

Benjamin Harrison Cryptograms — Set 3

5 puzzles · Large print · answers on the last page

Every letter has been swapped for another letter. The same cipher letter always stands for the same letter, and no letter ever stands for itself. Write your answer in the blank under each letter. Answers are on the last page.

1. Clue: S = E

Medium · 78 letters

O G S A R I W M W O W S K

A F L D F D C M R L

S E C I R O W F B G R X S

H S S B X R K O M Z

S B M R L Q S E R B E V F L S

Q S B S L R M M Z

E W A A C K S E .

Decoder — write your answer under each cipher letter:

A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M
N	O	P	Q	R	S	T	U	V	W	X	Y	Z

2. Clue: S = E

Medium · 96 letters

J G S Y L J E J F F D S E

R M Y J F S I S H L J S

S Z D Q R H S P J G S

H F M P J V J L J V F M V M

V J P S M J V Q S J E R M Y

J G S K G F B S H F Y S F W

B R K P S M R H J S Y

L M Y S Q V J .

Decoder — write your answer under each cipher letter:

A B C D E F G H I J K L M

N O P Q R S T U V W X Y Z

3. Clue: L = E

Easy · 103 letters

S H X L N N H S S L L U N

P H G L N H B W F L S P X D

J C I W L N N L U B I H S

H B W I L H I X L V N

P O J N , P O V P S H

E H W P O D L S U H W

K V B N L K V S G L

I W H C H P L U G D

X V E X L N N S L N N .

Decoder — write your answer under each cipher letter:

A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M
N	O	P	Q	R	S	T	U	V	W	X	Y	Z

4. Clue: A = T

Medium · 107 letters

C D V A N E N K V A N L S

V S O V X V Y Z X Z S A

B A D J C C F Z E L D

B J M D Z X V K R V B H Z

K L S A Z X M F V A Z A U Z

M L M J F V A N L S,

H Z V F A U, V S O X L D V F

B A D Z S C A U L E L J D

K L J S A D R.

Decoder — write your answer under each cipher letter:

A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M
N	O	P	Q	R	S	T	U	V	W	X	Y	Z

5. Clue: U = T

Medium · 135 letters

B L S L Z N U N A F Z

S F G U P A F B Z L B V

S Q G M Q W F O C F B U F V W

F U U D W W E S W B M W L X

S Q R Z N A D L B L G L G

R P G Q O W F B O

N B O W A W B U Y W U D L O M

T N U D L Q U S G L U W M U

F B O X F U F Z

O N M F X X W A U N L B N B

NUM LTB RLOP.

Decoder — write your answer under each cipher letter:

A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M
N	O	P	Q	R	S	T	U	V	W	X	Y	Z

Solver's cheat sheet

Most common letters	E T A O I N S H R D L U
Most common 1-letter words	A I
Most common 2-letter words	OF TO IN IT IS BE AS AT SO WE HE BY OR ON DO IF ME MY UP AN GO NO US AM
Most common 3-letter words	THE AND FOR ARE BUT NOT YOU ALL ANY CAN HER WAS ONE OUR OUT DAY GET HAS HIM HIS HOW MAN NEW NOW OLD SEE TWO WAY WHO BOY DID ITS LET PUT SAY SHE TOO USE
Common double letters	LL EE SS OO TT FF RR NN PP CC
Common word endings	-ING -ION -ENT -TION -LY -ED -ER -EST
After an apostrophe	T (don't) S (it's) RE (we're) VE (I've) LL (we'll) D (I'd)

Answer key

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1. "The facilities for popular education have been vastly enlarged and more generally diffused."

— Benjamin Harrison, 1889, *Inaugural Address*

Cipher key: A=F B=N C=U D=P E=D F=O G=H H=B I=C J=Z K=S L=R M=L N=X O=T P=J Q=G R=A S=E T=K
U=W V=M W=I X=V Y=Q Z=Y

2. "The duty to obey and to execute embraces the Constitution in its entirety and the whole code of laws enacted under it."

— Benjamin Harrison, 1889, *Inaugural Address*

Cipher key: A=P B=L C=J D=B E=Y F=O G=H H=C I=X J=T K=W L=U M=N N=Z O=V P=S Q=R R=A S=E T=G
U=Q V=I W=F X=K Y=D Z=M

3. "No lesson needs to be so urgently impressed upon our people as this, that no worthy end or cause can be promoted by lawlessness."

— Benjamin Harrison, 1892, *Fourth Annual Message to Congress*

Cipher key: A=Q B=U C=M D=Y E=W F=G G=B H=O I=P J=I K=C L=E M=J N=S O=H P=T Q=K R=V S=N T=F
U=D V=A W=R X=L Y=Z Z=X

4. "Gratification and amazement struggle for supremacy as we contemplate the population, wealth, and moral strength of our country."

— Benjamin Harrison, 1891, *Third Annual Message to Congress*

Cipher key: A=T B=S C=G D=R E=F F=L G=Q H=W I=X J=U K=C L=O M=P N=I O=D P=B Q=J R=Y S=N T=K
U=H V=A W=V X=M Y=Z Z=E

5. "No political party can long pursue advantage at the expense of public honor or by rude and indecent methods without protest and fatal disaffection in its own body."

— Benjamin Harrison, 1889, *Inaugural Address*

Cipher key: A=C B=N C=V D=H E=X F=A G=R H=J I=K J=Z K=Q L=O M=S N=I O=D P=Y Q=U R=B S=P T=W
U=T V=G W=E X=F Y=M Z=L