

Solution to Last Month's Quiz

## ON THE MONEY

*Solution (and note) from neighbor Gary Colman:*

My answers for the riddle ...  
 I realized immediately that the theme was money, but it took me a minute to determine that the wording was all on the dollar bill (perhaps this comes more naturally to American citizens -- I haven't learned much about US currency, other than it's inherently incredibly inaccessible for blind people; most other countries have varying sizes or identifying marks on their currency, while US bills do not). Thank you for another educational opportunity.

1. relegate hats (3)..... The Great Seal
2. overclouds sunroom (3)..... Novus Ordo Seclorum
3. insouciant pet (2)..... Annuit Coeptis
4. undertow gist (4)..... In God We Trust
5. rip ulu submenu (3)..... E Pluribus Unum
6. lord alone (2)..... One Dollar
7. serene eel overdraft (3)..... Federal Reserve Note
8. underestimate a catfish toe (5)..... The United States of America

Omicron cases dropped off markedly in Foster City and San Mateo County. Here's where county hospitalization rates (also looking good!) are reported:

<https://www.smchealth.org/data-dashboard/hospital-data>

Month	SM County Total	New County Cases	County New Case Pct Chg Mo/Mo	Foster City Total	NewCity Cases	City New Case Pct Chg Mo/Mo
20-Aug	8,000			67		
20-Sep	9,785	1,785		122	55	
20-Oct	11,341	1,556	-13%	145	23	-58%
20-Nov	13,707	2,366	52%	174	29	26%
20-Dec	23,681	9,974	322%	436	262	803%
21-Jan	35,235	11,554	16%	646	210	-20%
21-Feb	38,674	3,439	-70%	708	62	-70%
21-Mar	40,105	1,431	-58%	744	36	-42%
21-Apr	41,013	908	-37%	763	19	-47%
21-May	42,069	1,056	16%	783	20	5%
21-Jun	42,386	317	-70%	787	4	-80%
21-Jul	43,676	1,290	307%	807	20	400%
21-Aug	48,631	4,955	284%	938	131	555%
21-Sep	51,908	3,277	-34%			
21-Oct	52,852	944	-71%	1,003	65	-100%
21-Nov	54,140	1,288	36%	1,036	33	-50%
21-Dec	56,864	2,724	111%	1,095	59	79%
22-Jan	100,737	43,873	1511%	2,043	948	1507%
22-Feb	118,133	17,396	-60%	2,942	899	-5%
22-Mar	<b>120,865</b>	<b>2,732</b>	<b>-84%</b>	<b>3,034</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>-90%</b>

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This Month's Quiz

## SPRING TRAINING

With a shortened schedule for baseball's spring training comes this shorter than usual quiz. The seven "innings" here are 10-letter words that can be formed from the the letters S,P,R,I,N,G and the 4 additional letters I've provided. A synonym for each word is provided. When you've figured out each long word, take the letter in the position indicated in each and read down the innings: a related 7 letter word will spring forth!

Inning	Extra Letters	Position	Synonym
1	EMS U	3	CRANKINESS
2	ACEM	4	SCURRYING
3	EOPS	2	PERSECUTING
4	EHIW	3	MURMURING
5	EERV	2	CONSERVING
6	ADEU	2	CONVINCING
7	CEOS	6	MACHINING

## The More Things Change the Less Change I Get

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This was a practice of mine for year after year, continuing even after our kids had grown, gone to college, and started earning enough to begin their own coin 'stashes.' Those rare pennies I've collected may be worth a bit now: a website lists some as being worth \$20 and up (but condition is probably critical – and mine can certainly be criticized!), but the well has dried up.

It may be months to years before the economy is back in full-swing and I'm feeling comfortable enough to shop with paper currency and receive coins in