

PERSONALS

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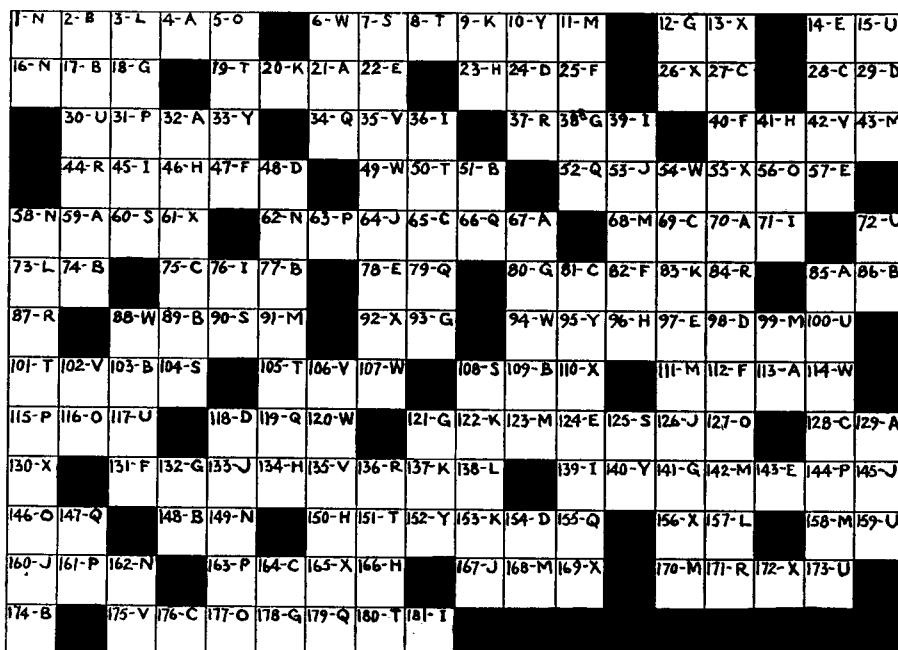
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Double-Crostics: No. 244

By ELIZABETH S. KINGSLY



DIRECTIONS

To solve this puzzle, you must guess twenty-five words, the definitions of which are given in the column headed DEFINITIONS. The letters in each word to be guessed are numbered. These numbers appear under the dashes in the column headed WORDS. There is a dash for each letter in the required word. The key letters in the squares are for convenience, indicating to which word in the definitions each letter in the diagram belongs. When you have guessed a word, fill it in on the dashes; then write each letter in the correspondingly numbered square on the puzzle diagram. When the squares are all filled in you will find (by reading from left to right) a quotation from a famous author. Reading up and down the letters mean nothing. The black squares indicate ends of words; therefore words do not necessarily end at the right side of the diagram.

When the column headed WORDS is filled in, the initial letters spell the name of the author and the title of the piece from which the quotation has been taken. Authority for spelling and definitions is Webster's *New International Dictionary* (second edition).

The solution of last week's *Double-Crostic* will be found on page 20 of this issue.

DEFINITIONS

- A. Serenades with a charivari (U. S.).
- B. Poppycock (slang).
- C. Not readily molded; stiff.
- D. Flinched (colloq.).
- E. Smartly or nattily attired.
- F. Void of interest or satisfaction.
- G. Vents to intense feeling.
- H. Resentment.
- I. Scrupulous adherence to prescribed forms (2 wds.).
- J. Not real or actual.
- K. Depicted with serpent, owl, aegis.
- L. Author of "Essays in Little."
- M. To extend to excess.
- N. Regards with approval.
- O. Mediterranean sea.
- P. Fire-God of the Ammonites (Bib.).
- Q. Passed swiftly ahead of.
- R. Evil spirit possessing man (Jewish folklore).
- S. To hypostatize.
- T. Historic stone.
- U. Volatile variety of petroleum.
- V. Culpable negligence.
- W. Something or other.
- X. To peel; to flay.
- Y. Author of "The Tower."

WORDS

70	129	4	59	85	113	21	32	67
51	109	174	86	2	77	148	89	17
28	75	81	176	164	27	128	69	65
29	24	48	98	154	118			
78	97	143	14	124	57	22		
40	112	131	47	25	82			
93	132	12	121	38	141	18	178	80
41	150	134	23	96	46	166		
181	45	36	39	76	139	71		
167	53	133	64	126	160	145		
83	153	20	9	137	122			
73	3	157	138					
168	111	91	68	170	43	123	99	142
116	56	127	146	177	5			
163	63	115	161	144	31			
79	52	66	155	147	34	119	179	
87	136	37	44	171	84			
60	90	108	125	7	104			
8	50	105	180	19	101	151		
100	72	117	173	30	159	15		
135	35	175	102	106	42			
6	49	114	107	94	54	88	120	
165	110	55	13	61	92	156	172	26
33	95	140	152	10	169	130		

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