

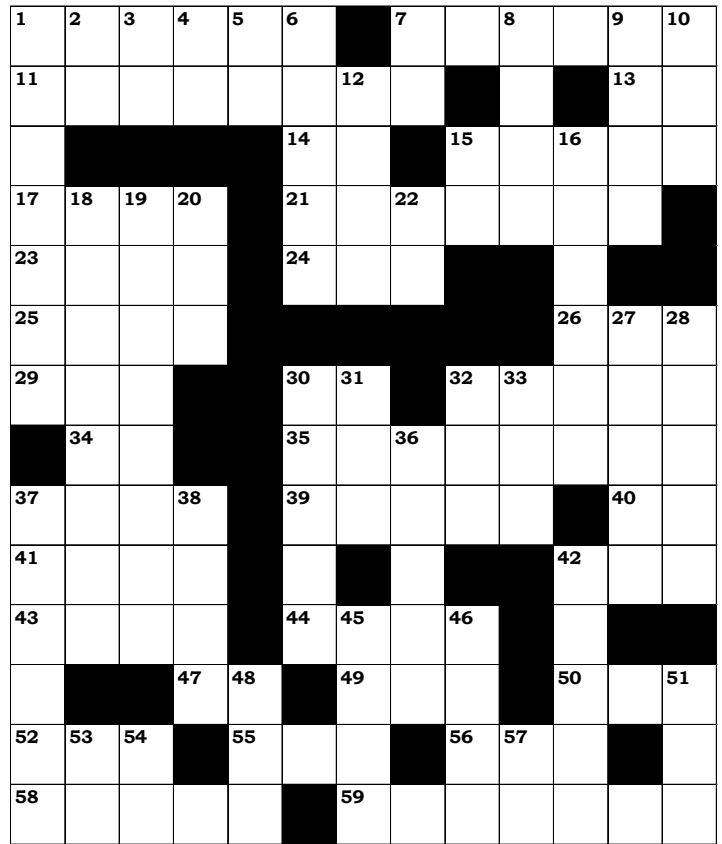
Puzzle #763

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ACROSS

1. The State of Nevada has its counterpart in Nevada, Mo. in ____ County.
7. "Cole Camp is a strong German settlement in Benton County. A company of Home Guards were surprised one night in their sleep after sentinels had been hoodwinked by a Union flag rebels carried, and a part of the ____ force was shot down without mercy." —*Longer Than a Man's Lifetime in Missouri*, Ch. 30: "A sketch of the actual war in Mo."; Gert Goebel.
11. "____ is proof that, given the will, we have the capacity to achieve the impossible," —Eddie Rickenbacker.
13. It came down to a "____ said, she said" situation.
14. Taos, Mo. got its name from the city/pueblo of Taos in this State.
15. "In the first place, I take it that neither of us is prepared to ____ diabolical intrusions into the affairs of men," —Holmes to Watson in *The Adventure of the Devil's Foot*; Sir Arthur Conan Doyle.
17. Dog talk.
21. The State of Kansas has its counterpart in Kansas City, Mo. in ____ County.
23. Both St. Peter and St. Paul were murdered by the order of this dissolute Roman Emperor.

24. It's got high hopes of moving that rubber tree plant.
25. The State of Missouri has its very own counterpart in Missouri City, Mo. in ____ County.
26. Eve's origin?
29. ____ and Yang in Chinese philosophy are contrasting or opposite forces.
30. The 1920's dance craze, the Charleston, originated in Charleston in this State (abbr.).
32. "How come when you mix water with ____ together you get glue. And then you add eggs and sugar and you get cake? Where does the glue go?" —Rita Rudner.
34. The familiar two initial letters of Chesterton, the prolific convert and Catholic apologist prominent in England in the 1920s and 30s.
35. The State of California has its counterpart in California, Mo. in ____ County.
37. Grain storage structure on a farm.
39. Responses from the pews.
40. ____ *cum spiritu tuo*.
41. "All of you who stand fast in the Lord are a holy seed, a new colony of bees, the very flower of or ministry and fruit of our ____," —Easter sermon; St. Augustine.
42. Lower digit.
43. Mary's mother.
44. The State of Oregon has its counterpart in Oregon, Mo. in ____ County.
47. Yes for Pancho.
49. "Behold, your king comes to you, meek and riding on an ____," (Matthew 21:5).
50. A sergeant or corporal, for ex.
52. "See all, keep a ____ to yourself and correct a few things," —motto of Pope Gregory the Great.
55. What domesticated animal did Mark Twain prefer



56. "...this woman was caught in the very ____ of committing adultery," (John 8:4).
 58. "Earth's crammed with heaven, and every common bush afire with God but only he who sees, takes off his ____; the rest sit round it and pluck blackberries," —American poet Elizabeth Barret Browning.
 59. A cut of steak.
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1. After the ratification of the 19th amendment (women's suffrage) on August 18, 1920, the first woman in the country to vote in an election was from Hannibal: Marie Byrum, age 26. On Aug. 31, 1920, she voted in a special election to fill a ____ on the Hannibal City Council.
 2. Tesla, GM, and Toyota are ambitiously pursuing development of ____ (electric vehicle) cars.
 3. Newport in this State is famous as a pet?
 4. Chemical symbol for sodium.
 5. Not NT but ____.
 6. Teenage Mutant ____ Turtles is a 2014 action/sci-fi. movie/comic book series featuring four justice loving, pizza eating, strange/funny superheroes.
 7. Lion's den prophet. 34th book of the Bible (abbr.).
 8. Since I have never won when I buy a lottery ticket, my ____ of winning are going up!
 9. Some soccer players wear ____ guards.
 10. God always answers our prayers with a) a yes, b) not ____, or c) I have a better plan.
 12. Country at the mouth of the Persian Gulf.
 15. ____-47; Russian made assault rifle.
 16. The State of Florida has its counterpart in Florida, Mo. in ____ County.
 18. "It is the root of all ____ that a man knows that he is nothing in order to thank

- God that he is something.”
—G.K. Chesterton.
19. The State of Washington has its counterpart in Washington, Mo. in _____ County.
 20. The tiny northwest Mo. town of Norborne proclaims itself to be the _____ bean Capital of the World!
 22. New Haven in this State is home to Yale University (abbr.).
 27. The full-time vowels.
 28. “Rowsby Woof was the man’s dog; and he was the most objectionable, malicious, disgusting _____ that ever licked a man’s hand,” —*Watership Down*, Richard Adams.
 30. “Tear down their altars, _____ their sacred pillars,” (Deuteronomy 12:3).
 31. Ending for an email address.
 32. Part of a shark.
 33. Lieutenants (abbr.).
 36. Singer Diamond and astronaut Armstrong.
 37. “Solomon had four thousand _____ for his twelve thousand chariot horses,” (1 Kings 5:6)
 38. Cheers at a bullfight.
 42. The Lone Ranger’s partner.
 45. Mares and does eat _____ and little lambs eat ivy... according to a song by the Pied Pipers, 1944.
 46. Old Russian ruler.
 48. The parishes at Owensville and Loose Creek are _____.
 51. A private sadness that haunted Washington to the end was in having no child of his _____. He had not grasped that an autonomous America was his child,” —*The First Salute*, Barbara Tuchman.
 53. _____ no!
 54. “‘Easy does it,’ says America _____ mankind. But easy has never done it. Never,” —*The Lost Art of Walking on the Water*, Fr. Michael Heher.
 57. Letters for chlorine on the periodic chart.