ANALYSIS AND SOLUTIONS

Base 27: The Key to a New Gematria (May 1993) Lee Sallows

1492 = BAG
AM, BOB, EAR, GOG, JAW. The constant difference between terms is 1825 = BMP, so that after JAW is LOL, a non-wint
In the quadratic, x = FUN, so lxFUN + NOWxFUN = SAYING.

Wordnim and Grundyword Jeremiah Farrell and David Wright
For Grundyword the nim-sum of the nim values of the four words is 0 @ 1 @ 2 @ 0 = 3. This is non-zero so you must be able to
play so that you leave your opponent with a zero. The only way to accomplish that here is to change the value 2 to a 1. Therefore, break LLAMA to a 3-2, say ALL-AM.

Kickshaws David Morice

Water, Water Everywhere PEARL, PEAR, PEA
Order, Please By length, the words progress from four to fifteen letters: mayo, octet, jangle, apricot, julienne, febrifuge, junctional, marshmallow, augmentation, novelizations, decompen-sation, septuagenarians. Since the first three letters of each word spell out the standard three-letter abbreviation of a month, the words can be arranged in monthly order: JANgle, FEBrifuge, MARshmal-low, APRicot, MAYo, JUNctional, JULienne, AUGEmentation, SEPtua-genarians, OCTet, NOVelizations, DECompensation. Try reading the second list aloud to someone and ask if they can figure out what the words have in common. It's more difficult to decode the list when it's spoken.

Transcancellations (1) a TONIC, (2) the SITE, (3) AGE, (4) Nothing
Queen Anne Is Dead reverse ANNE IV to get VIENNA

Internal Lettershift Start with U, add 10 to get E, continuing adding 10 to each new letter till you get UEÖYI, an onomatopoeic sound one makes after biting into a very sour lemon.

Long Trails of Etymology Leonard R. N. Ashley
1. trellis 2. palanquin 3. donkey 4. Africa 5. pheasant
17. safe 18. lackey 19. crooning 20. carpenter 21. runt
22. Whig 23. pounce 24. mien 25. harbinger