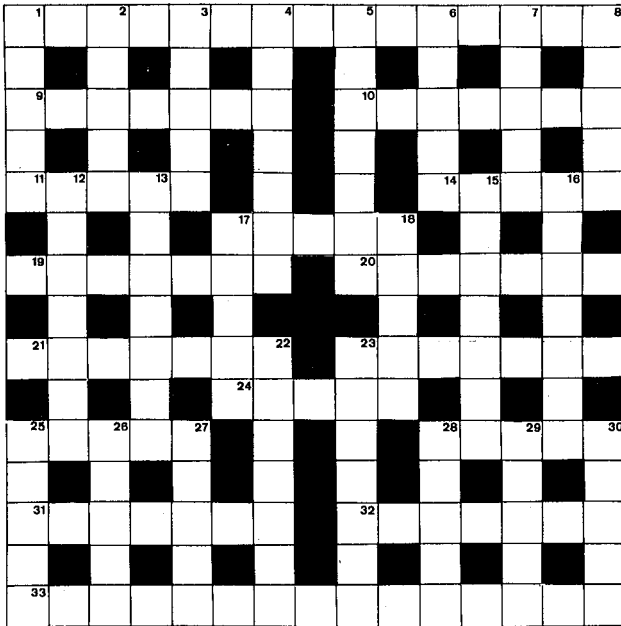


The Political Puzzle

by John Barclay



ACROSS

1. For positive assertion take leave from this Agency. (5, 10)
- 9 10. Sent abroad to teach severing of rice. (7, 7)
11. Main dish for Lady Astor. (5)
14. Washington House in Paris. (5)
17. Horse jumps the Sarre. (5)
19. They traipse through the infield. (7)
20. The original weekend. (7)
21. Housing by the loud arm of the ocean. (7)
23. The best remedy is cakes? (7)
24. A stye victim from Ireland. (5)
25. Sometimes broken, sometimes mobile. (5)
28. President was not a really expert. (5)

31. U. S. Gov't set this lad free. (7)
32. Tin nail translation. (2, 5)
33. John and Dick don't rate ten-year long term. (8, 7)

DOWN

1. What's so good about this. (2, 3)
2. Throw oar at vital supply line. (5)
3. What keeps sexist alive in the end. (5)
4. Make nice use of Sargent's wife. (7)
5. Responds as wrens do. (7)
6. Covers for Jack Sprat. (5)
7. Naive up near the Alps. (5)
8. Tater turns out to be something special. (5)

12. Habitat of Rio coon. (7)
13. The law prescribes what King Tut eats. (7)
15. Outlook point by mesas for 1 across. (7)
16. He is not to engage in hate act. (7)
17. From one layer to another. (5)
18. This gives Tessa enough. (5)
22. Not a pleasure to turn him off. (7)
23. Gay tins will be around for a while. (7)
25. Nixon sought him out in search of fair play. (5)
26. Right in center of dim street. (5)
27. Sec'y Resor felt worse. (5)
28. Use claw for tonal difference. (5)
29. Mark retail up? Not I this soon. (5)
30. Learn about kidney function. (5)

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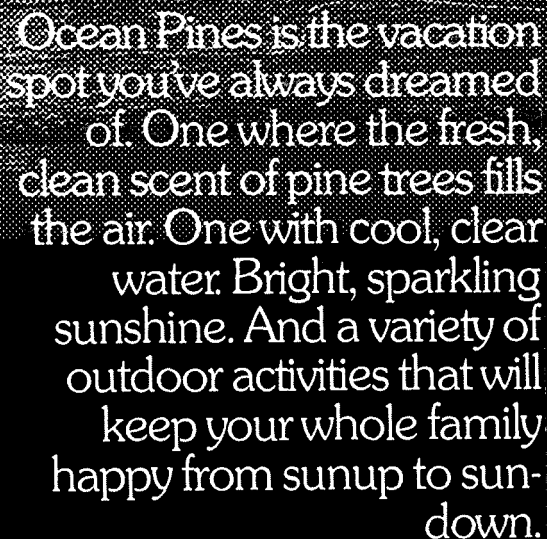
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