

History Mystery

125 years ago
May 1897

The job of superintendent of Tuscola schools paid the neat sum of \$1,350 per term [comparable \$47,542.12 today].
Talk meters were being installed on telephones. It was claimed that they measured conversation after the same fashion as gas meters.

100 years ago
May 11, 1922

The cornerstone laying of the new school building for Tuscola Union School District was held under favorable weather conditions. Placed in the south entrance, the stone contained a history of Tuscola schools, list of faculty and students, copies of the Tuscola Review and Journal newspapers, a brief sketch of Tuscola, history of Jarman Hospital, post cards of Tuscola, train sched-

ules, bar docket of the courthouse, coins, items from the cornerstone box of the school built in 1871, and many other items.

Businessmen in town were taking steps to establish a Rotary club.

85 years ago
May 13, 1937

The Panhandle Pipeline Company began construction of a booster station near Ficklin.
Jimmie Jacobs, age 9, earned 50 cents doing odd jobs and spent it all on his mother for Mother's Day. He bought a box of candy, a vase and two handkerchiefs. He had 4 cents left over and gave that to her, too.

75 years ago
May 8, 1947

Private First Class Tommy Bowles arrived home from



RECOGNIZE ANYONE in this photo? Do you know the year? Tune into the Review's podcast late afternoon Thursday on our Facebook page to learn more about it from our resident historians.



LAST WEEK'S PHOTO was of the Soldiers & Sailors memorial at the Douglas County Courthouse. Built in 1908, it was razed in 1930 due to deterioration. The brass plates mounted on the inside walls are on display in the courthouse.

Camp Stoneman in California for leave pending discharge. He served 16 months in the Philippines.

Miss Wilma Burmeister and Wilbur Connour were married in the Methodist Church.

65 years ago
May 9, 1957

Dr. Frederick Siebert, director of the UI school of journalism, accepted a similar position at Michigan State.

Carl Quinn, who joined the Army in April, was transferred

from Fort Leonard Wood, Missouri, to Camp Carson in Colorado.

60 years ago
May 10, 1962

Lynnita Aldridge, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Florin Aldridge, won first place in the poppy poster contest for grades 4-6.

55 years ago
May 11, 1967

Claude English sold his welding shop on South Main to Ronnie Wymore.

The Hi-Way Bowl on Rt. 36 was gutted by fire May 5.

Michael Allen returned from a year of duty in Vietnam.

A new pipe organ was being installed in the Methodist Church at a cost of \$25,000 [comparable to \$218,784.43 today].

50 years ago
May 11, 1972

Mr. and Mrs. Craig Chapman announced the arrival of their first child, a girl, Kimberly Lynn, born April 26 in Decatur.

The Tuscola Woman's

Club celebrated its 75th anniversary. It was organized in 1894 as a reading club. It became affiliated with the Illinois Federation of Women's Clubs in 1896.

1 year ago
May 12, 2021

Cole Cunningham and Jessi Martin were crowned prom king and queen at Tuscola High School.

The pool was expected to open but might be late due to staffing shortages.

PUZZLES

CLUES ACROSS

- Moved quickly
- Ocean temperature
- Scholarly book series
- Irregular
- Hairstyle
- Indigestion fixer
- Special therapy
- Mock
- Partner to Pa
- Strays
- Swedish currency (abbr.)
- Desired
- Traditional fishing boat
- No (Scottish)
- Spy organization
- Spiritual leader of a Jewish congregation
- Married woman
- Blood relation
- German river
- Genus of clams
- Parts of a movie
- Residue
- Ethnic group of Laos and Thailand
- Atomic #77
- Where wrestlers work
- Northeast
- Type of lettuce
- Abstain
- Communication between

- Two
- One who administers medicine
- Sun up in New York
- Having eight

CLUES DOWN

- He played "Milton"
- Elsa's sister
- Digital wallet
- About backbone
- Type of weapon
- Turner, rock singer
- Microgram
- Hair product
- Health care pro
- Holy fire
- Military ID (abbr.)
- the ante
- Containing nitrogen
- Green citrus fruit
- Male parent
- Bring up
- Murdered
- Soviet Socialist Republic
- Supreme ruler Genghis
- Social media hand gesture
- Semitic Sun god
- Land
- Database management system
- Similar
- Nice to look at
- Covered with mud

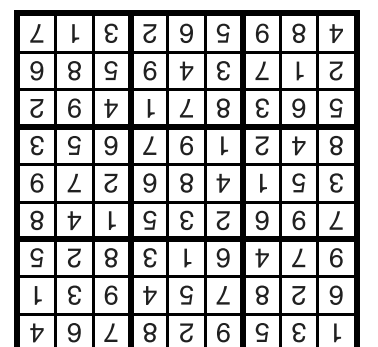
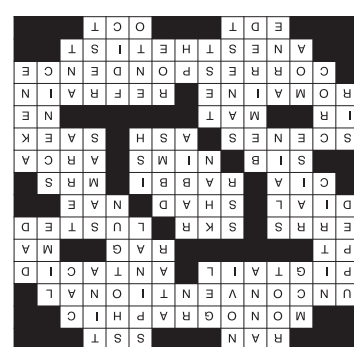
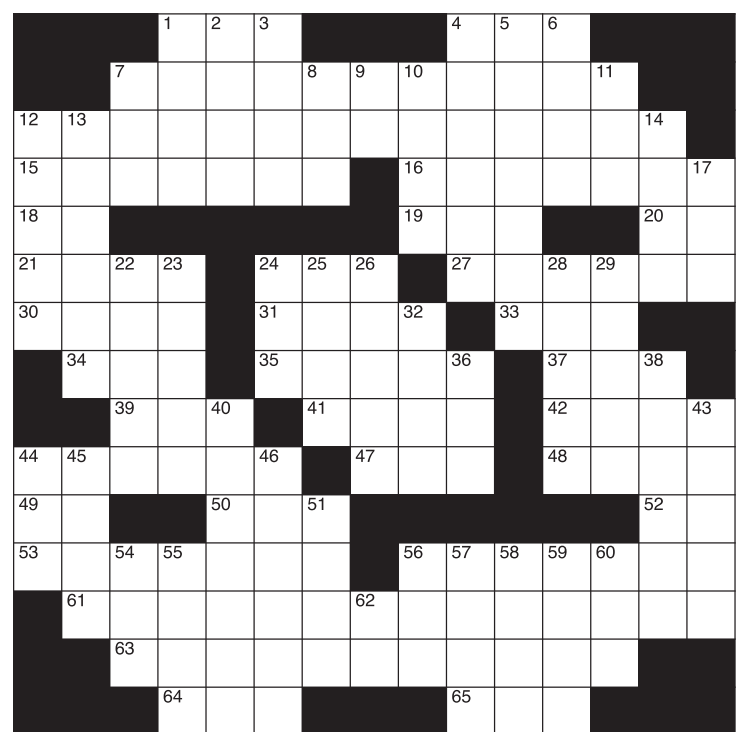
- Simple dry fruit
- Title of respect
- Type of footwear
- Most lucid
- Exam
- Extinct flightless bird of New Zealand

- "Rule, Britannia" composer
- Small Eurasian deer
- "Within"
- Insures bank's depositors
- A pause for relaxation
- Social insect
- Expresses acidity

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ARIES - Mar 21/Apr 20
If a difficult problem arises in the days ahead, seek the council of someone older or with more experience, Aries. He or she can guide you accordingly and assuage doubts.

TAURUS - Apr 21/May 21
Realize that you may have to tone down your reactions and behaviors this week, Taurus. This will earn the respect of those around you. Others are seeking calm and stability.

GEMINI - May 22/June 21
Some of your to-do items may need to be postponed this week, Gemini. You simply have too much going on and no wiggle room if projects or meetings run late.

CANCER - Jun 22/Jul 22
It could be time to focus on self-improvement, Cancer. Spend a few days figuring out where you can do better. Maybe that's focusing on spirituality or relationships.

LEO - Jul 23/Aug 23
This is an ideal time to spend with your family, Leo. Plan a grand meal with extended family members and host a reunion of sorts. Catch up and share memories.

VIRGO - Aug 24/Sept 23
Virgo, change may be a tad scary at first. But before you know it, you will be an old hand at what you are delving into. Just stick with it until reach your comfort level.

LIBRA - Sept 23/Oct 23
There may be misunderstandings with others unless you are very clear with your words and intentions, Libra. Watch your tone so things are not misconstrued.

SCORPIO - Oct 24/Nov 22
Don't get too caught up on your cash flow right now, Scorpio. You have certain projects on the horizon that may bring in more money that will tide you over for some time.

SAGITTARIUS - Nov 23/Dec 21
Sagittarius, you may discover you have been spending a lot of time focused on the job or another task that pulling you away from loved ones. Reconsider your priorities.

CAPRICORN - Dec 22/Jan 20
Inspiration and imagination are soaring for you this week, Capricorn. Now is the time to put any creative ideas in play and see how they turn out.

AQUARIUS - Jan 21/Feb 18
Aquarius, you may be hoping to improve communication with a loved one, whether a child or even a sibling. Engage in conversation when you are distraction-free.

PISCES - Feb 19/Mar 20
Someone who visits you could bring interesting news that ends up being the focus of the conversation. You'll get your say with time.

FAMOUS BIRTHDAYS

- JUNE 12
Artem Chigvintsev, Dancer (40)
- JUNE 13
Chris Evans, Actor (41)
- JUNE 14
Boy George, Singer (61)
- JUNE 15
Courteney Cox, Actress (58)
- JUNE 16
Laurie Metcalf, Actress (67)
- JUNE 17
Venus Williams, Athlete (42)
- JUNE 18
Paul McCartney, Singer (80)