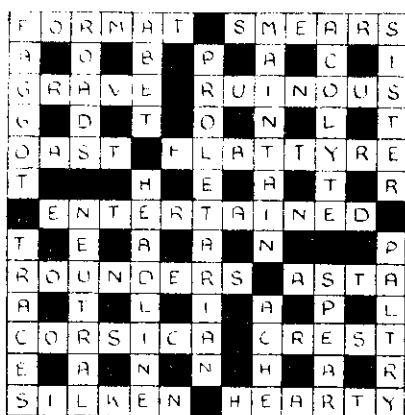


# 'THE LISTENER' CROSSWORD

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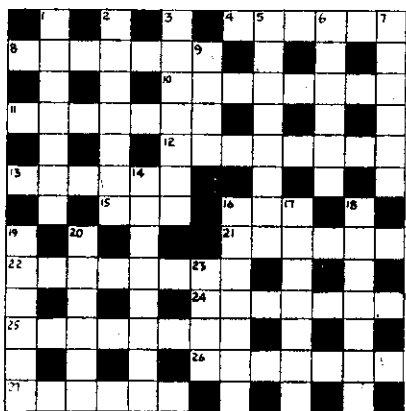
## Clues Across

4. and 26 across. The name of a well-known carol.
8. I'm a pest! (anag.).
10. "Learn of the little — to sail, Spread the thin oar, and catch the driving gale." ("Essay on Man"—Pope.)
11. The human race grows older? Contrives, in one word.
12. Sour gent produces caviare.
13. Emphasise.
15. Every dog is said to have his.
16. See 1 down.
21. "The female of the species is more — than the male." (Kipling.)
22. "Melancholy is a kind of demon that haunts our island, and often conveys herself to us in an — wind." (Addison.)
24. Regular oval.
25. Evil dame (anag.).
26. See 4 across.
27. Stop! It's Des!

## Clues Down

1. and 16 across. Title of a book by Daphne du Maurier.
2. Fed rats (anag.).
3. Men stay for a general pardon.
5. Depose by means of a crooked prick in the river the Jolly Miller lived on.
6. "Just for a handful of — he left us, Just for a riband to stick in his coat." ("The Lost Leader"—Browning.)
7. Member of an ancient Jewish sect.
9. Part of a blue aster.
14. Anonymous.
16. Pastoral or rustic.
17. Save tin for them.
18. Slit.
19. Mad bee (anag.).
20. These are meant only for the audience.
23. "I have lived long enough; my way of life Is fall'n into the sear, the yellow —." ("Macbeth," Act V., Sc. 3.)

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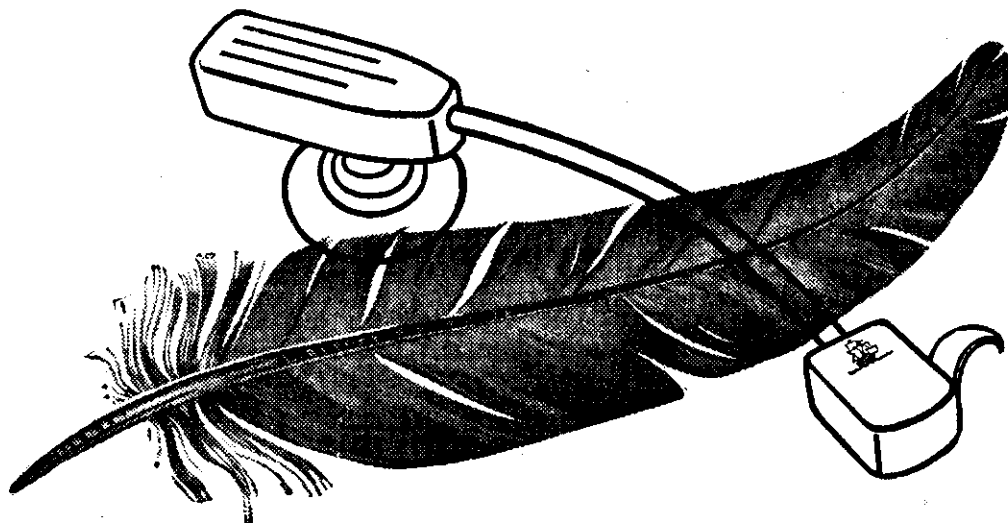
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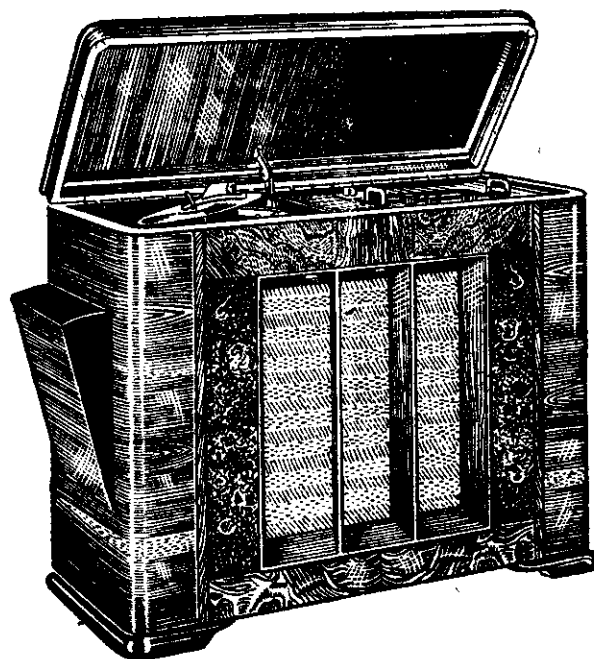


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