

Proverb Cryptogram — Puzzle 15

Instructions: Each letter below stands for a different letter. Decode the substitution cipher to reveal the famous quote. A hint and letter frequency table are provided.

A M C L N S X P L J S M P S

L C U Z L A P U M

HINT — STARTER LETTERS:

M = T P = H C = R

LETTER FREQUENCY:

L:4 M:3 S:3 P:3 A:2 C:2 U:2
N:1 X:1 J:1 Z:1

SUBSTITUTION TRACKER:

A B C D E F G H I J K L M N O P Q R S T U

V W X Y Z

Answer Key

DECODED QUOTE:

“STRIKE WHILE THE IRON IS HOT”

— *Traditional proverb*

FULL SUBSTITUTION KEY:

CIPHER	A	C	J	L	M	N	P	S	U	X	Z
PLAIN	S	R	L	I	T	K	H	E	O	W	N