Why Some Young Chickens Fear Clowns

by Dave Blazel



"It's a bad day when you give a presentation that shows you're no longer a desirable demographic."

POP CULTURE SHOCK THERAPY by Doug Bratton







"You forgot to tell him about the cigars and liquor under the seats, Dad."







AMBER WAVES by Dave T. Phipps









THE SPATS by Jeff Pickering







DOGS OF C-KENNEL by Mick & Mason Mastroianni





AGAINST THE GRAIN by Ron Therien



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DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK ★★★

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ARIES (March 21 to April 19) Deciding to work out that pesky problem (even though you might have been bored, bored, bored with it) should be paying off right about now. Expect to hear some very welcome news very soon.

news might cause you to rethink a previous conclusion. Don't be bullheaded and try to bluff it out. Make the needed change, and then take a bow for your objectivity. GEMINI (May 21 to June 20) Money mat-

TAURUS (April 20 to May 20) Unexpected

ters should be considered as you continue to work out your holiday plans. This is a good time to scout out discounts before demand for them outstrips their availability.

CANCER (June 21 to July 22) A calm period early in the week helps you complete most, if not all, of your unfinished tasks. A new project appears by midweek, and this one could carry some big career potential.

LEO (July 23 to August 22) Positive results from recent ventures continue to pump up those self-esteem levels, making you Fabulous Felines feel you can tackle any challenge anyone wants to throw at you.

VIRGO (August 23 to September 22) Family and friends might feel neglected

because of your almost total focus on a project. Try to rework your schedule so you can have time for both your loved ones and your work.

LIBRA (September 23 to October 22) Don't be surprised if you suddenly hear from someone from your past who wants to contact you about the possibility of renewing a long-dormant (if not dead) relationship.

SCORPIO (October 23 to November 21) This is a good time to check over what went right and what went wrong with recent efforts. This can provide valuable lessons for projects that will be coming up soon.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to December 21) Dealing with people who feel they're always right about everything might be a problem for some. But the savvy Archer should be able to deflate their oversize egos.

CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 19) This week favors a balance between the demands of your work and your need for fun timeouts. Taking breaks helps restore and keep your energy levels high.

AQUARIUS (January 20 to February 18) There could be an occasional setback in what you're working on. But look at them as lessons on how to do better as you move along. More supporters turn up to

PISCES (February 19 to March 20)

cheer you on.

Although a more positive aspect influences this week's course, you still need to be sure that those who will work with you have no reason to work against you. Good luck.

BORN THIS WEEK: You believe in keeping your promises. It's not always easy to do, but somehow you do it.

FLASHBACK by Mick Harper

- 1. Which Motown singer had a hit with "How Sweet It Is (To Be Loved by You)"?
- 2. Which duo wrote and released "Little Latin Lupe Lu"?
- 3. "Here Comes the Sun" was released on which album?
- 4. Which two ladies of song released "No More Tears (Enough is Enough)"?
- 5. Name the song that contains this lyric: "You might have heard my footsteps echo softly in the distance through the canyons of your mind."

record over. It reached No. 5 on the U.S. charts and No. 2 in Australia. 5. "Elusive Butterfly," by Bob Lind in 1965. The song had an inauspicious start as the b-side to Lind's "Cheryl's Goin' Home," but was launched when a deejay accidentally flipped the

3. The Beatles' "Abbey Road" album, in 1969, written by George Harrison.

4. Barbra Streisand and Donna Summer, in 1979, in both 7- and 12-inch record versions.

2. The Righteous Brothers, in 1963. Composer Bill Medley said he wrote the song (in 1959) because he dated a girl in high school named Lupe. It was the first single the duo released.

1. Marvin Gaye, in 1964. He even released a German-language version called "Wie Schon **ANSWERS**

