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Difficulty: ★★★ 11/12

8	5	4	7	3	6	1	9	2
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Difficulty: ★★ 11/11

ISAAC ASIMOV’S SUPER QUIZ

Take this Super Quiz to a Ph.D. Score 1 point for each correct answer on the Freshman Level, 2 points on the Graduate Level and 3 points on the Ph.D. Level.

Subject: NOVEMBER EVENTS
Each event happened in November. (e.g., 1918: This war ended. Answer: World War I.)

FRESHMAN LEVEL
1. 1871: Henry Morton Stanley tracked down this missionary and explorer in Africa. Answer _____
2. 1963: This U.S. president was assassinated in Dallas, Texas. Answer _____
3. 1947: She married Philip Mountbatten. Answer _____

GRADUATE LEVEL
4. 1859: He published his book “The Origin of Species.” Answer _____
5. 1850: This author of “Treasure Island” was born. Answer _____
6. 1860: He was elected as the first Republican president. Answer _____

PH.D. LEVEL

7. 1944: He was elected U.S. president for an unprecedented fourth term. Answer _____
8. 1990: Mary Robinson became the first female president of this country. Answer _____
9. 1934: FBI agents killed this bank robber. Answer _____

ANSWERS: 1. David Livingstone. 2. John F. Kennedy. 3. Princess Elizabeth. 4. Charles Darwin. 5. Robert Louis Stevenson. 6. Abraham Lincoln. 7. Franklin D. Roosevelt. 8. Ireland. 9. George “Baby Face” Nelson.

SCORING:
18 points — congratulations, doctor; 15 to 17 points — honors graduate; 10 to 14 points — you’re plenty smart, but no grind; 4 to 9 points — you really should hit the books harder; 1 point to 3 points — enroll in remedial courses immediately; 0 points — who reads the questions to you?

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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.

“ M C J Z B Y A M J F Z O D D Y R W Y F W
M C Y M O V V Z J I W Z C W S A D M O Z C
B Y A M C W F Z C W V O R Y S X W J I D T Y M F . ”
— Y H X J C M O F L X W B

Previous Solution: “We make war that we may live in peace ... those who cannot bravely face danger are the slaves of their attackers.” — Aristotle

TODAY’S CLUE: *D eadbea_t*

NEA Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS

- 1 Afflict
- 4 Durable wood
- 7 Gift-wrapping need
- 11 Snoop
- 12 Wheel shaft
- 13 Footnote abbr.
- 14 Pinna
- 15 Gong
- 16 — Spumante
- 17 Record spinner
- 19 Read
- 21 Like hand-me-downs
- 23 “The — of the Worlds”
- 24 Measuring device
- 27 DDE’s nickname
- 29 Water barrier
- 32 Coffee-filled container
- 33 Affirm
- 34 Nest-egg letters
- 35 — Pasha
- 36 Shipboard jail
- 37 Light metal
- 38 Low
- 39 Scarlet
- 40 Sir Arthur Conan —
- 42 Sports org.
- 44 Mild oath
- 46 Spurn
- 49 The Beaver State
- 53 Racetrack shape
- 54 Feudal serf
- 56 Cakes and —
- 57 Diplomacy
- 58 Marsh plant
- 59 — de Janeiro
- 60 Prepares a printing press
- 61 Damage
- 62 Hither and —
- DOWN
- 1 Copied
- 2 “Dies —”
- 3 Old stringed instrument
- 4 Daisy variety
- 5 Jack-of- — -trades
- 6 Seaweed
- 7 Jeweled crown
- 8 Silliness
- 9 Fruit stones
- 10 Actress — Adams
- 12 Lower in rank
- 18 Earthenware container
- 20 Pitcher
- 22 Separate into parts
- 24 Island east of Manila
- 25 Singer — Guthrie
- 26 British flag (2 wds.)
- 28 Barrel
- 30 Seed covering
- 31 Big cat’s thatch
- 33 Exist
- 36 Bric-a- —
- 40 Was bold enough
- 41 Poem
- 43 Strikes
- 45 Dead duck
- 46 Unleavened bread
- 47 Actress — Rachel Wood
- 48 Word
- 50 Actor — Sinise
- 51 Hodge-podge
- 52 Day-Glo
- 55 — of Galilee

Answer to Previous Puzzle

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