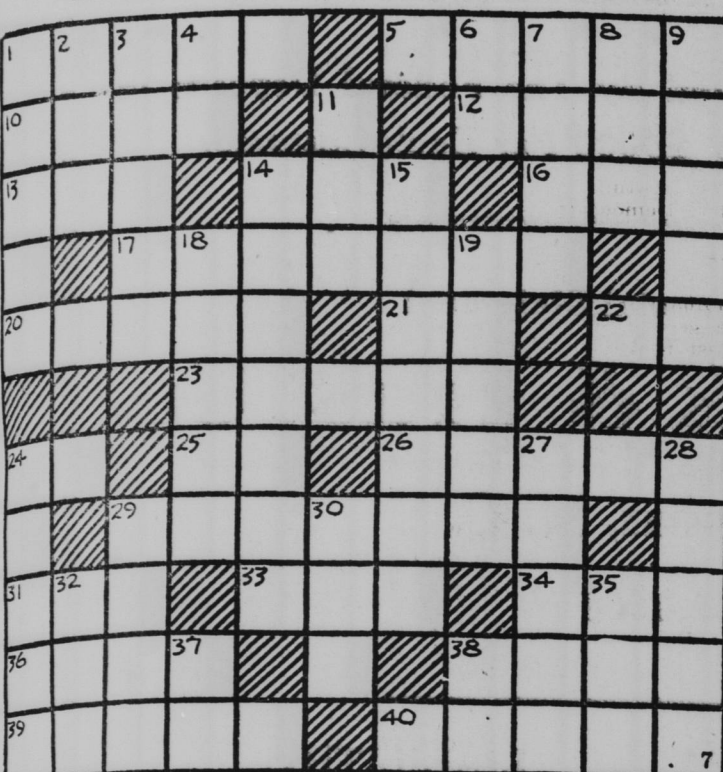


DAILY CROSS WORD PUZZLE



**ACROSS**

1—Let in  
5—Pale  
10—Charges for professional services  
12—Shortened form of automobile  
13—A number  
14—A beverage  
16—Ramble aim- lessly  
17—Lasting  
20—Covered with rust  
21—Recto (ab.)  
22—Pronoun  
23—Items

24—Thus  
25—Symbol for lutecium  
26—Extinction  
29—Improves  
31—Frozen water  
33—A distress signal used by ships  
34—Strike lightly  
36—Quiet  
38—Small rodents  
39—Join, as a member  
40—Realities

**DOWN**

1—Following  
2—Letter D  
3—Repairs  
4—Form of the verb "to be"  
6—Symbol for samarium

7—Large  
8—Greek letter  
9—Knots  
11—The ocean  
14—Tests by which contestants re-

main in activities  
15—Wears away  
18—Practical losses  
24—That which gives zest  
27—A savory masurium  
28—Detests  
29—Girdle  
30—2,000 pounds  
32—Be able  
35—Perform  
37—Pronoun  
38—Symbol for masurium

**Answer to previous puzzle**

H	U	M	O	R	S	E	L	B	A
A	S	I	N	I	N	E	E	A	R
G	A	T	A	L	I	G	H	T	
T	O	O	P	A	C	S			
B	O	W	A	T	O	A	S		
A	R	S	O	N	E	N	A	C	T
N	E	A	N	D	T	H			
T	H	U	S	R	O	E			
R	E	S	U	L	T	O	N	A	
A	G	A	S	E	A	L	E	R	S
G	O	R	E	W	R	E	S	T	S

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**CAUSING A BAD LEAD**  
WITH BOTH opponents bidding different suits against you, there is usually a pretty good chance that they may wind up in no trump. Sticking in a bid of your own suit may be bad stuff, if it is weakly topped. The chances then are that the foe can stop it safely and bid no trump anyway. Your partner then may be the one misled. His offering of that suit on the opening trick may present the foe with some tricks otherwise unobtainable. So, unless you are willing to have that suit led against no trump, bidding it may prove costly.

North and others at 3-No Trumps by South.

Three heart tricks were lost against 4-Spades and four heart tricks against 3-No Trumps.

One pair earned a nice top due to East's misguided overall of 2-Clubs after South had started with 1-Diamond and North had responded with 1-Spade. As a result of East's bid, instead of opening hearts, West led the club 6. South cashed five spade tricks, four diamonds and three clubs.

**Tomorrow's Problem**

♠ A 8 5 2  
♥ 7 6 3  
♦ 9 6 5  
♣ 4 3 2

♠ K J 7  
♥ 8 5  
♦ K J 3 2  
♣ Q J 10 6

♠ Q 10 9  
♥ 10 4 2  
♦ 10 8 7  
♣ 9 8 7 5

♠ 6 4 3  
♥ A K Q J 9  
♦ A Q 4  
♣ A K

(Dealer: South. East-West vulnerable.)

What is South's best play for 4-Hearts after the lead of the club Q.

This deal arose in a duplicate. Some played it at 4-Spades by

How and When to Give Cod Liver Oil to Babies

By LOGAN CLENDENING, M. D.

THE FOLLOWING pertinent question has come in the mail:

Q. Q. R.: "Is there any special technique or method of giving cod liver oil to a baby? Should it be given in the summer, too, when the baby gets so much sunshine?"

Answer: Cod liver oil should be given in the morning and at bedtime when the stomach is empty. The mother should place the very young baby on her lap and hold the mouth open by gently pressing the cheeks together between her thumb and fingers, while she administers the oil. By this means all of it will be taken. The baby soon becomes accustomed to taking the oil without having its mouth held open.

The mother should administer the oil in a matter of fact manner, without any cooing or clucking noises of sympathy. If given cold, cod liver oil has little taste because the cold tends to paralyze momentarily the taste buds and gustatory nerves. As any taste is largely a metallic one from the silver or silver-plated spoon—particularly if the plating is worn—a glass spoon has an advantage.

A concentrated Vitamin D and cod liver oil has an advantage because less of it has to be given. It is better to be on the safe side and give cod liver oil in the summer as well as in the winter. The purpose of giving cod liver oil is especially to furnish Vitamin D so as to prevent rickets. The body is able to manufacture its own Vitamin D in the presence of sunshine. In the old days rickets occurred especially at the end of the dark winter months when the body had been deprived of sunshine. But the mechanisms of Vitamin D production are complicated and sometimes things go wrong.

There was published not long ago the picture of a child who had developed rickets in spite of the fact that it had lived all its life in the sunshine of California. It was graphically entitled, "It Can Happen Here, Too". I have been told by a medical observer that he saw a great deal of rickets among the children in Central America, despite the fact that they live in an almost tropic sun.

Something went wrong with the mechanism for manufacturing Vitamin D by sunshine—the chemistry of the skin failed to function or the liver failed to store the vitamin. And this might happen any time if sunshine alone were depended on. So it is better to give cod liver oil also, to be on the safe side.

**QUESTIONS FROM READERS**

W. C.: "What is the meaning of the term 'appetite juice'?"

Answer: It is stomach secretion formed just before the time of eating, influenced by smell and the gustatory sensations of the food. In short, it is stimulated by the relish or expectancy for the food. Since it is secreted only when we are not in a hurry, when we anticipate a good meal, this suggests the importance of leisurely eating and well-cooked meals.

**EDITOR'S NOTE:** Seven pamphlets by Dr. Clendening can now be obtained by sending 10 cents in coin, for each, and a self-addressed envelope stamped with a three-cent stamp, to Dr. Logan Clendening in care of this paper. The pamphlets are: "Three Weeks' Reducing Diet," "Indigestion and Constipation," "Reducing and Gaining," "Infant Feeding," "Instructions for the Treatment of Diabetes," "Feminine Hygiene," and "The Care of the Hair and Skin."

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I WONDER IF HE'LL EVER MAKE A COMEBACK



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