

The Horizontal words furnish a clue and a help in forming the Vertical ones, and vice-versa.

If you make no progress on one puzzle, try another.

We publish several editions of The Parkers' Cross Word Puzzle Game.

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**Rules for Playing
PARKERS'
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PUZZLE
GAME**

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DIRECTIONS

FOR ANY NUMBER OF PLAYERS

Each player takes one of the cards and a pencil, and at a given signal, each player endeavors to complete the Cross Word Puzzle by writing in the letters so as to form words which agree with the word or definition which appears in the Horizontal or Vertical columns. The player first succeeding in completing the Cross Word Puzzle, WINS THE GAME.

The idea of the Cross Word Puzzle Game is to fill in the white spaces on the card with letters forming the words which agree with the definitions in the text. The word defined in the text under Horizontal and indicated by a number will extend horizontally from that particular numbered square to the next black square and the word defined in the text under Vertical and indicated by a number will extend from the white square of that particular

number to the black square below, and so on. Most letters are used twice in making the two different words.

FOR PARTNERSHIP GAMES

When a sufficient number of players are together, this game can be played in partnership, two or more working on the same card.

SUGGESTIONS TO AID IN SOLVING PARKERS' CROSS WORD PUZZLE

Do not become discouraged if you cannot solve the first word in the column; go over the list until you find a definition which you are certain is correct. This is the simplest way in beginning the puzzle. When you have formed all the words you are sure of, it will help to form others.

Don't spend too much thought on the long words unless you are certain of them. They will come when you have the short ones.