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Crossword puzzle grid with letters filled in.

Answers to previous puzzles: HORIZONTAL: 3 Dry, 4 Aerial (comb. form), 5 Credit (ab.), 6 Painful, 7 Arguments, 8 Transpose, 9 Afternoon, 10 Race course, 11 Eject, 12 Essential, 13 Withstand, 14 Myster, 15 Either, 16 Macerate, 17 Pauses, 18 Sticking substance, 19 Proportion, 20 Giant, 21 Excess of, 22 Lunar month, 23 Lieutenant (ab.), 24 Nova Scotia (ab.), 25 Dine, 26 Health resort, 27 Dishmounded, 28 Flesh food, 29 Pace, 30 Rounded, 31 Vegetables, 32 Sower, 33 Spotted, 34 Brain passage, 35 A certain. VERTICAL: 1 Pictured, 2 British official, 3 C. A., 4 He is in the cabinet, 5 Bullfighter, 6 Sleeping, 7 visions, 8 Prince, 9 Genus of bees, 10 Carmine, 11 Withstand, 12 Saine (ab.), 13 Myself, 14 Macerate, 15 Pauses, 16 Sticking substance, 17 Proportion, 18 Giant, 19 Excess of, 20 Lunar month, 21 Lieutenant (ab.), 22 Nova Scotia (ab.), 23 Dine, 24 Health resort, 25 Dishmounded, 26 Flesh food, 27 Pace, 28 Rounded, 29 Vegetables, 30 Sower, 31 Spotted, 32 Brain passage, 33 A certain.

ANSWERS TO Modest Maidens QUESTIONS

By HASKINS. A reader one got the answer to any question of fact by writing The Long Beach Press-Telegram, Informative Bureau, 518 Eye St., N. E., Washington 11, D. C. Please include three (3) cents for return postage. Q. What method is used to break up large boulders of rock? S. F. R. A. The U. S. Geological Survey says that extreme changes in temperature tend to break up rock only if continued over a long period of time. Primitive mining was carried on by alternately building fires against a rock face and throwing cold water on the heated rock. This process is too slow and laborious, however, to have survived the introduction of steel and explosives. Large rock boulders are usually broken down to smaller fragments by drilling holes in which suitable explosives are placed and discharged. Q. Were the U. S. trade dollars called in? How many were coined? L. L. O. A. The legal tender quality of trade dollars was withdrawn July 22, 1876. On February 19, 1887 a law was passed providing for the retirement and recovery of trade dollars. They could be exchanged at any time during the succeeding six months for face value. The total number coined was 35,965,924. Of these 7,689,036 were redeemed during the six-month period. Since then some have been purchased as souvenirs. These dollars were coined only between 1873 and 1885. Q. Has the United States finally ratified a peace treaty with Italy? J. M. P. A. The United States Senate ratified the Italian peace treaty by a vote of 79 to 10, June 5, 1947. The Italian Parliament ratified the treaty by a vote of 262 to 28 on July 31, 1947. Polishing Palomar's new 200-inch telescope would be asking too much of the old timer who breathed on his spectacles and rubbed them between the ends of a wash necktie. A new photometric device makes it unnecessary to use a tape to measure the customer for a suit of clothes. But then, the supply sergeant never did. More athletic than tossing coins across the Rappahannock is our Harry's feat of hurling the dead cat from the sunny shores of the Pacific at a Congress sitting in Washington. On more mature consideration the bride who received the 48 shrimp cocktail glasses will exchange them instead of opening a seafood restaurant. The highest court rules it's O. K. if the candidate delivers his message via the sound truck's blast. Now to find a constituency that won't hate him for it. North American Newspaper Alliance. We don't believe, in our heart of hearts, that the judiciary of the United States is a gigantic conspiracy in contempt of John L. Lewis. Senator Soaper says: The excuse of the Indiana mandolin player who kidnapped the wife of a pal is awaited with sympathetic interest. Maybe he was unstrung. "Well, if I'm going to play second fiddle it's going to be a big one."

McKENNEY ON BRIDGE Carnival

Bridge tournament scorecard showing various hand results and player names like Mrs. Shelgren, Mr. McKenny, etc.

DURING the Ohio State tournament we received the news that Miss Florence J. Stratford, one of Cleveland's Life Masters and outstanding players was to become Mrs. Art Shelgren right after the tournament. Shelgren is originally from Pittsburgh, Pa., and they are both popular in bridge circles. I had the pleasure of playing with her in one of the practice sessions and saw her execute a nice defensive play on today's hand. Sitting West, Mrs. Shelgren elected to open the jack of clubs. Declarer went up the king in dummy, I won the trick with the ace and cashed the queen of clubs. Then I shifted to the seven of spades, which South won with the ace. The eight of diamonds was led, and Mrs. Shelgren realized that while this might be a singleton, she could not afford to win the trick. She played the ten of diamonds, which allowed dummy to win with the queen. A small diamond was led back and ruffed by declarer, who hoped to drop an ace doubleton. But when the ace failed to fall, there was no way that South could avoid losing two heart tricks. Thus the contract was defeated one trick. If Mrs. Shelgren had gone in with the ace of diamonds at trick four, declarer could have entered dummy with the queen of spades and discarded the two losing hearts on the king and queen of diamonds. Then I shifted to the seven of spades, which South won with the ace. The eight of diamonds was led, and Mrs. Shelgren realized that while this might be a singleton, she could not afford to win the trick. She played the ten of diamonds, which allowed dummy to win with the queen. A small diamond was led back and ruffed by declarer, who hoped to drop an ace doubleton. But when the ace failed to fall, there was no way that South could avoid losing two heart tricks. Thus the contract was defeated one trick. If Mrs. Shelgren had gone in with the ace of diamonds at trick four, declarer could have entered dummy with the queen of spades and discarded the two losing hearts on the king and queen of diamonds.

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NO SURPLUS NO U. S. CAMP

THE Commodity Credit Corporation has ordered 6,000,000 pounds of horse meat to be shipped to Austria for relief. Wouldn't it be nice if horse sense could be shipped to Europe—that is if we really had any to spare?—Chicago Daily News. A CAMP for displaced babies has been set up. It is to handle refugees from Jewish-Arab warfare in Israel, however, and not refugees from the policies of some American landlords.—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

INFLATED Business Dollar Produces New Problems

EVERY INDIVIDUAL is painfully aware of new financial strains and stresses imposed upon his immediate resources by the drop in the purchasing power of the dollar. For business organizations the changed position of the dollar also has introduced a multiplicity of new problems, not all of which admit of ready solutions. "Because of recent changes in the price level, figures of current earnings and net worth are no longer strictly comparable, since the former are expressed in current dollars and the latter largely in prewar dollars," the National City Bank observes in its current letter. To illustrate the point, the bank compiled a list of 100 large corporations with readily available and comparable financial positions. It found that these companies adjusted their combined plant and equipment at \$34,400,000,000 at the end of 1947, whereas if the figures had been adjusted to 1947 costs the valuation would have jumped to \$50,900,000,000. Under such accounting, which would be realistic at the moment, the exceptionally high profit ratio of last year would have a relative statistical modesty of something less than the 1940 rate of average return, which was not historically high. As the bank points out, however, this is not an argument for the writing up of book values of corporate assets to present costs, since no one knows what the trend of prices may be in the future or at what dates the various assets may have to be replaced. The inquiry also makes a little clearer the reasons why shareholders who own the business organizations have seen their dividend returns lagging

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