

FEDERALIST #10

1. Use context clues to determine the definition of the following vocabulary words. Then fit the appropriate word in the best slot in the attached crossword puzzle.

faction
specious
adverse
expedient
proprietors
preeminence
enlightened
popular
coexistent
inducements
cabals
impediments
palpable

propensity
effectually
aggregate
faculties
ensues
vex
subservient
desideratum
concert
assimilated
multitude
requisite
conflagration

mortal
obviated
annihilation
insuperable
latent
apportionment
convulse
opprobrium
efficacy
consonant
diffusive
endowments
Federalists

2. What does Madison infer, in the first paragraph, is the subject of his essay?

3. What is the main idea of ¶2 ("The valuable")?

4. Diagram Madison's argument about the "methods of curing the mischiefs of faction." [See¶ 5, 6, 14, 15, & 16]

5. What does Madison say is the cause of different people holding different opinions? [¶8]

6. To what does Madison attribute the existence of different interests in society? [¶9]

7. What does Madison say is the "principle task of modern legislation?"

8. Why, according to Madison, is allowing the majority faction to decide a case of a restriction on foreign imports, for example, like allowing a man to be a judge in his own case? [See ¶s 11 & 12.]

9. What are the two methods by which a majority faction may be stopped from controlling the government? [¶16]

10. Why does Madison believe a republic is less likely to be controlled by a majority faction than a democracy? [See ¶s 18-23.]

11. Why does Madison think the geographical size of the union will deter a majority faction from controlling the government? [See ¶s 24-26.]

12. "In the extent and proper structure of the Union, therefore, we behold a republican remedy to the diseases most incident to republican government."

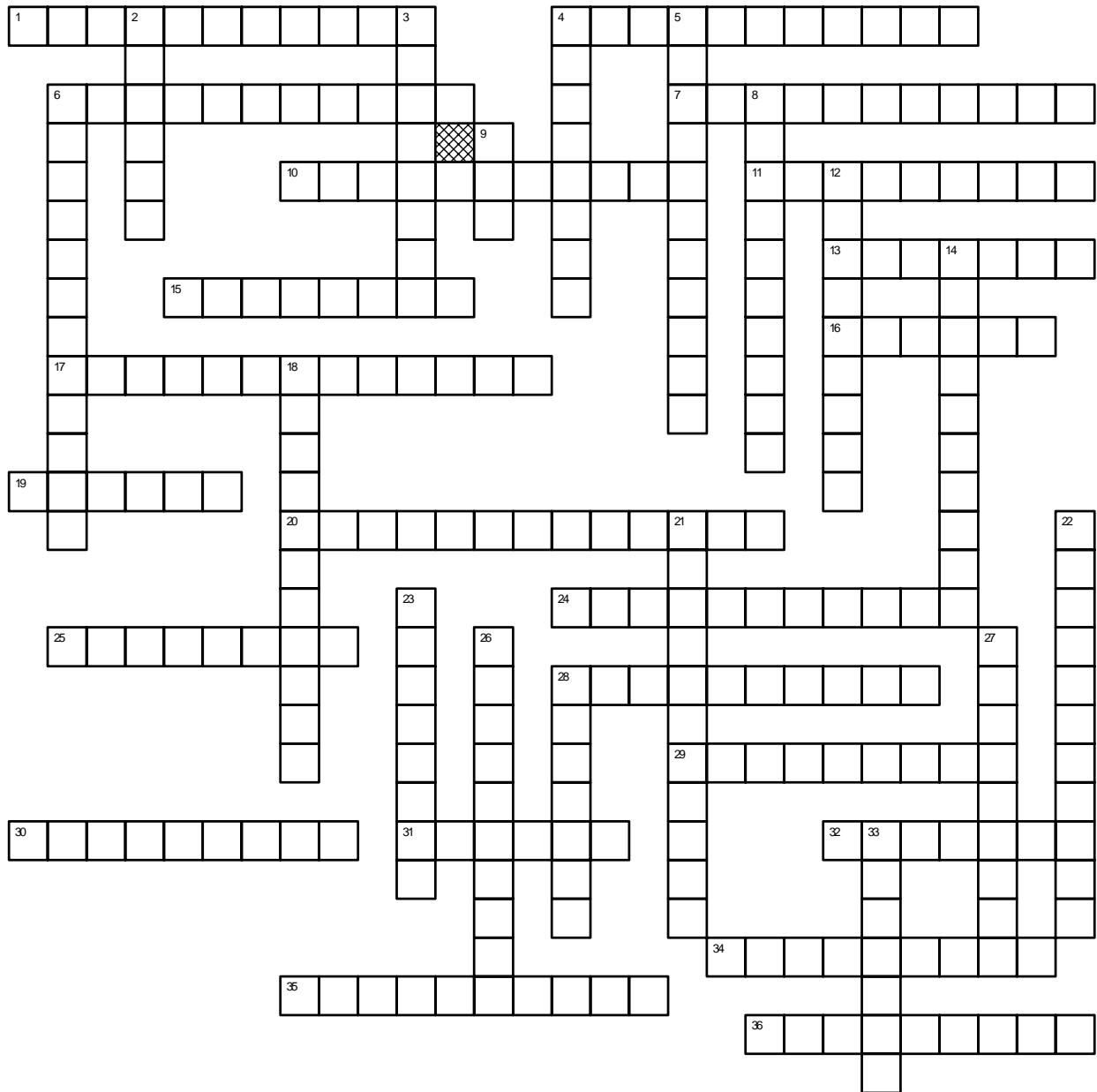
In this famous quotation, what is meant by:

(a) "the extent...of the union?"

(b) "the ... proper structure of the union?"

(c) "the diseases most incident to republican governments?"

FEDERALIST #10 CROSSWORD PUZZLE



Across

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1. bars or hindrances 4. owners 6. absorbed or made similar 7. in an effectual manner; with great effect 10. a basis for making a decision 11. tending to spread out 13. acting together 15. to shake violently 16. undercover or hidden 17. the act of dividing up and parceling out 19. subject to death 20. a large disastrous fire | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 24. under the authority of another 25. made null and void or of no effect 28. tendency 29. required 30. many of something 31. numbers of persons secretly gathered together for the purpose of overturning or usurping power 32. a group with a particular interest 34. total; gather together 35. capacities or powers or abilities 36. being in agreement or harmony |
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Down

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 2. taking place afterward and as a result of 3. falsely seeming to be true 4. touchable 5. superiority 6. wiping out; total destruction 8. one who supports the federal constitution of 1787 9. to trouble or cause consternation 12. abilities, especially mental abilities 14. existing at the same time | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 18. incentives 21. incapable of being overcome 22. made knowledgeable 23. the ability to produce a desired effect 26. smelly; bringing disgrace 27. convenient 28. of the people 33. contrary |
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