

The Times Crosswords Albums

INTRODUCTION

These albums trace the first 100 Times crosswords set in motion with Adrian Bell's first stab at the institution on Saturday 1st February 1930, to which 38 across is witness to our eccentricity! This elephant has lost its head (4) UMBO and so sadly has my beautiful tortoise lamp today thanks to an infernal machine! Enough of the Sorrows of Young Werther, enjoy what remains of our human brains!

Below, find the precursor to our adventure as was signalled in *The Times* on Friday 31st January 1930 followed by directions on the big day!

David Akenhead, Author of the Computer Crosswords

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CROSSWORDS

A DAILY PUZZLE IN "THE TIMES"

The institution of a weekly crossword puzzle in *The Times* has brought widespread demand from readers for a daily puzzle. A new series will therefore be begun in *The Times* to-morrow, and will continue every day. The solution of each puzzle will be given in the issue following its publication.

Followed by this the following day:

CROSSWORD PUZZLE

The first of a series of daily crossword puzzles will be found to-day on page 7. The solution of the puzzle, together with a new crossword will appear in *The Times* on Monday.

