

THE LISTENER CROSSWORD

Clues Across

1. Adores speed (anag.).
9. Burdensome, and concealing a notorious fiddler.
10. "O, it came o'er mine ear like the sweet south,
That breathes upon a bank of violets,
Stealing, and giving — " ("Twelfth Night," Act 1, Sc. 1).
11. Harry, Nahum, or the Gallery?
12. Cleopatra was not one.
14. Secure in order to save.
16. She is found in a strange land.
18. This wrapper contains eleven.
19. Author of "The Chronicles of Clovis."
22. Sew with invisible stitches.
23. Savoury cheese dish.
24. Aspire to tip (anag.).

Clues Down

2. "Bow-Bow —
"To his daughter-in-law — " ("Mikado")
3. Conspiracy in a garden?
4. Reign in order to give up.
5. Languishing with a Russian weight of 36lb. and a finger ornament.
6. One bite of vulcanite?
7. Mischievous 17 down.
8. Suitable diet for a man of mettle? (4, 7).
13. Period. (Two words).
15. One who comes to the 14 across.
17. Tip, sir? (anag.).
20. Found between the calves and the soles.
21. If you know your Jane Austen you'll remember that her governess was Miss Taylor, her protegee Harriet Smith, and she married Mr. Knightly.

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articles of wear. Starch does not seem to make them like those in the shops, and as I do a great deal of crochet for gifts of various kinds, I should be so much obliged if you could tell me. A friend thought that she once heard you speak on the subject, and that you mentioned gum arabic, but she cannot remember the details. "Lower Hutt."

Yes, we had quite a little radio discussion on the subject of stiffening a tatted or crochet halo for a bride. There were three methods sent in by the Daisy Chain. (1) Mix a cup of sugar with one third cup water and boil for 2 minutes, stirring constantly. Then put in the crochet and boil for 2 minutes. Squeeze out excess moisture, pull into shape required and lay to dry. (2) Make a strong paste with white gum arabic, and strain. Paint it on to both sides of the crochet and leave to dry. If the holes are filled up when dry, pierce the gum out. (3) Beat up an egg-white till frothy, and dab it thoroughly all over the work, then leave to dry out. Do not press with hot iron—just leave it.

The Mildew Disappeared

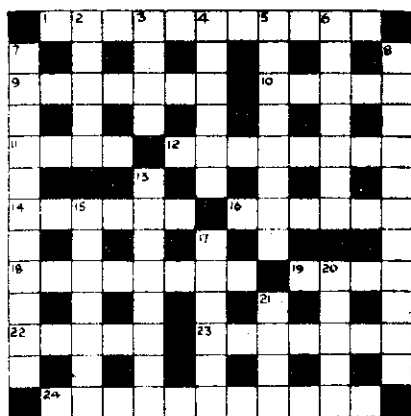
Dear Aunt Daisy,

Thank you so much for sending me the directions for taking the mildew out of my tablecloth. Needless to say I got on to it straight away, with the chloride of lime and washing soda method—javelle water. I was amazed to find every trace of mildew had gone and the cloth as white as ever again. If you had seen the state it was in, you would never have thought it would ever have come like new again. I have you to thank that it didn't go in the copper, as that was all it was fit for in that awful state.

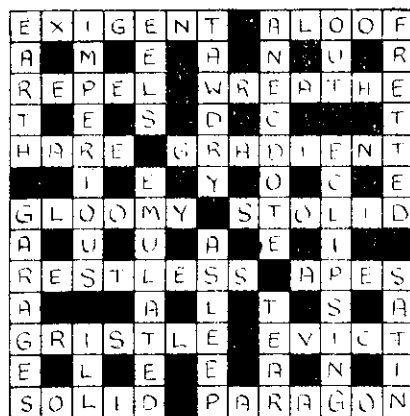
"Featherston."

Another quick and effective method is to dissolve 1/4lb. chloride of lime in 1 gallon of water. Strain through double muslin, and lay the mildewed article in the water. Watch it and take it out as soon as the mildew fades away—may be 15 minutes. Then wash the cloth as usual and rinse very thoroughly with baking soda in the water, to kill the lime.

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