# This Tournament Goes To Eleven III: Smell The Glove

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1. In Alice's Adventures in Wonderland, the croquet party retreats indoors to conduct a trial. FTP, what character is on trial, accused of stealing tarts?

# The Knave of Hearts

2. It may be proper etiquette to wait until you're recognized or proper etiquette to not confer on toss-ups, but for this question – the proper thing to do is – FTP – spell "etiquette."

# E-T-I-Q-U-E-T-T-E (DO NOT PROMPT ON A NON-SPELLING ANSWER)

3. In December of 1997, mourners gathered at Chicago's John Hancock Tower to mourn the death of one of its tenants. FTP, what large comic and Saturday Night Live alum died in December due to heart failure and a drug overdose?

# Chris Farley

4. Its existence had been predicted by Paul Dirac in 1928 but it wasn't discovered until 1932 when Carl Anderson found it in cosmic rays. FTP, what is this particle known as a "positive electron?"

## Positron

5. Up to a certain year in history, Londoners could have enjoyed fine baked goods from a shop on Pudding Lane. That was until it caught fire and the fire spread to destroy almost all of London in – FTP – what year?

## 1666

6. Local wits in New England would sit upon these in general stores to share gossip and stories. The name of the object that they sat on stuck as the name of a genre of American humor. FTP, identify this two word phrase, also the name of a chain of family-style restaurants.

## Cracker Barrel

7. It was commenced in 312 B.C. and terminates at Brundisium by Capua. FTP, identify this "Queen of Roads" that originates in Rome.

#### Appian Way

8. Like Itchy and Scratchy on the Simpsons, Terrance and Phillip are a cartoon within a cartoon. These crudely drawn and rude stick figures provide entertainment for the kids on – FTP – what animated series on Comedy Central?

# South Park

9. Historians want to exhume this man's body to see if he committed suicide six years after President Thomas Jefferson sent him to chart the Louisiana Territory with William Clark. FTP, name this explorer.

# Meriwether Lewis

10. As a verb, it can mean to wistfully long for someone or something. As an adjective, it can be a type of cleaner scent. As a noun it describes a popular program created by the University of Washington and an evergreen tree. FTP, what's the word?

#### Pine

11. It supposedly got its name from Oliver Goldsmith who called it such because Chaucer was buried there. Later, Goldsmith himself was to be buried there along with Longfellow, Dickens, Tennyson, and Browning. FTP, what is this southern end of the south transept of Westminster Abbey?

## Poet's Corner

12. In 1780, a fort was established on the Cumberland River to defend North Carolina from Indian attack. It was later given its present-day name and subsumed into the state of Tennessee. FTP, name this major city, the Country Music Capital of the World.

## Nashville

13. This term got its name from a soldier in the French Republic who was madly devoted to Napoleon I and his cause. In the 1960's, the term got the word male in front of it to denote the sentiment of superiority that males felt they had over females. FTP, what's the word?

## Chauvinism

14. In 1997, Elton John's "Candle in the Wind '97" became the highest selling single in recording history, selling 30 million copies worldwide. John's song topped this holiday tune that has been sung every year since 1942. FTP, what Bing Crosby winter favorite is now in second place?

## "White Christmas"

15. The first man to be titles a "Barbarian Subduing Generalissimo" was Sakanoue no Tamurmaro in the 8<sup>th</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup> centuries A.D. FTP, what more common name does that title carry – one that applies to the de facto rulers of Japan for 6 centuries.

#### Shogun

16. Athletes win gold medals for placing first in the Olympics. Maria Mitchell won a gold medal from the King of Denmark in 1847 for finding a new one of these in the night sky. FTP, she found what type of object, others of which have been found by people named Shoemaker, Levy, Kohoutek, Halley, and two guys names Hale and Bopp?

#### Comets

17. Always soberly garbed in black, he regularly swore that he would forego his adventures for a pious life in a monastery. FTP, identify this sweet-smelling member of the Three Musketeers.

## Aramis

18. He is building an empire that will rival Martha Stewart's. Beginning with his style book *All American*, he also recently opened a gargantuan store in Beverly Hills and is finding success in his bid to market women's wear, kid's wear, and toiletries. FTP, name this clothing designer who is a fave among frat boys and gangstas.

# Tommy Hilfiger

19. It has 850 words with rules for their use and expansions of sense, and 150 more bridge words for specific fields such as medicine, chemistry and physics. FTP, name this simple form of a language common to Americans designed by C.K. Ogden.

## Basic English

20. Assume that i squared equals negative one. Given that, FTP, what is the product of i squared times i squared times 5?

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21. He has \$80 million in assets for selling his car dealerships to Wayne Huizenga – thus making his post-football career a comfortable one after winning two Super Bowls. FTP, identify this former quarterback of the Denver Broncos.

# John Elway

22. Scientists are eager to restore the population of this marine animal to Chesapeake Bay so that they can filter out the algae and silt that have plagued and polluted the bay for the last several decades. FTP, what plucky pearl producers could revive this decaying water space?

# Oysters

23. "The Sisters," "Counterparts," "Clay," "Ivy Day in the Committee Room," and "The Dead" are just 5 of the stories in this collection written in 1914. FTP, these are what collection of short stories by James Joyce?

# **Dubliners**

24. From the Latin word for "vote," this term came into its most common currency in 19<sup>th</sup> century America when half of America was working towards passage of the 19<sup>th</sup> Amendment. FTP, identify this word, associated with the movement to secure the right to vote for women.

# Suffrage

25. From Montana to Sacramento, California, drivers on the highway could see an entire cabin being transported on wheels. This cabin was used in testimony for the trial of – FTP – what now convicted "Unabomber?"

## Ted Kaczynski

26. When he was asked to donate his telescope just shy of his 91st birthday, he said, "No – they can't have it, I'm still using it!" FTP, who was this man who died in 1997 and used a telescope 67 years earlier to discover Pluto?

# Clyde Tombaugh

27. His leash says, "I'm The One In Charge!" FTP, who is this Labrador and former First Dog, the last in a long line of White House residents to push Bill Clinton around?

# Buddy

28. FAQTP, what does the acronym LM.F. stand for?

International Monetary Fund

# **Bonus Questions**

#### 30 Point Bonus

The bulk of his paintings reflect the idyllic desolation of his native New England, but his most famous painting has an urban setting. For 15 points a piece, first, who is this 20<sup>th</sup> century American painter of *Cape Cod Morning* and *Ground Swell?* 

# Edward Hopper

What title is given to his most famous painting of subdued patrons seated at an urban café late in the evening?

# Night Hawks

#### 30 Point Bonus

British monarchs don't seem to get assassinated like U.S. Presidents. Assume that instead of a president being assassinated, the British monarch ruling at the time of the assassination is killed instead. For ten points a piece then, who dies instead of:

Abraham Lincoln? James Garfield?

Victoria Victoria

John F Kennedy?

Elizabeth II (PROMPT ON: Elizabeth)

#### 20 Point Bonus

It is an enlarged continuation of the spinal cord extending from the level of the foramen magnum to the pons. It serves as a relay center for nerve impulses and contains the control centers for heartbeat, vasomotor functions and respiration. For ten points per word, what two words name this important region of the brain?

# Medulla Oblongata

# 25 Point Bonus

He is the only angel that can speak Syrian and Chaldee. He appears in various religious systems as the angel who revealed the sacred laws to Muhammed, the angel who showed Joseph the way and the one who announced the birth of John the Baptist to Zacharias. For 25 points, name this archangel who is mainly associated with Judgement Day.

# Gabriel

# 20 Point Bonus

When Michelle Kwan, Tara Lipinski, and Nicole Bobek won the 3 spots on the 1998 U.S. Olympic team, prognosticators felt that they could possibly sweep the medals at the Olympic Games. They did not - no 3 U.S ladies have ever swept the Olympics - but they have swept the World Championships when — for 5 points a piece — what 3 ladies skaters swept the World Championships in what year?

Kristi Yamaguchi, Tonya Harding, Nancy Kerrigan, 1991

# 30 Point Bonus

You'll get 30 points for naming this author after one clue, 20 after two clues or 10 after all three.

- 30: Born in 1903, his writing career spanned several decades with regional writings like Afternoons in Mid-America and "Short Stories and other tales of Maine cussedness."
- 20: He published God's Little Acre in 1933, one year after his most famous work.
- 10: That work was Tobacco Road.

# Erskine Caldwell

## 20 Point Bonus

Given a list of institutions of higher learning, identify their athletic mascot for 5 points a piece.

Columbia

Lions

Princeton

Tigers

Baylor

Bears

For the final five, Lions And Tigers And Bears is oft-repeated in what American film classic?

The Wizard of Oz

#### 20 Point Bonus

One was a Swiss philanthropist whose publications of wartime suffering led to the establishment of the International Red Cross. The other was a French economist who founded the International League for Permanent Peace and co-founded the Inter Parliamentary Union of Arbitration. For ten points a piece who were these two men, the co-recipients of the very first Nobel Peace prize in 1901?

#### J.H. Dunant, Frederic Passay

## 25 Point Bonus

His newest theatre experience is "It's A Slippery Slope" — which comes across as a confessional solo diatribe, much like his earlier "Swimming to Cambodia," which details his experiences in making the film "The Killing Fields." For 25 points, name this 50ish performer, author, and artist.

Spalding Gray

## 25 Point Bonus

In Ptolemaic philosophy, it was the last of the 5 heavens. Borrowing from the Greek word for "fiery," it was made of pure elemental fire and was the seat of the deity. For 25 points, what eight letter word defines this place, which also happens to be the final destination in the Paradisio and Dante's very last place of travel in his epic Divine Comedy.

## Empyrean

## 30 Point Bonus

The Fibonacci sequence starts with 0 and 1 and continues by adding up the two previous values to arrive at a subsequent value. First, for ten points, what is the first number in the Fibonacci sequence that will yield an even whole number when you take its cube root?

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Second, for 20 points, what is the first number in the Fibonacci sequence that will yield an even whole number when you take its square root?

144 (0 1 1 2 3 5 8 13 21 34 55 89 144)

# 30 Point Bonus

If you're from the United States, it's likely that you know the name of your state's governor. Identify the governors of these states for ten points a piece.

Minnesota

Jesse Ventura

Iowa

Tom Vilsak

Michigan

John Engler

#### 25 Point Bonus

While working as a reporter for Rolling Stone, he repeatedly missed deadlines, failed to submit articles entirely, and was allegedly using narcotics while on the company expense account. He, however, called his style "Gonzo" Journalism and began writing novels, including *The Rum Diaries* and *Fear And Loathing on the Campaign Trail* '72. For 25 points, identify this author of *Fear and Loathing in Las Vegas*, so notorious that Garry Trudeau used him as the basis for the Doonesbury character Uncle Duke.

## Hunter S. Thompson

#### 25 Point Bonus

FTSNOP, given an abbreviation from the periodic table, name the element.

 5: Na
 Sodium

 5: Hg
 Mercury

 15: Pr
 Praseodymium

# 20 Point Bonus

When people from the future learn that these two high schoolers might fail history, they send one of their own back with a time machine, which they use to round up some of the great personalities from history, whom they bring back to San Dimas in order to give the greatest History Day presentation of all time. For ten points for each name, name these two "slackers" who have been both Excellent and Bogus.

Bill and Ted

#### 30 Point Bonus

Identify these organizing and industrious women, 5-10-15.

5: This talk show host-turned-magazine publisher organized the Million Mom March.

Rosie O'Donnell

10: She is the 1997 Nobel Peace Prize winner and founder of the International Campaign to Ban Land Mines.

Jody Williams

15: She was the organizer of the Million Woman March.

Phile Chionesu

## 25 Point Bonus

He never attained the longevity or popularity of Darwin possibly because one of his ships that carried many of his specimens and records caught fire and was destroyed at sea. By 1858, he had established his own theories of evolution but accepted and even advocated Darwin's theories and settled for being evolution's #2 exponent. For 25 points, who was this British naturalist one of the greatest zoogeographers in history?

Alfred Wallace

# 30 Point Bonus

Identify the day in the calendar year on a 30-20-10 basis.

- 30: Elizabeth's Royal Shakespeare Company would open its season of Shakespeare performances on this day.
- 20: Canadians celebrate Boxing Day.
- 10: Americans clean up wrapping paper, ribbon, bows, and often times a tree.

#### December 26

#### 30 Point Bonus

The winner: Dreamworks SKG and Steven Spielberg. The loser: an African-American author who sued Dreamworks claiming that her 1989 book was used as the basis for the movie *Amistad* and was not given credit. For 15 points a piece, name this book and its female African-American author that are, respectively, out of print and out of luck.

Echo of Lions, Barbara Chase-Riboud

## 25 Point Bonus

It is one thing to gain the U.S. Presidency by advancing to the position when your superior is assassinated, dies, or leaves office. It is another thing to hold onto that position when the next election rolls around. For 5 points a piece, name the 5 U.S. Presidents who did gain the top post when their superior left office in one way or another, but did not get elected to their own full term.

John Tyler, Millard Fillmore, Andrew Johnson, Chester Arthur, Gerald Ford

# 30 Point Bonus

Animals take front and center in certain classical compositions. Identify the composers of the following works, ten points a piece.

Prelude to the Afternoon of a Faun Carnival of the Animals The Firebird

Claude <u>Debussy</u> Camille <u>Saint-Saens</u> Igor <u>Stravinsky</u>

#### 20 Point Bonus

The body of Addie Bundren is supposed to be buried, but several mishaps almost prevent this from happening. For 10 points a piece:

Identify the 1930 novel in which this is the central plot, written in 60 short sections by William Faulkner.

#### As I Lay Dying

And in what favorite Faulkner city in Mississippi is the body to be buried in?

Jefferson

# 30 Point Bonus

On April 9, 1942, 75,000 American and Filipino troops surrender to the Japanese after a stoic resistance to overwhelming Japanese numbers. The captives are then forced to travel over 100 miles in which thousands of prisoners are executed or die of starvation and thirst before they reach Japanese prison camps. For ten points a piece — what three words describe this horrific event of World War Two?

Bataan Death March

# 30 Point Bonus

The Dow goes up, the Dow goes down. It was certainly an up time on October 1, 1997. For ten points per answer, first, what seemingly impossible numerical plateau of shares traded did the Dow surpass for the first time ever on October 1<sup>st</sup>, 1997 - a level they reach on a semi-regular basis now.

# 1 billion shares

The large number of shares traded may have been because of the astronomical \$43 billion merger between what two communications companies on October 1st?

# WorldCom, MCI