

16.—WORDS SQUARE.

By *B. Caws*.

A rock, to increase, scoundrels,
a hollow, a plant, a canopy.
Dartmouth, N. S.

17.—ENTIRE DIAGONAL.

By *Kurios Karl*.

Across:—A jury-roll, a male
name, subdued, wanted, heeded.
Diagonals, read up:—A conso-
nant, a word used by children, a
number, degree, an animal, to
assert, a sea, a boy's nick-name,
a consonant.
Hodgdon, Me.

18.—ENIGMA.

By *Topsy Turvy*.

I float on the sea, I grow on a
tree.
In medicine my uses are found.
Of thieves I'm the dread, and
sportsmen 'tis said
In me find a musical sound.
Springhill, N. S.

19.—CROSS WORD ENIGMA.

By *Beau K*.

- 1.—In VENICE not in ROME.
- 2.—In VOLUME not in TOME.
- 3.—In BUBBLES not in FOAM.
- 4.—In CUPOLA not in DOME.
- 5.—In GOBLIN not in GNOME.
- 6.—In HAIR-BRUSH not in COMB.
- 7.—In GRAVEL not in LOAM.
- 8.—In STRAYING not in ROAM.

Total is a certain insect's home.
St. Joseph, Mo.

20.—BURIED ANIMALS.

By *F. W. H.*

- 1.—The Scow was filled.
 - 2.—Then shall we know.
 - 3.—A sad catastrophe.
 - 4.—Will you go at once.
 - 5.—Faith or seeing.
- Maitland, N. S.*

ANSWERS NEXT MONTH.

PRIZES.

For first correct solution of

- No. 14.—A Book.
No. 16.—A Magazine.
No. 17.—The *Puzzlers' Own* one
year.
No. 18.—5 Amateur Papers.
No. 19.—A Book.
No. 20.—A Card Picture.
Complete List.—The *Mazy Masker*
one year.

ROLL OF HONOR.

Correct solutions were received
from "B. Caws," "Blue Jacket,"
"O. P. Q.," "Miss L. Tow,"
"Gee Ray," "Dan De Lion," "F.
W. H.," "Wells," "Topsy Tur-
vy," "Quip," "Reggie Ray" and
"Cob E. Quid."

The prizes were awarded as
follows: 8 and 9, "B. Caws."
10, "Gee Ray," 11, "Miss L.
Tow," 12, "Dan De Lion," 13,
"Blue Jacket." Best list, "B.
Caws."

CHIT-CHAT.

"Blue Jacket."—We extend a cor-
dial welcome to you. Will you
kindly favor us with a few
"Ideas?"

"Miss L. Tow."—It was with
feelings of inestimable pleasure
that we gazed upon your hand
writing. May we expect an
"Idea," or two?

"B. Caws."—Thanks for hearty
response to our call. Hope you
have received the photograph
all "O. K."

"Kurios Karl."—We have evac-
uated "Our Fort" in consequence
of the threatening aspect of the
affairs in Europe. Will send
you a few puzzles soon.

"Cyril Deane."—Twelve long,
weary months have almost drawn
to a close, and still we are anx-
iously waiting your photo to see.
Oh! please send it quick; or
we'll send the *ELLENOR* to gent-

ly remind you of it.

"U. M. Brella."—As per request
we publish "The *Puzzlers' So-
liloquy*" below. We take it
from the *Puzzlers' Guide*.

The Puzzlers' Soliloquy.

By *Stray Lunatic*.

To solve, or not to solve, that is
the question.

Whether it is nobler in the solver
to suffer

The slings and arrows of outra-
geous puzzledom,

Or take up pen and ink against a
host of solvers,

Or, by opposing, beat them. To
solve; to win;

No more; and by this step to say
I end

The heartache, and the thousand
hopes and fears

That beset a puzzler. 'Tis a con-
summation

Devoutly to be wished. To solve!
To win!

To win! perchance to get a prize;
aye, there's the rub,

For in *that* prize some *trash* may
come,

That from very *meanness* is not
post paid;

That's what makes me pause.

—James J. O'Connell of Brook-
lyn, N. Y., intends to visit our
city in the early part of May, and
after a visit of two or three weeks,
he will take his departure for Bos-
ton, arriving there about May 30th.

"Ye senior editor" is perfecting
arrangements to accompany Mr.
O'Connell to Boston; our business
only preventing. We shall be the
guests of E. W. Frye, and with
this young gentleman as our com-
panion, we expect to enjoy a pret-
ty good visit. Among other things,
bear in mind, we shall be able to
see what those Boston boys know
about conducting a convention.