ANSWERS AND SOLUTIONS

Anagram Quiz 1

1. pets 13. qualified 25. servileness
2. rocky 14. outwards 26. reverberation
3. wordy 15. ruthless 27. self-approval
5. restive 17. repetition 29. unscrutinised
6. shields 18. sapiential 30. romance
7. repartee 19. takes shape 31. mountain climbers
8. sanitary 20. stupor 32. relevance
9. seleno- 21. roused 33. sainted
10. released 22. registration 34. "plastered"
11. nonsuch 23. madness 35. self-esteem
12. affection 24. not repulsive 36. recommendation

* (Or is the pen rowdier than the sword?)

Alphametics

S. Kahan

48.4.1 Doubly True – 800 in Italian by Giulio Cesare, Rome, Italy

\[ 604 + 60550 + 3553 + 178494 + 84943553 + 2075173 + 207547320 + 90753 + 60490753 = 355390753 \]

48.4.2 Doubly True – 500 by Junya Take, Kanagawa, Japan

\[ 74055 + 28(9635) + 6(1615) + 2(751) + 74607551 + 4(9697551) + 2(48120529635) = 96354812052 \]

48.4.3 Squares by Andrzej Bartz, Fuerth, Germany

\[ (482 + 1378)^2 + (930 + 465)^2 = (482 + 1378 + 465)^2 \]

48.4.4 Cubes by Andrzej Bartz, Fuerth, Germany

\[ (291 + 146)^3 + (291 + 146 + 146)^3 + (291 + 291 + 146)^3 = 853^3 \]

48.4.5 United Nations by Paul Boymel, Potomac, Maryland

\[ (1708) \times (2395) = 4090660 \]

48.4.6 Accidental President by Frank Mrazik, Montreal, Quebec

\[ 269543 - 9 = 38(7093) \]
Animal or Plant

Animals

C: marmot (rodent)
E: black guillemot (bird)
H: Australian marsupial
I: two-toed sloth
K: rock-boring mollusk
N: poisonous snake
O: species of chimpanzee
R: large odd-toed hoofed mammal
V: learned man in ancient Ireland
W: young heron
Y: eared seal
Z: Pomeranian dog

Plants

A: New Zealand tree
B: monkey bread tree
D: primitive palmlike plant
F: sweet-scented plant
G: Bornean tree (ule = rubber tree)
J: Indian hemp smoked as narcotic (neb = nose)
L: the plant valerian
M: Australian shrub
P: S. American tree
S: plant of hyacinth family
T: snakeweed
U: African grass
X: shrub of Aralia family

Plant/Animal

Q: an Inuit boat made of wood and skins

Singular Consonant Trios – 1

1. BEAUTIES
2. ACADEMIA
3. EGOMANIA
4. ALIENATE
5. MINUTIAE
6. ANALOGUE
7. PARANOIA
8. AQUARIUM
9. AERATION
10. SQUEEgee
11. OUTHOUSE
12. EVACUEES
**Crossdrome 07 by John Falcone “CityTic” (and other places)**

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<td>6. Implore “The Greatest” to declare site for 1975 fight</td>
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<td>11. Perform, Gldn. State!</td>
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<td>12. Call me tree resin used to make incense</td>
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<td>13. Seen on some clockfaces</td>
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<td>14. Place for a bunk then a bagel?</td>
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<td>17. Longoria donated</td>
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<td>18. Shucks, Obama girl</td>
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<td>19. Siri’s brainy global successor</td>
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<td>20. Top grade</td>
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<td>22. Extraordinary guffaw via text</td>
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<td>27. He who is tied up but can talk has _ _ _ _</td>
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<td>28. Plug for Pop?</td>
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<td>29. Kimmel’s cousin, Tramp’s partner, Lone Star city</td>
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<td>3. Imitate protector of Mother Nat.</td>
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<td>5. Indonesian island research locale</td>
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<td>7. Mexican actress or town in Argentina</td>
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<td>8. Ms. Hathaway, this European capital is mine</td>
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<td>9. Cornelious to wife (to nix her Tucson plan)</td>
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<td>10. 20 minus 1 (entails addition of sorts)</td>
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<td>15. Not so Mr. Caeser, New Jersey township</td>
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<td>21. _ Sati (meditation technique)</td>
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<td>23. NBA cities of Clips, Mavs</td>
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<td>24. Smell of Stewart?</td>
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<td>25. Pennsylvania township or famous widow</td>
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<td>26. Bradbury, meet Tasha</td>
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Crossdrome 08 by John Falcone “More Cities”

Across:
1. Western Pennsylvania city anger
6. Silent firecracker?
7. Instant juice of a fly
9. Slide acr. Topeka snow?
10. Spanish affirmative is in my sights
11. A cat in a cupboard might take one
13. Conditional conjunctions of CA
17. Oklahoma floozy
18. Amin
19. Grandpa

Down:
1. Pellet energy org. with ova
2. Singer-songwriter Mann
   introduces self to Florida city
3. This alien had lunch
4. The Godfather and Twilight
5. Sioux Falls football scores
6. Chinese city: Get commercial right!
8. RBIs and ERA
12. Could the mother be me?
13. Belonging to famous virtual gal
14. Bur ending
15. Washington TV feature?
16. How Pacman died?