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ASTROGRAPH ☼ ✨ ☆

Your Birthday

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 15, 2025
By Eugenia Last

Tame your emotions this year to avoid drama. Expand your awareness, clear your vision and recognize what's best for you. Put your energy where it counts, and focus on health, relationships and what matters most to you. Choose peace and love over chaos and discord.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) — Observe, digest and go about your business. Reacting to something you cannot change is a waste of time. Your power is in your kindness, consideration and simple needs.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) — Say no to negativity and letting bias interfere with doing what's right. Step back, rethink your actions and reassess how you want to proceed. Stop wasting time on revenge; walk away or make amends.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) — Tune in to what motivates your mind and stimulates your emotions. Turn your thoughts into actions and be an inspiration to friends and family who have lost focus or need someone positive to set a good example.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) — Money and emotions will get you in trouble. Discipline is your strong point, so make it work for you, and find more affordable ways to satisfy your soul. Protect your assets.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) — A change of scenery will help your sanity. It's time to rejuvenate and consider your options. Follow your heart and incorporate what makes you happy into your daily routine.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) — Divide time between work, play and relaxation, and see how much you thrive. Balance is the key to happiness, tranquility and motivation, making life purposeful.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) — Put more thought and time into bringing more revenue your way. Consider your skills, experience and how you can diversify to broaden your marketability. Become the creator of your destiny.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) — Be careful not to let your emotions turn into stubbornness. If you want to come out on top, you must find common ground and make sense out of what's possible and what isn't.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) — Explore new activities, events and looks that keep you in the know and up to date. How you present yourself and your ideas will determine whom you attract into your circle.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) — Don't hold back because someone doesn't want to participate with you. Venture out and explore what life offers and how you can utilize your connections to get ahead.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) — Be careful when dealing with family, friends and associates. Pay attention, listen to your intuition and consider what others are going through before dominating the conversation or imposing your will.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) — Look at change from all sides. You may not like everything going on around you, but if you integrate what you can use into your daily routine or plans, you will discover how to make ends meet and reach your expectations.

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BRIDGE ♥ ♣ ♠ ♦

North 10-14-25
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 ♦ 5 2
 ♣ 9 7 6 4 3

West East
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 ♦ Q ♦ 10 9 8 7 4
 ♣ Q 10 8 5 ♣ --

South
 ♠ K 10
 ♥ Q 8
 ♦ A K J 6 3
 ♣ A K J 2

Dealer: South
 Vulnerable: Neither

South	West	North	East
2 NT	Pass	3 ♣	Pass
3 ♦	Pass	3 NT	All pass

Opening lead: ♠ 5

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 14, 2025
By Phillip Alder
DO NOT LEAP BEFORE LOOKING

Edwin Percy Whipple, a 19th-century essayist, wrote, "Talent jogs to conclusions to which Genius takes giant leaps."

That is fine as long as Genius isn't missing the mark, which can happen. Slowly reaching the right answer is much better than jumping to the wrong conclusion.

In today's deal, South is in three no-trump. West leads his fourth-highest spade. East wins with his ace and returns the two (lowest of three remaining cards). South wins with his king and cashes the club ace, but East discards a spade. How should declarer proceed from there? Also, what do you think of the bidding?

Taking those questions in reverse order, South should open two no-trump. He has 21 prime points with so many aces and kings. To open one diamond and rebid three clubs would probably work fine here, but it would risk missing a slam because partner would not expect such a powerful hand.

The bad club break is bothersome, but might South still take nine tricks?

Yes, if he can collect one spade, three hearts, three diamonds and two clubs. This seems to require the diamond finesse. And that is a favorite, given that West started with five spades and four clubs. (The odds have gone up from 50 to 69 percent.)

However, here, if Genius immediately takes his three hearts tricks ending on the board and plays a diamond to his jack, he goes down. The talented player cashes his diamond ace first, just in case West started with a singleton queen. You never know!

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NOTICE

Washington Township, Indiana County, will receive sealed bids until 2:00 pm on Thursday, November 6, 2025 at the municipal building located at 360 Red Lion Road, Creekside, PA 15732 for the following:

Item 1. 1973 Athey belt loader - Model 7-11
 Item 2. 2013 Chevy 2500 pickup truck - 4 door, 4X4

Envelopes must be sealed and clearly marked "Equipment Bid". Include name, contact info, Item No., and bid amount. The township reserves the right to reject any and or all bids. Equipment will be on display at 2019 Trusal Road, Creekside, PA 15732. Questions: 724-397-2059

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NOTICE

MARION CENTER AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS PUPIL BUS TRANSPORTATION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE MARION CENTER AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT IS SEEKING SEALED PROPOSALS FOR PUPIL BUS TRANSPORTATION SERVICES.

SPECIFICATIONS & PROPOSAL DOCUMENTS: INTERESTED PARTIES MAY OBTAIN COMPLETE PROPOSAL SPECIFICATIONS BY CONTACTING: MR. KEN KIRKLAND, DIRECTOR OF TRANSPORTATION

PHONE: (724) 397-5551 EXT. 1400
 EMAIL: KKIRKLAND@MCASD.NET

PROPOSAL SUBMISSION & OPENING: ALL PROPOSALS MUST BE SUBMITTED TO THE MARION CENTER AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT ADMINISTRATION OFFICE, P.O. BOX 156, 22820 ROUTE 403 HWY N., MARION CENTER, PA 15759.

ATT. Lucio Palilla by 11:00 A. M. Friday October 31, 2025. Proposals will be opened immediately after submission deadline.

PRE-SUBMISSION MEETING: A PRE-SUBMISSION MEETING WILL BE HELD AT THE ADMINISTRATION OFFICE ON FRIDAY, OCTOBER 24, 2025, AT 10:00 A.M. THE MARION CENTER AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT RESERVES THE RIGHT TO ACCEPT OR REJECT ANY OR ALL PROPOSALS IN THE BEST INTEREST OF THE DISTRICT.

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CELEBRITY CIPHER

by Luis Campos

Celebrity Cipher cryptograms are created from quotations by famous people, past and present. Each letter in the cipher stands for another.

“ D A P M B E G T W G B L O G U G T P U O D T L ,
D U O J W K R P M B L J U U O N M B L O W D A J .
E M Z J X P D R N J W D J A . W D A J D R Y J N P
R G X G T X U M B L O . ” — S M G T N D Y J N R

Previous Solution: “You can never cross the ocean until you have the courage to lose sight of the shore.” — Andre Gide

TODAY'S CLUE: *d equals k*

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NOTICE ESTATE NOTICE

Letters of Administration C.T.A. on the ESTATE OF ALICE JANE HUMBLE, late of 28 Main Street, Rossiter, PA 15772 have been granted to JACQUELYN A. NATI, of 8 Prospect Street, Corfu, NY 14036. All persons indebted to said Estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims to present the same without delay to her, or his attorney, Jamie C. Stello, Esquire, of 103 North Gilpin Street, Punxsutawney, PA 15767.

10/14, 10/21, 10/28

NOTICE PATRICK DOUGHERTY, ESQUIRE

Letters of Administration on the ESTATE OF ANNE CATHERINE LIZIK, late of Center Township, Indiana County, Pennsylvania, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, those having claims against Estate are requested to present them duly authenticated for settlement, and those knowing themselves to be indebted are requested to make prompt payment.

Jennifer E. Myers
1383 Philadelphia Street
Indiana, PA 15701
10/7, 10/14, 10/21

NOTICE ESTATE NOTICE

Paul A. Bell, II, Haberl, Buell, Rice & Bell, Attorneys at Law, LLP 100 South 7th Street Indiana, PA 15701

NOTICE OF EXECUTRIX

Letters Testamentary on the Estate of Angela N. Whited, a/k/a Angela Gloria Whited, a/k/a Angela Whited, late of White Township, Indiana County, Pennsylvania, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, those having claims against the estate are requested to present them duly authenticated for settlement and those knowing themselves to be indebted are requested to make prompt payment.

Tanara L. Whited
351 North 6th Street
Indiana, PA 15701
9/30, 10/7, 10/14

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NOTICE EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

Letters Testamentary on the Estate of Mary Ann Pierce, late of Saltsburg Borough, Indiana County, Pennsylvania, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, those having claims against said Estate are requested to present them duly authenticated for settlement, and those knowing themselves to be indebted are requested to make prompt payment.

Randy Lee Pierce
2022 Altimus Road
Homer City, PA 15748
10/7, 10/14, 10/21
www.indianagazette.com

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NOTICE EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

File # 32-25-0419
AARON F. LUDWIG, ESQUIRE
LUDWIG, EVERETT & TOMB, PC
Attorney for the Estate

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Letters of Administration on the Estate of Russell M. Keener, deceased, late of Indiana County, Pennsylvania, have been issued to the undersigned. Those knowing themselves to be indebted to the said Estate are requested to make prompt payment. Those having claims against the said Estate are requested to present proof of the same for payment to:
Russell Bernard Keener
81 Rhododendron Street
Starford, PA 15777
10/7, 10/14, 10/21

Sunshine Notices

NOTICE CLYMER BOROUGH

The regular monthly meetings is rescheduled for Thursday, October 16, 2025 at 9:00 am.

Help Wanted

Penns Manor Area School District is accepting applications for the following position:

1 - Junior High Boys' Basketball Assistant Coach 2
Stipend: \$3354.97
Start Date: Immediately

1 - Special Education Long-term Substitute Teacher
Assignment: Junior/Senior High School
Rate \$135 per day
Dates: Approximately November 25, 2025 through May 29, 2026

Deadline: October 24, 2025 by 3:00 PM

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- 1 Old horse
4 Higher
9 Container for trash
12 Mess up
13 Not a soul (2 wds.)
14 “— you sure?”
15 “Manchester by the —”
16 — — — -sac
17 Baste
18 Fill to the gills
20 Actor — Eastwood
22 Ref's kin
23 Pursues
24 Berth place
26 Direction indicator
28 Favorite
29 Appropriate
30 Standard, for short
34 Toy on a string (Hyph.)
36 Dark
37 By way of

38 Coeur d'—, Idaho

- 40 Noggin
41 Make a difference
44 Damage
45 Island greeting
46 Police record book
50 Young fox
51 Auctions
53 Physicians' org.
54 Holiday time
55 Delete
56 Family members
57 Blushing
58 Simple song
59 Work unit
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1 Loch — monster
2 Neighborhood
3 Tip
4 Open
5 Show displeasure
6 Fishing rod

Answer to Previous Puzzle

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8 Bounce back again
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10 Goddess of peace
11 Amphibians
19 Devilkin
21 Grassy area
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24 Secret agent
25 Summer sign
26 Snake
27 Destroy
31 Catch up to and pass
32 Estuary
33 Ireful
35 Solemn promise
39 Rented
40 At the drop of a —
41 Creator
42 — and kicking
43 Carried
44 Walk in a leisurely way
46 Sheep's cry
47 Fearing
48 Arab ruler
49 Chimed
52 Onassis, familiarly

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DIFFICULTY RATING: ☆☆☆☆☆

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PREVIOUS SOLUTION

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HOW TO PLAY:
Each row, column and set of 3-by-3 boxes must contain the numbers 1 through 9 without repetition.

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Miscellaneous For Sale

MISC ITEMS:
Full Size Brush Guard fits 2011 Chevy Silverado 1500. Pd \$1,100. Asking \$600. 100 Gallon Fuel Tank, new, never used. \$550. Huskee Log Splitter, 22 ton. \$700. Troy-Bilt Log Splitter, 27 ton. \$800. Call (724) 422-4023. 9am-3pm. No weekend calls.

Wanted To Buy

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Notice is hereby given that on Wednesday, November 12, 2025 at 7:00 p.m., the Supervisors of the Township of Montgomery shall hold a regularly scheduled meeting at the Montgomery Township Building, at 1220 Cush Creek Road, Cherry Tree, Pennsylvania 15724, at which time the Supervisors shall consider the adoption of a Montgomery Township Noise Ordinance which provides prohibiting loud, unnecessary, unnatural, or unusual noises within the Township as well as providing regulations regarding what may constitutes loud, unnecessary, unnatural, or unusual noises. The Ordinance also provides for penalties for violations of the Ordinance. A copy of the Ordinance can be viewed by scheduling an appointment with the Township Secretary by calling (814) 845-2240 or by viewing it at the Indiana County Law Library, Indiana County Courthouse, 3rd Floor, 825 Philadelphia Street, Indiana, Pennsylvania, between the hours of 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. and 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. on regular business days.

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Real Estate Transfers

John J. Fisanich Jr EST aka John Joseph Fisanich Jr EST to Robert L. Jarvis II, Indiana Borough 3rd Ward, \$85,000
Margaret Ellen Musselman aka Margaret Musselman to Martin C. Earley Jr, Montgomery Township, \$150,000
Cookport Church of Christ Christian Inc aka Church of Christ Christian of Route 286 Inc to Mission First Church, Green Township, \$1.00
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Christine S. Inman aka Christine S. Rand to Britanniann Nichole Kuzmin, Conemaugh Township, \$150,000
Treehouse Series V Trust by SN Servicing Corporation by TR to NG Stokes Properties LLC, Homer City Borough, \$40,000
Richard Lee Cunningham Jr. EST to Gary R. Joiner and Melissa M. Joiner, Pine Township, \$40,000
Deborah J. Ray to Ronny J. Ray, Burrell Township, \$45,980
George W. Fatora Jr., Phoebe J. Fatora and Karen S. Riggenbach to Karen S. Riggenbach, Burrell Township, \$1.00
George W. Fatora Jr., Phoebe J. Fatora and Karen S. Riggenbach to Karen S. Riggenbach and Georgette Gillespie, Burrell Township, \$1.00
George W. Fatora Jr. and Phoebe J. Fatora to George W. Fatora Jr., Phoebe J. Fatora and Georgette Gillespie, Burrell Township, \$1.00
Deanna Duman to Sara Anderson and Blake Furman, Center Township, \$218,000
Britt Energies Inc to Heidelberg Materials Northeast LLC, West Wheatfield Township, \$650,000
Kristofer M. Pisarcik aka Kristofer M. Pisarcik and Marie Pisarcik to Dakota Jarvie and Samantha Pisarcik, White Township, \$115,000