## Puzzle

"Capital Campaign"
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Instructions: The words defined by the cryptic clues (see next page) are to be entered normally in the grid below (heavy bars separate entries), except that eight of them are a letter short and won't fit in the grid unless they receive a gift. So solvers are asked to contribute a letter to each of them. The added letter should spell a new word (not defined by any clue) without changing the letter order of the original word. For example, A might be added to MEN to spell AMEN or MEAN, but not NAME or MANE. The eight letters thus added, taken in order as they occur in across and down words, should spell an eight-letter word appropriate to the title and theme of the puzzle. Answers include one proper name.


## Clues:

## Across

3 Get around taking root
5 Vocally took off when sounded
11 Drain opened at lowest point
12 Tolerate helper having second grade
13 Animal in pottery
14 Extent sounded excellent
15 Martial interior altered by crown
17 Out on a limb by edge of tall grass
18 Tie up position around channel
19 Start early behind schedule and give a lift
20 Governor took chair at talk
25 Attire hold university in coercion
27 North French river racket
28 Triteness keeps act within line of enclosure
29 Small laundry in narrow channel
34 Step on surface of tire
36 React differently to provide what's needed
37 Layer with sodium for reddish color
38 Every year without a void
39 Literary patchwork seems to cost nothing
40 Repairman holds hands with the German
41 Color isn't without one

## Down

1 Reasonable fashion cost
2 Elephant cake with a little bit of rum
3 Also went ahead ornamented
4 Insect one is opposed to
5 Chatters on in afterthought about speed
6 Gets worn down in zero descent
7 Penny craft or missile
8 A few words cover the inside
9 Margin of keenness
10 Document exploit
16 Gagarin's laxative?
21 Pain ends in broken heart, producing pollen
22 Rock pile splits raging floods
23 Travel on in horrid engine
24 Dull scholar newly accepted about number
26 A hundred in panic is uncommon
29 South English river swindle
30 Decline in pallid end to life
31 Coin for the King of Siam, perhaps
32 Check feat
33 Kept in with elders
35 Presently nameless

