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Ever hear a fellow who could have more troubles than Governor Small, of Illinois, and continue to grin in a more genuine smile? Arrest and trials do not bother him evidently.

Five banks in Denver closed within twenty-four hours and during the same time several others quit over the country. Those good times seem to be "still around the corner" and doggone still.

Of course you are going to church over the Christmas season but the biggest thing about it—for you—is to go in the right spirit, to worship and to think of those things for which this season is really the celebration.

Those Adams county fellows may tune up their voices and win that pig-calling contest at Purdue, but the Wells county farmer saves his voice and gets the porkers to their feed by hitting the trough with a club. The hogs understand just as well what's up.—Bluffton Banner.

There's a great difference between grand opera and jazz.

Berne won the basketball game here last evening and proved their claims that they have a good team. The locals have had a tough old season, but after all boys there's more in being able to smile and "carry on" under such conditions than there is in being good sports when you are winning. That's the good of sports—to teach us to be good losers as well as good winners—to try as hard as we can all the time.

Adams county won second place in attendance at the National Dairy show held at Indianapolis in October, an honor which shows that the people of this county are alive to the importance of dairying. More than a hundred and fifty from Adams county registered, a splendid showing when the distance is considered. The interest was created through the boys and girls clubs, the cow testing association and other farm bureaus and organizations.

Over Sunday will be a good time to make up your mind that you will give something to the Good Fellows Club so the poor boys and girls can have a good time on Christmas day. We are told by the Delta Theta Tau committee that there are more applications for assistance this year than for several years and they need another \$100 to do the job as it should be done. After all its that feeling of having helped others to be happy which gives us all the greatest thrill on Christmas day.

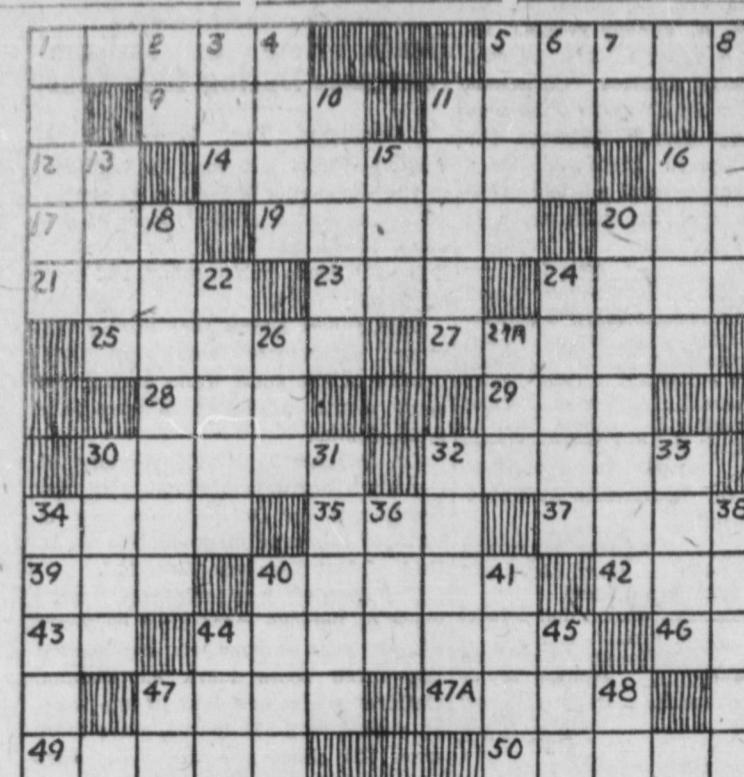
The open season for announcements by candidates for county offices comes with the new year and rumblings can now be heard according to the stories in various newspapers. So far there has been little said about it here, but it is known that contests for the leading offices will occur. We will nominate candidates for senator, representative, clerk, sheriff, surveyor, treasurer, assessor, trustees and for United States senator and congressman. The campaign promises to be as interesting as usual.

William Mitchell, the scrapping colonel who told the Washington departments a few things about how to manage the air department and received a sentence of five years sus-

Solution of Yesterday's Puzzle

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DAILY DEMOCRAT CROSS-WORD PUZZLE



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Horizontal.

1—Junction
5—To squeeze
9—Native of Serbia
11—Half a farthing (abbr.)
12—Father
14—Anything aimed at (pl.)
16—Half an em
17—Flitting
19—Rhyme makers
20—To shave
23—Native metal
24—To shew
25—Had the courage
27—Cut of meat prepared in oven
28—Vehicle
30—To glitter
32—Large
34—Observed
37—Fearful
40—Prefit, signifying over
42—Conjunction
43—Exposition
44—Comes into view
47—Horse's pace
47A—A page
49—Icelike snow
50—To change

21—To want
25—Beam
38—Sailor
39—Skill
41—42
45—46
47—48
50—

1—Asiatic country
2—Part of "to be"
3—Mashed fabric
4—To ensnare
5—Fruit stones
6—Impersonal possessive pronoun
7—Point of compass
8—Intuitive impression (coll.)
10—To dwell on moodily
11—Acoustic registering instrument
13—Mimicked
15—German (abbr.)
16—Point of compass
18—Instructor
20—To hold up
22—To empty, as of water
24—Feeled
25—Sea eagle
27A—Rowing implement
30—Bench
31—To burst forth
32—Whirling
33—Horse's pace
34—Heavenly bodies
36—To mock
38—Mistake
40—Blot
41—Extent
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45—Girl's name
47—Tellurium
49—Feet (abbr.)

Solution will appear in next issue.

Vertical.

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C. W. Yager, of the Western Reserve Life Insurance Company, was busy today, putting out handsome 1926 calendars.

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Eleven men are needed for a team. One star is not enough, however clever.

Ten boys must help him if he is to gleam. He must have guards and tackles round him ever.

Once in a game I saw the star perform. Fleet as a deer he ran the field to glory. But had he run alone to breast the storm.

Perhaps the press had told a different story.

I would not from the star take aught of praise.

But left alone, unguarded, undefended.

Despite his brilliance and his daring ways.

Without that touchdown would his run have ended?

Two boys were near him as he crossed the line.

Who blocked the foemen as they sought to say him,

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**President Of U. P.
Visits Coolidge**

Washington, D. C., Dec. 19.—(United Press)—Karl A. Bickel, president of the United Press Associations visited with President Coolidge at the White House this week.

The Tanca Arica situation was discussed among other foreign matters and Bickel, who is just returned from a trip to South America, conveyed to the president personal greetings from General Pershing in charge of the American adjudication of the dispute at Arica.

The president expressed keen interest in the news relations between the northern and southern continents and saw in the increasing news requirements of South America a favorable omen for future relations and understanding between the two peoples.

Bickel was later a guest at a luncheon given by the Pan-American Union to the new Cuban ambassador, Rafael Sanchez-Abilis.

The trip to South America, from which Bickel has just returned, was in the interests of the United Press Association which is received by 90 per cent of the newspapers taking a press report in South America. He arranged for an extension of the service in all of the countries.

The bureaus of the United Press in Rio De Janeiro, Buenos Aires, Santiago and Lima are enlarged in personnel on order to take care of the increasing number of papers being served.

While in South America Bickel interviewed the presidents of Brazil, Argentina, Chile and Peru and con-

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