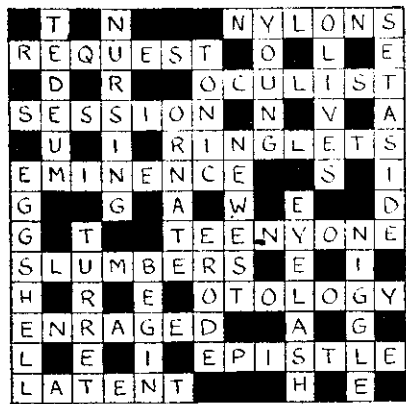


# "THE LISTENER" CROSSWORD

(Solution to No. 874)



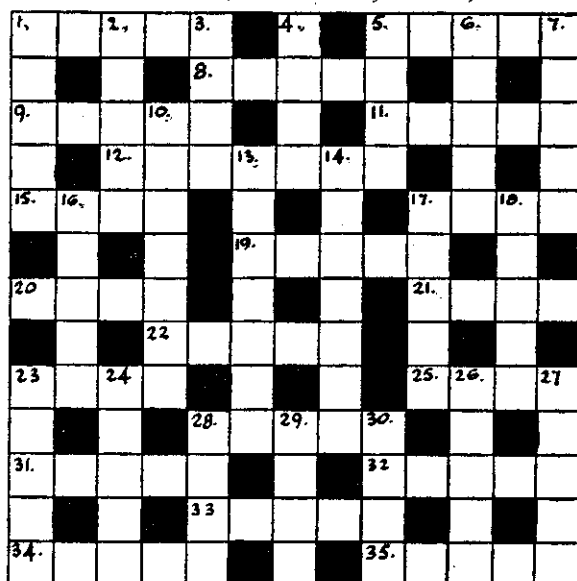
## Clues Across

- 1 and 5. A huge big man if suitably put in place, would be a specimen of one (5, 5).
8. To return previously to a southern province (5).
- 9 and 11. A rose got so mixed up, and was served for dinner (5, 5).
12. Suitable day for sea-duty? (7).
15. "Ship me somewhere — of Suez" (Kipling) (4).
17. Ait (4).
19. There would be cause for this in universal armament (5).
20. "Like one that on a lonesome road Doth walk in — and dread" (Coleridge) (4).
21. Conventional Americans (4).
22. I care for this plant! (5).
23. Undermines by breaking up the pass (4).
25. I'd turn my back on a short manuscript if it becomes less clear (4).
28. A game played by Cupid? (5).
31. More pleasant, but having a very cold heart (5).
32. This city is certainly not airless! (5).
33. A letter displayed by a spectral phantom (5).
- 34 and 35. Part of the daily routine of one who wishes to be healthy, wealthy and wise? (5, 5).

## Clues Down

- 1 and 23. She's no seer (anag.) (But perhaps she has plenty of gumption?) (5, 5).

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2. As Tom may be found, in these ditches (5).
3. "You would sound me from my lowest — to the top of my compass" ("Hamlet," Act 3, Scene 2) (4).
4. This minstrel has a very dull comeback! (4).
5. Did this Colonel go round in this? (4).
6. Found on elephants, or in clinging surroundings (5).
- 7 and 27. Sir Walter, or Robert Falcon? (5, 5).
10. They may be used after the surgeon has had his knife in you (7).
13. It's a man! (anag.), and it shows staying power (7).
14. "But who would force the soul, tilts with a straw Against a champion cased in —" (Wordsworth) (7).
16. Nut in a spare car (5).
17. Gets me in the end? That's correct! (5).
18. Picking this is usually a confined occupation (5).
23. See 1 down.
24. Could this 1 down cut a caper? (5).
26. A very sweet decoration! (5).
27. See 7 down.
28. This cart comes back into the yard (4).
29. "And so from hour to hour we — and —, And then from hour to hour we rot and rot: And thereby hangs a tale" ("As You Like It," Act 2, Scene 7) (4).
20. Scandalous, but not as loud! (4).

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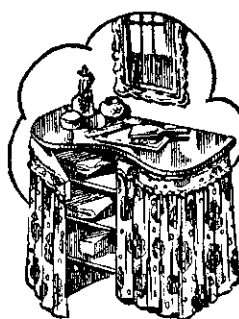
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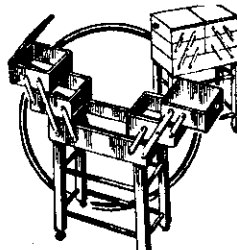
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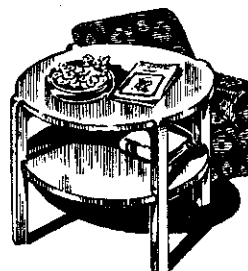
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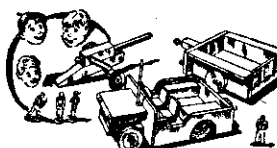
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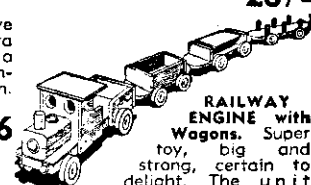
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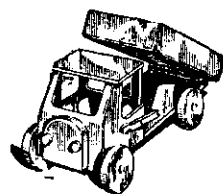
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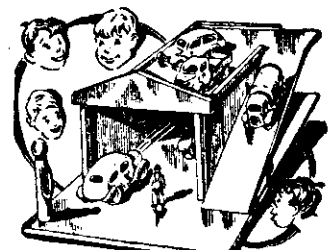
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