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There will be democratic meetings in the precincts beginning tonight. Watch the calendar and attend. You will enjoy them and you will thus post yourself on the issues of the campaign now in progress.

The city tax rate was reduced this year even though improvements worth thousands and thousands of dollars have been made and without a bond issue. In other words we are more than paying our way and at less cost to the taxpayers. That's what you have always demanded and now that you are getting it you should appreciate it by supporting those who gave it to you. Stick to Krick.

When they tell you that this city's not a high-class moral, substantial one, just stick your chest out and tell them they are off their base. You will travel far before you find a better one and we ought to all be proud of it. The democratic candidates on the city ticket are asking your support because of service and ability and the present administration is asking your approval in the coming election.

There will be a lot of surprises in the Callithumpian parade to be given here on Hallowe'en night. You will laugh and enjoy yourself for its to be a funny show and several hundred are now planning to take the prizes offered for the most unique, the funniest make-ups, the best pairs, trios and groups, the clown band and others. Of course you will want to see it. The judges, line of march and places of meeting will be announced next week. In the meantime get ready for the event.

Over at Shabbona, Illinois, they are having a big scrap as to whether or not high school teachers, employed from nearby towns and cities, have the right to go home over Sundays and week-ends. The town has decreed that they must remain over Sunday excepting one week-end out of each month. The idea is that the community needs the social contact with those who have had opportunity of higher education and there is no doubt that as in other lines of service, the clockwatcher is not as valuable as the one who takes an interest in every thing connected with his work. Some teachers will gladly comply but a good many will feel that their work is finished with the closing of school on Friday and that they have a right to go where they please so long as they deport themselves properly. Any way it's a rather new and interesting question.

The Mellon plan, indorsed by President Coolidge, is to reduce the income tax, especially for the very rich. The tariff and other indirect taxes are not to be touched except as the present tariff commission will raise rates upward. For a time it looked as if the common people would swallow this program. But first President Green of the A. F. of L. threw a bomb by asking some rude questions as to why the high tariff textile industry should be reducing wages. Should the tariff on woolens be kept at its present high point? Then on the heels of President Green's statement the Automobile Association points out that the tax on the automobile parts falls hardest not on the rich, but on the farmers, to whom the automobile is a necessity and rough use inevitable. It ought to be repealed before the super tax on big incomes

Solution of Yesterday's Puzzle

RIMSTY
DUDE THEM
TENET ROTOR
ENATTARXTIN
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OSAR TEAX YOUR
BATWORSTASS
REGAL QUILT
SAVEURNS
PENXEND

is reduped. Maybe Mr. Mellon's plan for keeping his rich friends in melon's won't go through so easily.—International Musician.

The democrats present to you this ticket of well-known business men for your consideration on November 3rd: For mayor—George Krick, member of council, well posted on all city affairs, a member of the firm of Krick-Tyndall company; for clerk — Mrs. Katherine Kauffman, who has served efficiently for four years; for treasurer—Mrs. Luella Magley, one of the well-known women of Decatur; for councilman-at-large—Fred Ashbaumer, member of present council with good record and George Miller, grocer, and excellent business man; councilman, first ward — Fred Linn, contractor and former member of the council; second ward—Joseph Hunter, superintendent of the Citizens Telephone company; third ward—O. L. Vance, clothier and leader in civic affairs. They will keep their pledges made in the platform as announced, and will serve you to the very best of their ability. Their experience makes their services valuable to the people of Decatur.

Horizontal.
1—Viper
4—Jewelled headdress
8—Ocean
11—Interrogative pronoun
12—Flower
13—English playwright
14—Lassos
16—Black stone
17—Birthplace of Mohammed
18—Type of airplane used in World war
20—To observe
21—Gould's antelope noted for its soft, pliant skin
24—Coin (abbr.)
26—Gloomy
28—To barter
29—Part of "to be"
31—Rescues
32—Sainte (abbr.)
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51—To bring legal action against
52—Ovum
53—Strong point
54—Greek letter

Vertical.
1—Shoemaker's tool
2—Pretense
3—Funeral piles
4—Followers
5—Small bit
6—Donkey
7—Name of scale
8—Follows, as a sleuth
9—To consume
10—Reverential fear
11—Bursts violently, as a dog
12—Piano
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14—To tear in bits
15—Skin of head
21—Caverns
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25—Tales
27—The world
29—Rubbing out
31—A—Soundlessness
34—The jack in a deck of cards
36—Half a quart
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41—To resolve a sentence into 25 elements
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45—Number of years
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3—Twenty Years Ago This Day

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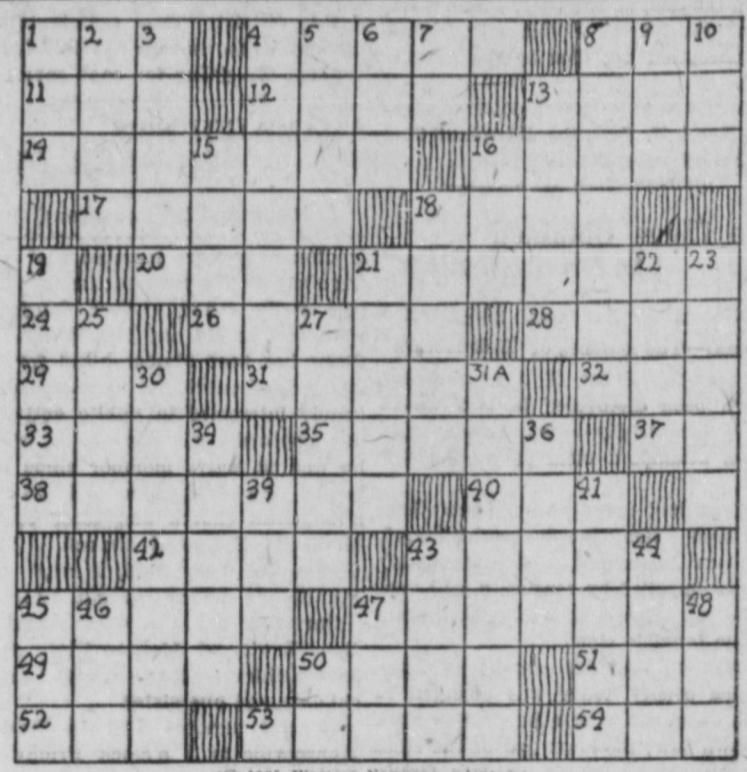
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DAILY DEMOCRAT CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

HOW TO SOLVE A CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

When the correct letters are placed in the white spaces 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 all 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.



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IF THE FOREMAN COULD EXPLAIN

Suppose the foreman said: "Here's a chance to get ahead. If you do your best this morning with this task I'm giving you. If you do this small thing neatly and you finish it completely I shall come again and give you more important work to do."

Suppose, to make the rhyme, that your foreman had the time with each order which he issued to explain it, through and through. And should seriously say: "Now don't throw this chance away. This is not a box you're making. It's a thing which stands for you."

Now, the foreman cannot drop all his duties just to stop and tell you how important is the work you have to do.

But there's not a task so small which to you perchance may fall. But it shapes your fame and future. And it leaves its stamp on you.

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The men on the committee are fair minded and they will learn they have broken through thin ice."

Prosecutions in the fire marshal's department and in the fish and game division will be handled by the attorney general's office under the new plan.

Arthur Gillon, attorney general indicated that this plan probably would swamp his department, which has only five assistants and deputies.

Three of these assistants are busy taking care of criminal cases appealed to the supreme court and the time of another assistant is taken by handling highway commission cases.

Gillon and the fifth assistant spend all of their time preparing opinions and handling incidental matters in the department.

There are 1857 arrests annually in the fish and game division. Last year 1768 prosecutions were undertaken by that department alone.

State Charities Aid More Than 71,000 Persons

Indianapolis, Ind., Oct. 22—(United Press)—More than 71,000 persons in Indiana were given relief by township overseers during the past fiscal year, the state board of charities reported today.

A total of \$618,901 was distributed to the temporarily poor. The previous year the amount doled out was \$94,604.

R. O. Stites, City Tailor, located now in Morrison Bldg., vacated by Suttles-Edwards Co.

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Purdue Debaters Defeat Cambridge University Team

Lafayette, Ind., Oct. 22—(United Press)—Debaters of Cambridge university today had lost twice to Hoosier orators.

The team from the famous English school was defeated by Purdue in a discussion of the immigration problem.

The Englishmen recently lost a decision to Indiana University on the prohibition question.

"Cheer Up" lots of fun and good music Nov. 17-18. 24812

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Seven Cities Want Man Held In Nebraska Jail

Lincoln, Neb., Oct. 22.—(United Press)—A seventh city entered its bid with local police today for the privilege of placing Michael Curran, confessed automobile thief and forger, in its jail.

Newcastle, Pa., police wired today that Curran was wanted there for car theft. Hammond, Ind., Omaha, Neb., Jackson, Mich., Sandusky, O., and Chicago, Ill.,