

CIPHER CHALLENGE 001

THE CASE OF THE MISSING GAZETTE

Required Tool: Decoder A – Maplewood Standard Cipher

A folded note was discovered inside the Maplewood Gazette archives after the case was solved.

Captain Harlene believes it contains information connected to the missing article.

Use Decoder A to decode each message.

MESSAGE #1

VJG ____ CTVKENG ____ YCU ____ TGOQXGF ____ DGHQTG ____ UWPTKUG

MESSAGE #2

EJGEM ____ VJG ____ FGNKXGT1 ____ ECTV

MESSAGE #3

HQNNQY ____ VJG ____ TGF ____ RGPEKN ____ ENWG

MESSAGE #4

PQV ____ GXGT1 ____ OKUUKPI ____ VJKPIU ____ UVQNGP

MESSAGE #5

VTWUV ____ VJG ____ ENWGU

DETECTIVE DEBRIEF

Great work, Detective.

The missing article wasn't taken by accident.

Someone removed it before sunrise and left clues behind for anyone paying close attention.

The truth was there all along.

CIPHER CHALLENGE 002

THE CASE OF THE MISSING GAZETTE

Required Tool: Decoder A – Maplewood Standard Cipher

Another coded page was found tucked behind a filing cabinet in the Gazette archives.

Captain Harlene believes it may reveal what happened after the article disappeared.

Use Decoder A to decode each message.

MESSAGE #1

UQOGQPG ____ GPVGTGF ____ VJG ____ QHHKEG ____ NCVG

MESSAGE #2

VJG ____ DWNNGVKP ____ DQCTF ____ JKFGU ____ C ____ ENWG

MESSAGE #3

NQQM ____ DGJKPF ____ VJG ____ UVCEM ____ QH ____ RCRGTU

MESSAGE #4

VJG ____ GFKVQT ____ PQVKEGF ____ UQOGVJKPI ____ UVTCPIG

MESSAGE #5

PQ ____ ENWG ____ KU ____ VQQ ____ UOCNN

DETECTIVE DEBRIEF

Excellent detective work.

Every clue pointed toward someone who knew the newsroom very well.

The mystery isn't solved yet, but you're getting closer.

Keep looking.

CIPHER CHALLENGE 003

THE CASE OF THE MISSING GAZETTE

Required Tool: Decoder A – Maplewood Standard Cipher

One final coded message was discovered inside a locked Gazette desk drawer.

Captain Harlene believes it contains the last piece of the puzzle.

Use Decoder A to decode each message.

MESSAGE #1

VJG ____ NCUV ____ ENWG ____ YCU ____ JKFFGP ____ KP ____ RNCKP ____ UKIJV

MESSAGE #2

PQDQF1 ____ GZRGEVGF ____ VJG ____ CPUYGT

MESSAGE #3

VJG ____ OKUUKPI ____ RCRGT ____ YCU ____ OQXGF

MESSAGE #4

UQNKKPI ____ C ____ O[UVGT1 ____ TGSWKTGU ____ RCVKGPEG

MESSAGE #5

ITGCV ____ YQTM ____ FGVGEVKXG

DETECTIVE DEBRIEF

Outstanding work, Detective.

You followed the clues, decoded the messages, and uncovered the truth hidden inside the Gazette archives.

Captain Harlene would be proud.

Remember:

The best detectives notice what everyone else overlooks.