

Easy Cryptograms — Set 58

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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: N = O

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P N F Y N H I E N R

X B I B V M , P N F Y N H I E

N R H V J Q I E , X J P

U J C V Z T R N Y J P W

Q N M M B P V B I E V Y

I E V P Z U O V Y N Y I E V

X E J Y J X I V Y N R I E V

R J Y U B P F

T N T Z Q J I B N P .

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: Y = E

Easy · 104 letters

D C Y Z H I B H W Q O D G H I

H B C G F Q G I R K O F

F V Z C D C O D

K C O D Y T Y W K O F

M G D D M Y F Y Y Q Y R D H

C G Q L W Y O D, O I R

K C O D Y T Y W K O F

L W Y O D F Y Y Q Y R D H

C G Q M G D D M Y.

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: N = E

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R E N E N X O R E B N B N

P K L E R R P I N N X O O

H Z I Z A O N R E Z M L I

X M J M P R R P I X B, Z

Q Z I E W P S L S N N M

R E Z M L I; W P S R E Z I

Z I R E N D P M J Z R Z P M

P W X J Z I N X I N J N B 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: Z = T

Easy · 105 letters

Z A K J K D J K P K H

Z A D Z Q B W W P D U K

F E O C E E U G , D H M

Z O J H Z A K P W E E G K

B H Z E Z A K Q E J W M ,

Q B Z A D G P O I A

M B G S D Z I A D G Z A K F

Q E O W M M E D M B G A E R

R J B Z Z K J G .

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: J = E

Easy · 105 letters

R J Z G V Y O E M D C P V O

Y O G J E E Y U J O R J R V O

X J K Y F J F A P J

V R R J I G V H E J

G Z Y H C O V E W A Z

V X L C F G Y O U G D J

X Y W W J Z J O R J F

H J G Q J J O R V I Y G V E

V O X E V H A Z .

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

6. Clue: E = T

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J X B T O L T O R W U T E

V D X T F N T E E D U Z I

I T T U Z I B T O Z F D

W D Z W Z U W F T E E D U ,

D J E P D F L F J E D

E P J U N I L T F E P

F D Z W J U N , T F W T

E P J U N I L T F E P E P D

L F J E J U 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

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. "No growth of cities, no growth of wealth, can make up for any loss in either the number or the character of the farming population."

— Theodore Roosevelt, 1907, *Seventh Annual Message to Congress*

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

2. "The conformation of his mind was such that whatever was little seemed to him great, and whatever was great seemed to him little."

— Thomas Babington Macaulay, 1833, *On Horace Walpole. 1833* (in *Bartlett's Familiar Quotations*, 9th ed., 1891)

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

3. "The healthy eye ought to see all visible things and not to say, I wish for green things; for this is the condition of a diseased eye."

— Marcus Aurelius, 1862, *Meditations* (George Long translation, 1862)

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

4. "There are men that will make you books, and turn them loose into the world, with as much dispatch as they would do a dish of fritters."

— Miguel de Cervantes, 1615, *Don Quixote, Part II, Chap. III* (in *Bartlett's Familiar Quotations*, 9th ed., 1891)

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

5. "Certainly human intelligence can devise some acceptable tribunal for adjusting the differences between capital and labor."

— Woodrow Wilson, 1919, *State of the Union Address*

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

6. "If you would not be forgotten as soon as you are dead and rotten, either write things worth reading, or do things worth the writing."

— Benjamin Franklin, 1738, *Poor Richard's Almanack*

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