

# FROM THE ARCHIVE

## 50 years ago

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**O**pus Dei Extension: On Tuesday, when the Queen Mother, as Chancellor of London University, opened the fine new Opus Dei hostel building in Hampstead, Opus Dei may be said to have been firmly established and recognised. This is the third hostel: there is one at Manchester and one for post-graduates at Oxford by Folly Bridge. These hostels are very good work because they can provide the necessary element of collegial social life, though not all today's students want this.

I am told that one of the contributing factors to the great popularity of Sussex University is the idea of living in lodgings in Brighton, a town given over to enjoyment ever since the Prince Regent made it his province, with no questions asked about late hours and the Catholic bishop at a safe distance inland.

The competition for university places is still such that, though the student population is vast, it is only half the number of young people who would like to be students.

## 100 years ago

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**S**trange to say, the brilliant campaign in Picardy and Flanders of 1513 has received but scant attention from our military historians ... This early British expedition presents many points of analogy with the struggle in which we are at present engaged, though happily today in alliance with our then ever-chivalrous foes, and more especially in the preparations for the campaign which owed its success to the genius and energy of the then comparatively obscure priest, the King's Almoner, and

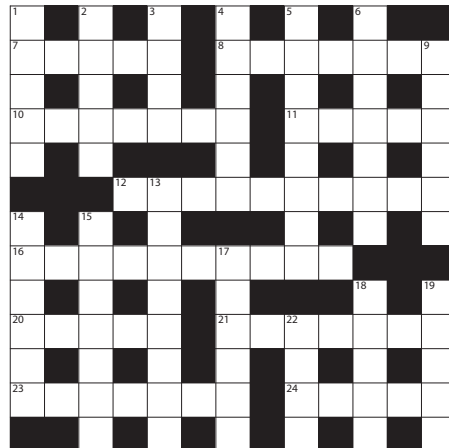
subsequently Cardinal of the Holy Roman Church. No one who has had to deal with the mass of Wolsey correspondence preserved in the Record Office, British Museum, and Lambeth Palace, can fail to recognize in him a past-master of statecraft, who seemed to hold in his hand all the tangled threads of European politics of the day, and who threw into his work an energy and devotion which in the long course of our history has never been surpassed by any Minister of the English Crown.

# PUZZLES

## PRIZE CROSSWORD No. 534 | Alanus

### Across

- 7 Moon of Saturn discovered by Cassini, who also worked for Pope Clement IX (5)
- 8 "O -----, O pia, O dulcis", *Salve Regina* (7)
- 10 Malcolm Patrick -----, OP, Archbishop of the See of Liverpool (7)
- 11 Jean-Baptiste-Camille -----, nineteenth-century French landscape and portrait painter (5)
- 12 Italian sixteenth-century composer of sacred music including the *Missa Papae Marcelli* (10)
- 16 Town in 10's archdiocese with shrine church to Our Lady (St Mary's) (10)
- 20 Sleeveless body-warming outdoor jacket (5)
- 21 St Alphonsus -----, founder of the Order of Redemptorists (7)
- 23 Romanov princess murdered by the Bolsheviks in 1917 (7)



24 ----- Mazda, the highest god of the ancient religion of Zoroastrianism (5)

### Down

- 1 Richard -----, author of children's best-seller *Watership Down* (5)
- 2 Doctrine or tenet of a philosophical school (5)
- 3 Wife of Jacob and mother of the sons who founded six of the 12 Tribes of Israel (4)

- 4 Candle holder on a sanctuary wall (6)
- 5 Romeo's friend killed by Tybalt in Shakespeare's play (8)
- 6 State recently visited by Pope Francis with limited success (7)
- 9 Governor of a Province in ancient Persia (6)
- 13 With Zadok, priest to King David (2 Samuel 20:25) (8)
- 14 First name of Army General and President of the USA (6)
- 15 Cleric of high rank such as 10 Across (7)
- 17 Abbot and early Scottish saint known as "The Wise", c.500-570 (6)
- 18 Early Pope, succeeded Adeodatus II, died 678 (5)
- 19 Book of the Old Testament (5)
- 22 Animal let go into the wilderness as a sin offering (Leviticus 16) (4)

### Please send your answers to:

#### Crossword Competition 5 November

The Tablet, 1 King Street Cloisters, Clifton Walk, London W6 0GY.

Please include your full name, telephone number and email address, and a mailing address. Three books – on Jesus, Christian art and Catholicism – from the OUP's Very Short Introduction series will go to the sender of the first correct entry drawn at random on Friday 18 November.

● The answers to this week's puzzles and the crossword winner's name will appear in the 26 November issue.

#### Solution to the 15 October crossword No. 531

**Across:** 7 Albion; 8 Blaise; 10 Sallieri; 11 Bruno; 12 Uist; 13 De-Lys;

17 Watts; 18 Atop; 22 Azure; 23 Vulgate; 24 Rameau; 25 Sums up.

**Down:** 1 Masseur; 2 Obelisk; 3 Copes; 4 Old boys; 5 Titus; 6 Aesop;

9 Digestive; 14 Lateran; 15 Strauss; 16 Up-tempo; 19 Tarry; 20 Summa;

21 Fleur.

**Winner:** S.A. Elliott, of Camberwell, south London.

## SUDOKU | Beginner

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Solution to the 15 October puzzle

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