LeCates, with whom she lives, was knocked down and injured by an automobile today. The car bore a Maryland license tag, but the driver's name was not ascertained. Her injuries are not considered serious. Those who witnessed the accident say it was unavoidable.

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Think of It

Dignified Gent—The age of chivalry is past.

Roughneck—'At's right I got on a street car yesterday and a woman got up to give me her seat.

Modern Literature

Mother—I hope that is a nice book you are reading.

Daughter—It's nice—but so sad at the end.

Mother—Sad?

Daughter—Yes, the shiek dies and she has to go back to her husband.

Sure Sign

First Student (back from vacation)—Hey, Bill, Ted Brown and that Franklin girl are married.

Bill—Who told you?

First Student—No one told me. I saw them. They were carrying separate umbrellas.

Purdy's Philos.

Lotta these people who put off things until the last moment are going to be mighty busy on their death beds.

Then He Wondered

She—Have you decided upon your masquerade costume as yet?

He—Yes, I'm going as 'The Hunchback of Notre Dame.'

She—My—what a novel idea.

Bland Bess Opines

I'll confess: An echo is the only thing I know that can keep a woman from having the last word.

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