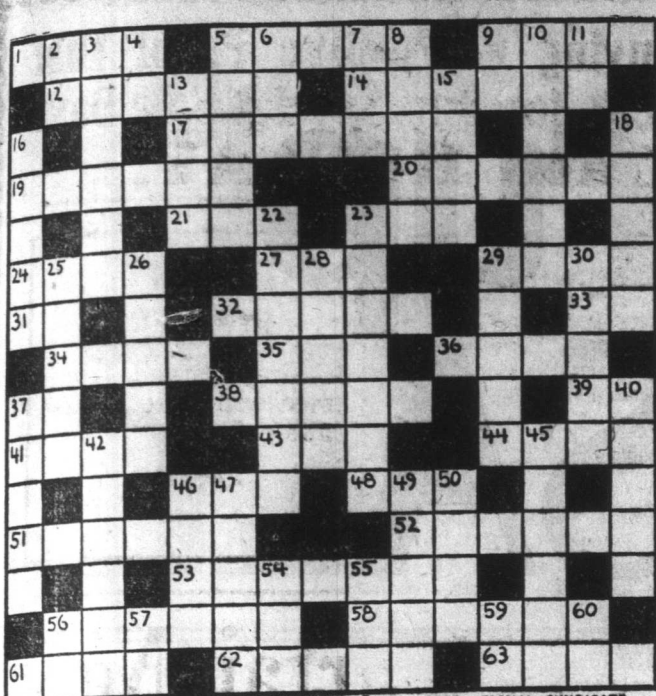


## CROSS-WORD PUZZLE



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SUGGESTIONS FOR SOLVING CROSS-WORD PUZZLES  
Start out by filling in the words of which you feel reasonably sure. These will give you a clue to other words crossing them, and they in turn to still others. A letter belongs in each white space, words starting at the numbered squares and running either horizontally or vertically or both.

## HORIZONTAL

- 1—A common metal
- 2—Pertaining to the theatre (abbr.)
- 3—A precious metal
- 4—A twisted band of flowers
- 5—Fifth letter of Greek alphabet
- 6—Ancient capital of Upper Egypt
- 7—To bind with a ligature
- 8—One of the grains
- 9—Old times (poet.)
- 10—Girl's name
- 11—Girl's name
- 12—A food fish
- 13—Musical note
- 14—A common metal
- 15—A Western state (abbr.)
- 16—Fishes
- 17—A musical direction (abbr.)
- 18—A common metal
- 19—An overseer in the church (abbr.)
- 20—A large organ of human body
- 21—A printed public notice (abbr.)
- 22—Every
- 23—French for "born"
- 24—Of sound mind
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## VERTICAL

- 1—Grade below admiral (abbr.)
- 2—The East
- 3—Sodium (abbr.)
- 4—Drunk
- 5—Possess
- 6—Steel instrument for making small holes
- 7—To sing in a hearty way
- 8—A Southern State (abbr.)
- 9—A large city of Canada
- 10—Left hand (abbr.)
- 11—A fermented drink
- 12—Girl's name
- 13—A well-known metal
- 14—In the smallest degree
- 15—A ring or hook worn at the ear
- 16—To steep, immerse
- 17—A city of Florida
- 18—To embarrass
- 19—Ingeniously pleasant
- 20—To bring good fortune to
- 21—A vast territory of North Africa
- 22—Quadruple
- 23—To postpone
- 24—Christian name of a president of the U. S.
- 25—A youth beloved of Venus (Myth.)
- 26—Part of a ship
- 27—Uneven (abbr.)
- 28—In a high place
- 29—One in servile subjection
- 30—Man's name
- 31—To convert into leather
- 32—One of the metals (abbr.)
- 33—A metric system measure of capacity (abbr.)
- 34—A metric system measure of capacity (abbr.)
- 35—Latin for "gold" (abbr.)
- 36—Musical note

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## Washington Letter

By Our Own Correspondent.

JANUARY, 26.

## OPPOSITION TO STONE'S APPOINTMENT.

The question of confirmation of the nomination of Attorney General Stone to the Supreme Court bench was the signal for an outburst of opposition by Democrats, Insurgent Republicans and "third party men" in the Senate on Saturday. They made futile attempts to have the matter discussed on the floor before a motion for executive session was carried by a vote of thirty-seven to thirty-six. Senators Heflin and Overman opposed the Stone appointment on the ground that Stone had appeared before the Supreme Court recently in a case which involved a litigation affecting the J. Pierpont Morgan estate. Others who joined in the protest were Senators Borah and Reed. Later developments showed that the number opposed to the placing of Mr. Stone on the Supreme Court bench was such as to threaten the indefinite holding up of the appointment and that the cause of the bulk of this opposition was the report that an indictment against Senator Wheeler, LaFollette's running-mate on the third party ticket, would be sought in the District of Columbia and that the plan of the Department of Justice of which Stone is the head, is to try Senator Wheeler here instead of in his home in Montana.

It will be remembered that Senator Wheeler was indicted last year in Montana on a charge that he had appeared for an oil operator before the Interior Department after he had been elected Senator, which is contrary to the law. The charge against him was investigated by a special Senate Committee, headed by Senator Borah, of Idaho, and he was exonerated. The proposal now is to bring an indictment against Senator Wheeler in the National Capital and to try him here, the plan being to submit the charge to a grand jury at an early date. When Senators learned of this plan of the Department of Justice, they made enquiries at the Department and discovered that Attorney General Stone had full cognizance of it. Great indignation was expressed by Republicans and Democrats alike that an attempt should be in contemplation to try a man 2,500 miles away from his home and in a jurisdiction where, on account of the influence of the administration, it might be found easy to get a conviction against him. It became known in fact that Attorney General Stone had sent formal notice to Senator Wheeler that his case was to be presented to the Grand Jury in Washington early next month. Meanwhile, the nomination of Mr. Stone has been passed twice in Executive sessions of the Senate but its final ratification will await the outcome of the Wheeler affair and of the further investigation into the charge that he appeared as counsel for the executors of the estate of J. Pierpont Morgan in a suit again a Colorado mining man.

## U. S. NO SHYLOCK SAYS BORAH.

Any tentative plans that France might be considering with the object of evading the "straight and narrow" path with regard to her war debts were given a rude jolt when Senator Borah, head of the Foreign Relations Committee, served formal notice in the Senate on Thursday afternoon that France must pay her debt to the last cent, and that she will not be permitted to indulge in any juggling which would result in a compromise wherein the advantage would be all hers. Borah's plain speaking on this occasion was induced by the speech of Louis Marin, member of the French Chamber of Deputies, which contained the statement that France would demand consideration for her losses in life and property in any settlement of her war debts and which Borah thought, judging by the enthusiastic manner of its reception, reflected the sentiments of the French nation at large. "This statement," said Senator Borah, "has the same tendency as has characterized so many other statements of leading French authorities and the French press—as also characterized a little earlier the statements of English authorities and the English press—that the United States is assuming the attitude of an exacting creditor." "Almost every known term of reproach," he went on, "has at some time been used to indicate that the United States is regarded to some extent as assuming the role of a Shylock in exacting the last cent and the last pound of flesh. Borah flatly accused the French of trying to cancel their debt. "In view of the fact that no payment has been made in five long years and no definite offer of a settlement tendered, I assume the real problem before us is the cancellation of the French debt," he said. "The United States," continued Borah, "is not an exacting creditor and has displayed none of the qualities of an exacting creditor. The terms of settlement gives Great Britain on the agreement recently entered for funding the British debt is the most generous proposition for settlement of an international debt that can be found anywhere in the history of international relations.

"If we had settled the British debt

on the terms of her contract with us—the same terms that now exist on the French debt—we would have collected the sum of \$14,905,940,000 from Great Britain," Borah declared, "and under the terms which we gave her we will receive only \$11,105,905,000. This was a voluntary surrender of the stupendous sum of \$3,800,035,000 to the taxpayers of Great Britain. The United States waived that contract with Great Britain and she is ready to do the same thing for France," Senator Borah quoted statistics showing that during the sixty-two year term of the British settlement, American taxpayers will pay out \$8,172,665,000 in interest on liberty bond issues, the principal of which was loaned to Great Britain. In the same time, he added, Great Britain will pay only \$6,505,965,000 in interest on the British loan.

## COOLIDGE IS WORLD COURT ADVOCATE.

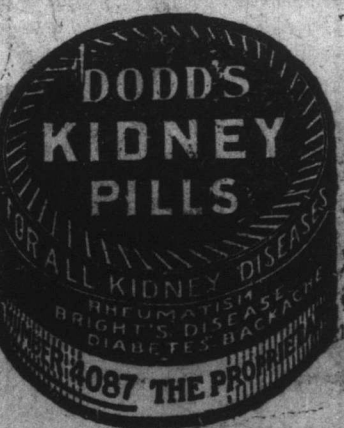
The stand of the U. S. administration in favor of American participation in the World Court was reaffirmed on Saturday by President Coolidge in an address delivered at the White House to delegates attending the National Conference on the Causes and Cure of War. The President declared that establishing a means for formulating and promulgating the honest judgments and matured public opinion of the world, such as is contemplated in the World Court would be a decided step toward the actual outlawing of war. If civilization is worthy of its name, he said, then physical force is not the only authority which may enforce an anti-war policy. It is for the generation which saw and survived the last and greatest war, he said, to devise means of prevention. "If this fails, we shall deserve all the disaster which will surely be visited upon us because of our failure. In our generation which has seen the supreme demonstration of the futility and the horrors of war, we ought to be able to count upon an overwhelming sentiment for measures which give reasonable promise of preventing or limiting wars. But, if we may judge by the past, determined antagonism to armed conflict for settling international differences will grow weaker as we recede from the period of the recent struggle. As our vision of its frightfulness is dimmed, as the edge of its horror is dulled with the passing of time, we may expect a corresponding diminution of zeal for institutions to prevent war." The President felt that in sponsoring the Washington conference for the limitation of armaments and in considering the affairs of the Far East, the United States made a genuine and significant contribution toward peace in two of the most troubled areas of the world. He believed that just as the armament conference was timely and convincing co-operation on the political side, so the Dawes plan was a similarly timely and effective effort on the economic side, and that the next step will be taken by way of participation in a World Court of International Justice.

## WASHINGTON SEES ECLIPSE.

Washington, in common with other eastern cities, witnessed on Saturday morning its first eclipse in 119 years. Unlike New York, the eclipse here was not a total one, being reckoned about 95 per cent. but for a few minutes the darkness was such as to make necessary the use of artificial lights while during the period of the sun's partial obscurity business of every kind was suspended while men, women and children, black and white, gazed heaven-ward through pieces of smoked glass. Scientists had gauged the time of the unusual astronomical happening pretty correctly. They figured that the extreme eastern tip of the moon would make its first contact with the extreme western tip of the sun, as viewed from Washington, at 7.55 a.m. It was exactly six seconds after that time that the contact was recorded at the Naval Observatory here.

## FALL CASE HEARING.

In the District of Columbia Court on Friday argument of counsel was heard on pleas of abatement filed by Albert B. Fall, former Secretary of the Interior, Edward L. Doheny and Edward L. Doheny, Jr., oil magnates, to the indictment charging them with conspiracy to defraud the United States in connection with the leasing of Teapot Dome and other naval oil reserves. The chief points in the pleas of the accused were the alleged illegal presence in the Grand Jury room of United States Attorney Gordon and Assistant Attorney General Pagan during the taking of testi-

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## Lion Tamer Mauled

## ALARMING INCIDENT AT EDINBURGH CARNIVAL.

Just before the close of an evening performance in the Waverley Market Carnival, Edinburgh, last week, an alarming incident took place, Captain Darius, who is appearing with a troop of performing lions, being knocked down and mauled by a young animal. The lion was one of a pair which were only making their third appearance in the ring. Captain Darius entered the ring armed only with a pair of stout poles. One of the lions rushed at him and knocked the pole out of his left hand, broke it, and as he bent to pick it up sprang on his shoulder and rolled him on the floor.

Fortunately he retained his grip of the other pole, and, managing to wriggle free, slashed the animal across the head.

Captain Darius, with his left arm gashed from wrist to elbow, and suffering from shock, pluckily drove the attack home and forced the two lions into a corner before he himself made his escape.

The incident almost created a panic, women and children in the enclosed arena scrambling and rushing for the exit.—Glasgow Weekly Herald, Jan. 17.

mony, and the claim that the Grand Jurors might have been adversely affected by a speech made over the radio by Thomas J. Walsh, Senator from Montana and "prosecutor" of the oil inquiry in the Senate. This speech was broadcast while the case was under consideration by the grand jury.

## FRANCE'S NEW ENVOY.

Emile Dasechner, new French Ambassador to the United States, succeeding Jules J. Jusserand, arrived in Washington on Saturday night, accompanied by his wife and two daughters. The new French envoy presented his credentials at the State Department this morning and formally took up the duties of his important office. Speculation was rife as to whether M. Dasechner had been entrusted by his government with any sort of communication regarding the debt problem, but by most authorities this is regarded as unlikely. The new French Ambassador comes to Washington at a time when, because of the complicated question at issue between the two countries, wisdom and unusual diplomacy on the part of the representative of the European republic are not only desirable but essential, for in the ensuing months, and until such time as an amicable understanding has been arrived at, he must be somewhat more than the mouthpiece of his masters. It is regarded here as unlikely, however, that France's new representative will do more than be familiar with himself with conditions generally before the new administration comes into office on March 4. M. Dasechner has had opportunity on previous occasions of making the acquaintance of Secretary of State-elect Kellogg who, in addition to the major office, also assumes the duties of member of the Debt Funding Commission in succession to Secretary Hughes.

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