

TRASHionals 12

Round 13

Toss-Ups

1. In a 1989 *Saturday Night Live* skit, Billy Joel played a master of this instrument on an East Berlin game show as the rest of the cast defected to the West. Renaissance era versions of this instrument reflect its Germanic name, but those made since the 17th century generally use metal bars. A trio of them are used in Carl Orff's *Carmina Burana*. It's also prominently featured in Mozart's *The Magic Flute*, though most orchestras now use a celesta for those parts. It's sometimes used in jazz but most players prefer the wooden marimba or vibraphone. It's the source of the high tones in the introduction to Jimi Hendrix's "Little Wing" and is heard throughout Radiohead's "No Surprises." For ten points name this percussion instrument whose name is German for "play of bells."

Answer: glockenspiel (or bell lyre or campanelli)

2. Writing it, says the author, was "the grand result of retaining sanity while studying at Washington & Lee and practicing law", and it was the first work of fiction to appear on the NY Times Trade Paperback Bestseller list. Minor characters include Shirl Ravenlock, one of two female characters in this 726 page work, and Acton, Fandrez, and Ginnisson, commanders of the Tyrnian Border Legion. The action begins 2000 years after a nuclear holocaust in the town of Shady Vale, when the son of Bremen tells a half-elf that he is the last of the line of King Jerle, and that Skull Bearers will soon arrive. For ten points, name this novel in which the title object, which compels any who touch it with the truth about themselves, must be located by Shea Ohmsford to defeat the Warlock Lord, the first novel by Terry Brooks.

Answer: The Sword of Shannara

3. Since its 1986 reintroduction, it has been made of fully vitrified clay to increase its durability. It is sold open stock and can be bought piece by piece. First marketed in 1936 in the Pittsburgh area, it is to this day made at a factory in Newell, West Virginia. A popular 1970s collectible thanks to an art deco revival, some varieties, particularly the original brilliant red, was often used in high school science classes to test Geiger counters due to its pigments containing uranium oxide. For ten points, name this most famous product line of the Homer Laughlin China Company, a solid colored, Southwest-themed line of dinnerware.

Answer: Fiestaware

4. This woman's early TV roles include Emma Shannon in *The Young Riders* and Suellen O'Hara in the 1994 miniseries *Scarlett*. She also appeared as the daughter of an informant targeted by the KGB in the third episode of *The Equalizer*, a kleptomaniac who steals an egg cup on *Law & Order: Criminal Intent*, Winnie Mann on *The L Word*, and the transsexual father of a teenage boy on *Veronica Mars*. In her best-known regular role, she was the only female detective in her squad for the first two seasons, until the addition of Megan Russert, and worked alongside Frank Pembleton and John Munch. For ten points, name this actress who played Baltimore police sergeant Kay Howard on *Homicide: Life on the Street* and was Oscar-nominated as human trafficker Ray Eddy in *Frozen River*.

Answer: Melissa Leo

5. Now manufactured in Cedar Rapids, Iowa, by Alpha International, they were made by Empire Industries between 1972 and 2001. First introduced at a toy fair in New York in 1969 by inventor Ray Lohr for Louis Marx and Company, they were followed a few years later by a similar product intended for slightly older children called the Green Machine. A charity race featuring both adults and children occurs annually in Tulsa, Oklahoma, though the most famous event featuring them is held on Easter in San Francisco down steep hills where the trademark "spinout lever" may come in handy. Considered by a man's inner child to have been a superior Christmas present to a brand new Lexus in the driveway in a 2008 TV commercial, this is, for ten points, what classic children's toy, a plastic, recumbent tricycle named for its most prominent feature?

Answer: Big Wheel

6. This man's screen debut came as Archie Rice's younger son, who dies in war, in Tony Richardson's *The Entertainer*. He solved crimes in *Gumshoe* and *Wolfen* and starred in the musicals *Scrooge* and *Annie*, while literary characters that have earned him Oscar nods include an alcoholic diplomat created by Malcolm Lowry, a vain actor based on Donald Wolfitt created by Ronald Harwood, a Belgian detective created by Agatha Christie, and a rake created by Henry Fielding. Also nominated as Ed Masry in *Erin Brockovich* and seen as Arthur in *Saturday Night and Sunday Morning*, Leo in *Miller's Crossing*, and Ed Bloom in *Big Fish*, this is, for ten points, what star of *Under the Volcano*, *The Dresser*, *Murder on the Orient Express*, and *Tom Jones*?

Answer: Albert Finney

7. It was first awarded after the 1985-86 regular season, a departure from the practice of allowing the team to hang a banner calling themselves league champions. It also had a forebear in the Prince of Wales trophy, which after 1968 was made the award given to the team to win the Eastern Conference playoffs. The only team to win it with more than 120 points is the Detroit Red Wings, who did so for the fifth of their six wins. Name, for ten points, this award that this season went to the San Jose Sharks as the team that scored the most standings points during the regular season.

Answer: Presidents' Trophy

8. Featuring clips from the films "Double Inferno," "Hot Tropic," and "The Burning Dragon" interspersed in between a poolside concert, at the conclusion of the video for this song, one of the band members, who had previously been caught scoping out nearby girls, confesses that he can't grow a mustache. With lyrics dedicated to a girl with "high heels and a red dress" who has the singer "on his toes," it includes a breakdown by rapper Big Rob. Featured at the 2009 Grammy Awards show, this is, for ten points, what song, found on the album A Little Bit Longer, the biggest pop hit to date for the Jonas Brothers?

Answer: Burnin' Up

9. He registered four saves for the University of Texas in the 2002 College World Series, a record for one series. Drafted in 2004 with a compensation pick gained when his team lost Miguel Tejada, he would make the majors the following year, breaking Rollie Fingers' club record for saves by a rookie after taking over for Octavio Dotel, who went out with an elbow injury. A variety of injuries put him on the shelf during the next three seasons, and in 2008 would lead to him losing the closer role to Brad Ziegler. This made him expendable, and in November he was the key player in the Matt Holliday trade. Now trying to win the Rockies' closing job against Manny Corpas, name, for ten points, this former Oakland A who was the 2005 American League Rookie of the Year.

Answer: Huston Street

10. In one film, this character is seen in flashback criticizing another character for risking his life "for a bunch of strangers" by enlisting in the military during WW2. His wife Sandra, who has difficulty handling his large penis, is aware of his womanizing, but doesn't know that he fathered a son, Vincent, with Lucy Mancini, the maid of honor at his sister's wedding. He is thoughtful enough to make sure that his brother doesn't end up "with just his dick in his hands" upon exiting the bathroom, but when we see a tollbooth operator dive for cover, we realize that his impulsive rush to save his sister Connie from her abusive husband Carlo was a fatal mistake. For ten points, James Caan's lone Oscar nomination came for portraying what eldest son of Vito Corleone?

Answer: Santino "Sonny" Corleone (accept either underlined name)

11. Their debut album Make Your Mama Proud and single "Are You Ready For The Fallout," both sold poorly, but this trio, originally named Magneto USA before naming themselves for their favorite porn flick, had more success with their follow up. The singles "Fire Escape" and "Out Of My Head" appeared on 1998's All The Pain Money Can Buy. Their best known song was an optimistic imagining by singer/bassist Tony Scalzo of the fate of an elderly couple from near the band's hometown of Austin, Texas who disappeared in 1997. For ten points name this band best known for The Way.

Answer: Fastball

12. Its mascot is the ash character that looks like "A-E". Inspired by the treatment of gay internet pseudo-celebrity jameth [pronounced like "James" with a lisp], it was founded in 2004 by girlvinyl. Garnering lots of media attention from Jason Fortuny's "Craigslist experiment," it has described itself as degenerating into a place for "butthurt" individuals to make unfunny attempts at revenge, but also claims to be done in the spirit of *The Devil's Dictionary*. Described by the *New York Times* as "an online compendium of troll humor and troll lore," name, for ten points, this satirical wiki specializing in describing Internet phenomena in a parody of Wikipedia.

Answer: Encyclopedia Dramatica

13. The second incarnation of this show saw the inception of the "Inventor of the Year" award, a solid gold trophy plated with tin, and an interview with the inventor of the synthesizer, Synthesizer Patel. The first version, which was more educational in nature, documented the manufacture of whiskey by bubbling nitrogen through water and the use of the Mathematical Anti-Telharsic Harfatum Septomin, or "maths". Both versions offered humanity's thanks to ants, or, as they put it, "thants". For ten points, name this television series, a parody of educational movies and television originally shown on the BBC but rebroadcast on Adult Swim.

Answer: Look Around You!

14. He was a reserve running back for Riverdale Baptist, but opted for track at Cedarville University in Ohio, where he found success after rehabbing a knee injured in an intramural football game. He hung up the cleats and spikes when he attended law school at the University of Virginia, after which he became a prosecutor in the US Attorney's office in DC and counsel to then-deputy Attorney General Eric Holder. He would then move into criminal defense and tort litigation with the firm of Patton Boggs before using his skills to convince 32 player representatives that he should represent their interests, notably when they hopefully negotiate a new collective bargaining agreement with the league in 2010. Name, for ten points, this attorney who bested two former players and an agent to become the new head of the NFL Players Association.

Answer: DeMaurice Smith

15. "In Memory of Paul Anderson" appears on all of its staff pages, and Andy McNamara, the Game Hombre, has been on staff since 1991. In its most recent Sacred Cow Barbecue, it took on GoldenEye and Half-Life. Criticisms of its poor review of Paper Mario led to a revamping of its 1-10 grading system. With 3 million paid subscribers, it's among the top four magazines reaching males 18 to 34 -- a subscription is included with a Gamer's Edge discount card. For ten points, name this magazine put out by GameStop which publishes an April Fool's edition called "Game Infarcer".

Answer: Game Informer

16. One character in this film is told, "It's your eyes that give you away" after she tears up while watching scientists being gassed to death. It opens with Jim McGrath being gunned down during a Rammstein concert while wearing a tuxedo, and Tony Hawk can be glimpsed driving a Cadillac. The protagonist recognizes that a waitress is wearing high heels and escapes from a Colombian drug lord, impressing Augustus Gibbons enough for him to be sent after Anarchy 99 in Prague. With the help of abandoned KGB agent Yelena, he stops Yorgi's plan for world destruction. For ten points, name this 2002 action thriller starring Vin Diesel as extreme secret agent Xander Cage.

Answer: XXX

17. It was the nickname afforded to the creature from "The Crate" by George Romero, and a gene of *Neurospora crassa* required for its asexual sporulation is known as this gene. The all-female British punk band by this name was signed by Capitol Records in 1995 after their singles "Hypersonic" and "Husband" were released, and they opened for The Sex Pistols on their Japanese tour and the Foo Fighters in 1996. One of the first widely-watched Whedonverse fan films details the exploits of an English Vampire Slayer named this, while comic Gabriel Iglesias's mother describes his level of fatness as this 4th level between husky and DAMN! Also the name given to a three-headed dog guarding the Sorcerer's Stone in the first Harry Potter novel, identify, for ten points, this adjective often used to describe marshmallows.

Answer: Fluffy

18. In his most recent video game appearance, he has retired to a life of repairing boats and owning his own gym. In a 1995 Super NES game, he altered his look by sporting a ponytail and shorts. Retrieving a bust of him yields the player 5000 points in *Captain Commando*. His early details are demonstrated in the unlocalized-version of *Saturday Night Slam Masters* and his costume is available for Zangief as downloadable content in *Street Fighter IV*. He is best known for rescuing his daughter Jessica from the Mad Gears during his time as the mayor of Metro City. For ten points, name this mustached muscle man from the *Final Fight* series.

Answer: Mike Haggar

19. [AUDIO] TWO ANSWERED REQUIRED. For ten points, name the 1966 Top Five hit and its artist: [Track#48]

Answer: "Mellow Yellow" by Donovan Leitch

20. She attended Smith College, where she majored in Art History, minored in Finance, and was active in cheerleading and the Young Republicans. She had planned to not have sex with her first husband before marriage, but while drunk gave in the day before the wedding. Her plans were saved when he turned out to be impotent. She divorced her husband for a combination of reasons, including arguments about his domineering mother-in-law Bunny. She has two daughters – one adopted from China – with her second husband, her divorce lawyer Harry Goldenblatt. For ten points, name this *Sex and the City* character played by Kristin Davis.

Answer: Charlotte York MacDougal Goldenblatt

21. This title character works as head of security at the Power Forest, and lives with his wife, whose first name is Pepper, a baby, and two pets - a scheming cat named Sourpuss and a gullible dog named Chomp-Chomp. His unseen enemy is a red-caped humanoid mad scientist named Mezmeron who seeks to discover the location of the forest; Mezmeron generally works through his five bumbling henchmen. Most episodes involve this character thwarting the ghost monsters by eating their suits and rendering them a powerless pair of eyes. For ten points, name this 1980s Saturday morning cartoon protagonist ported from an arcade game, who always seems to have a supply of power pellets around to help him chomp on Inky, Blinky, Pinky, Clyde, and Sue.

Answer: Pac-Man

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Bonuses

1. He has a cameo as the hitman who rubs out Suzanne Stone at the end of *To Die For*. For ten points each:

1. Name this Canadian director of *Eastern Promises*, *A History of Violence*, and *Dead Ringers* known for his clinical approach to gory violence.

Answer: David Cronenberg

2. The namesake of critic Jim Emerson's blog, this 1981 Cronenberg film features Michael Ironside as a dude who makes another dude's head explode.

Answer: Scanners

3. This 1979 Cronenberg cult classic starring Samantha Eggar and Oliver Reed was described by Leonard Maltin thusly: "Eggar eats her own afterbirth while midget clones beat grandparents and lovely young schoolteachers to death with mallets. It's a big, wide, wonderful world we live in!"

Answer: *The Brood*

2. Answer the following about the intersection of celebrities, TV commercials, and video games for ten points each.

1. In a commercial for this recent release, James Hetfield puts an end to those silly *Risky Business* parodies and blows up the house.

Answer: Guitar Hero: Metallica

2. While *E.T.*'s Henry Thomas appeared in ads for this console, it was most notably George Plimpton extolling how much more sophisticated this system was compared to the Atari 2600.

Answer: Mattel Intellivision

3. Inexplicably, the PlayStation port of this classic PC game had ads featuring Rodney Dangerfield and Jenny McCarthy. There was no word if the Post Terran Minerals Corporation gave Dangerfield no respect or if McCarthy was *Singled Out* among Pyro-GX pilots.

Answer: Descent

3. Even with the lack of success, Americans keep trying to make a dent in Formula 1. For ten points each:

1. An American-based F1 team has been approved for 2010, which will operate out of this city. They don't have any drivers or know where they'll get their cars, but the recent spate of layoffs in NASCAR means this city is full of people skilled at putting together racing cars.

Answer: Charlotte, North Carolina

2. In 2005 he became the first American to drive in F1 since 1993. He spent three years with Scuderia Toro Rosso before moving to NASCAR at the end of 2007, where he now drives the #82 for Red Bull Racing.

Answer: Scott Speed

3. The last American to win a F1 title was this open wheel racing legend, who took the title in 1978. He is one of only two drivers to win races in F1, IndyCar, World Sportscar Championship and NASCAR.

Answer: Mario Andretti

4. Signs started appearing in Rhode Island and were spread by the skater subculture. For ten points each:

1. This example of street art declared that this large human being has a posse.

Answer: Andre the Giant or Andre Roussimoff

2. The "Andre Has a Posse" art was created by this artist, who created the blue-and-red toned Barack Obama "HOPE" portrait.

Answer: Shepherd Fairey

3. Fairey did the cover for this 2007 album recorded without D'Arcy Wretzky or James Iha.

Answer: Zeitgeist by the Smashing Pumpkins

5. For ten points each, name these 2008 reality shows from their winners:

1. Brittany Flickinger must not have been a great winner, since it's been reported that MTV plans on a second season of this show.

Answer: Paris Hilton's *My New BFF*

2. On this series, Brooke Ward was picked over Christa Ackerman after they went on dates with Matt Neustadt.

Answer: *Farmer Wants a Wife*

3. "Sweater Vest Enthusiast" Tommy Severo paired with "Hawaiian Tropic Model" Amanda Corey to triumph on Season 5 of this show.

Answer: *Beauty and the Geek*

6. For ten points each answer questions about Beatle biographies.

1. This 2000 Robert Rosen book, subtitled "The Final Days of John Lennon", was a bestseller both in the US and abroad, and takes its name from a song Lennon wrote off of Rubber Soul.

Answer: Nowhere Man

2. This journalist wrote the only authorized biography of the The Beatles during their existence. Despite cooperation from the lads, this author's twice updated 1968 book is not much more than hagiography

Answer: Hunter Davies

3. This author first put forth the idea of the Lennon-Epstein affair in his 1988 book The Lives of John Lennon. This author also wrote controversial biographies of Lenny Bruce and Elvis Presley

Answer: Albert Goldman

7. They will meet at UFC 100 to unify the heavyweight belt. For ten points each:

1. Name the two fighters who will meet, one the current champ who beat Randy Couture at UFC 91, the other the interim title holder who took out Brazil's Antonio Rodrigo Nogueira at UFC 92.

Answer: Brock Lesnar, Frank Mir

2. Nogueira won the interim title from this man, who won it back from the man he lost it from Andrei Arlovsky, after he got the title when the champion - Frank Mir again! - couldn't defend due to injury.

Answer: Tim Sylvia

8. Answer questions about songs from the genre of "strip-hop" for ten points each.

1. This R&B crooner teamed with Mike Jones on the 2006 hit "I'm In Luv (Wit a Stripper.)"

Answer: T-Pain (or Faheem Najm)

2. In this 2008 song T-Pain's admiration of a dancer who makes the people say yeah leads him to offer the girl lodging in the Caymans and Costa Rica, and inexplicably Wisconsin and Toronto.

Answer: Can't Believe It

3. This rapper adds some auto-tuned flow to the end of the Thr33 Rings version of "Can't Believe It," and hit the charts with one of the more successful remixes of Fat Joe's "Make it Rain."

Answer: Lil' Wayne (Dwayne Carter, Jr.)

9. They're not quite jelly, and not they're really beans either. For ten points each:

1. While Jelly Belly beans are popular among muggles, magic users in R.K. Rowling's universe fancy this brand in which every flavor is available for tasting.

Answer: Bertie Bott's Every Flavour Bean

2. Jelly beans have a precursor in these confections, which Edmund Pevensie becomes addicted to at the hands of Jadis, the White Witch.

Answer: Turkish Delight

3. A Jellybean cocktail is made with lemonade, raspberry liquor and this anise-flavored alcohol popular in Greece.

Answer: Ouzo

10. [AUDIO] For ten points, name the composers of the following film music:

1. [Track #49]
Answer: Danny Elfman ["The Batman's Theme"]
2. [Track #50]
Answer: Nino Rota ["The Godfather's Waltz"]
3. [Track #51]
Answer: Maurice Jarre ["Lara's Theme" from Dr. Zhivago]

11. Answer the following questions about The Who's "other" rock opera for ten points each.

1. Featuring songs such as "The Real Me" and "5:15," this 1973 double album was the story of a young mod in 1964 who was a huge fan of a band very much like, well, The Who, circa 1964.
Answer: Quadrophenia
2. This closing track and best known song from Quadrophenia, its title inspired that of a 2007 film starring Adam Sandler and Don Cheadle. A cover of the song by Pearl Jam plays over the film's end credits.
Answer: Love, Reign O'er Me
3. Quadrophenia was adapted into a movie in 1978, starring Phil Daniels in the lead role. The role of Ace Face, a leader of the Mods who works as a bellboy in a Brighton hotel, was played by this future rock star.
Answer: Sting (or Gordon Sumner)

12. Who would have thought there were so many half-Persians in the acting profession? For ten points each:

1. This handsome half-Persian first drew attention as the title character on the short-lived FOX series *Profit*; he is now better known as Nathan Petrelli.
Answer: Adrian Pasdar
2. This half-Persian actress, who once predicted the final score and winning team of the Super Bowl in advance, went from playing Mac on *JAG* to Denise Sherwood on *Army Wives*.
Answer: Catherine Bell
3. Daughter of the Oscar-nominated Iranian editor of *American Beauty*, this actress played Princess Margaret in *The Tudors* and Fiona on *Burn Notice*.
Answer: Gabrielle Anwar

13. Cryptids of the sea! For ten points each:

1. The proximity of the ultra low frequencies detected in the summer of 1997 by the NOAA to the fictional sunken city of R'lyeh have led some fans to link the Bloop to this Great Old One.
Answer: Cthulhu
2. Ivan T. Sanderson is credited with coining this term for describing unidentified organic masses that wash up on shore, including a 1960 specimen from Tasmania and the 1896 St. Augustine Monster.
Answer: Globster
3. This animal was reportedly sighted in Margate, South Africa on October 25, 1924 fighting two killer whales for three hours. Eye-witnesses described it as looking like a giant polar bear with a lobster tail and elephantine appendage.
Answer: Trunko

14. Not everyone on the cartoon show *The Flintstones* was named Flintstone or Rubble. Name these characters from the show with different surnames for ten points each.

1. This man was both Fred and Barney's boss at his namesake Rock and Gravel Quarry.
Answer: Mr. Sylvester Slate
2. This family, inspired by *The Addams Family* and *The Munsters*, lived next door to the Flintstones in later seasons.
Answer: The Gruesomes
3. This clan of recurring characters was a family of hillbillies who had a long-running feud with some relatives of Fred's. In one episode, they were driven away with "bug music," a takeoff on British Invasion rock bands.
Answer: The Hatrocks

15. The "women in refrigerators" web site compiles a list of female comic book characters who have undergone enormous trauma. Given some unfortunate events and the book some of the storyline ran in, name the character for ten points each.

1. "children die/vanish/are lost because they are figments of her imagination", West Coast Avengers 51-52.
Answer: Scarlet Witch
2. "eyes removed, eviscerated, de-powered, mind-swapped", Captain Britain #12-13.
Answer: Psylocke
3. "Clone, brood mare, demon queen, dead, brought back", Uncanny X-Men 240-241.
Answer: Madelyne "Maddy" Pryor

16. Who is Number One? You will be, if you can name these credits of Leo McKern. For ten points each:

1. McKern played Thomas Cromwell, the chief antagonist of Thomas More, in this 1966 Oscar-winning drama starring Paul Scofield and based on Robert Bolt's play.
Answer: A Man for All Seasons
2. McKern was Father Imperius, the monk shepherding lovers Rutger Hauer and Michelle Pfeiffer, who can only be together in human form for a brief moment every day, in this 1985 Richard Donner fantasy starring Matthew Broderick.
Answer: Ladyhawke
3. McKern allows the title character of this 1970 David Lean epic set in Ireland to take the blame for informing on the IRA, even though he is her father. Her head then gets forcibly shaved and she is expelled from the village.
Answer: Ryan's Daughter

17. Name these commercial games involving adjectives for ten points each.

1. Players holding adjective cards compete to try to find an apt fit for a noun randomly drawn for the deck in this party game.
Answer: Apples to Apples
2. This Atlas Games storytelling card game asks players to collaboratively generate a fairy tale using elements drawn from a deck; when someone mentions an element held in your hand you take over the tale.
Answer: Once Upon a Time
3. In this Cheapass game, players develop companies based around a random noun and adjective combination, like "erotic pants".
Answer: The Big Idea

18. Candace Parker made history as the first pregnant woman on the cover of ESPN the magazine. Answer questions about the best mom-to-be basketball player on the planet for ten points each.

1. Parker anointed this former Duke star and Timberwolf bench-warmer as "luckiest guy on the planet" when Parker eloped with him in November and decided to carry his spawn.
Answer: Sheldon Williams
2. Parker expects to return to this team in time for the 2009 season after her May due date.
Answer: Los Angeles Sparks
3. This shoe company is augmenting Parker's relatively meager WNBA salary with a \$5 million a year contract hawking their Ace Commander line.
Answer: Adidas

19. Phil Collins was a busy man in the 1980's. In addition to being a member of Genesis and a successful solo career, he was also a sought after producer. Identify these artists who collaborated with him for ten points each.

1. He produced two 1980's albums for this singer and guitar legend, Behind The Sun and August. In turn, he played lead guitar on Collins' hit "I Wish It Would Rain Down."
Answer: Eric Clapton
2. Both Collins and Genesis borrowed Earth, Wind & Fire's horn section a few times in the early '80s, and Collins produced a 1984 solo album, Chinese Wall, for this Earth, Wind & Fire vocalist; a duet between the two, "Easy Lover," was the album's hit single.
Answer: Philip Bailey
3. He also produced Something's Going On, the 1982 English-language solo debut album by this singer.
Answer: Anni-Frid or Frida Lyngstad [accept any of the preceding]

20. Identify the following characters from an Adler and Ross musical, for ten points each.

1. Meg opens *Damn Yankees* by complaining about this husband of hers, a real estate agent and hapless fan of the Washington Senators.
Answer: Joe Boyd
2. This salesman soon comes along and makes a deal for the "long ball hitter the Senators need that he'd sell his soul for."
Answer: Mr. Applegate
3. This sportswriter who covers the Senators for a local newspaper gives the newly discovered Joe hardy his nickname in "Shoeless Joe from Hannibal, Mo."
Answer: Gloria Thorpe

21. For ten points each, answer the following questions about the roles of Canadian leading lady Rachel McAdams, who can be seen this weekend in the political thriller *State of Play*.

1. In the original BBC serial *State of Play*, McAdams' character of Della was handled by this Scottish actress, also seen as Carla Jean Moss in *No Country for Old Men*.
Answer: Kelly Macdonald
2. McAdams played this high school "queen bee" in 2004's *Mean Girls*, despite being only 7 years younger than Amy Poehler, who plays her mother.
Answer: Regina George (accept either underlined name)
3. McAdams can also be seen in the upcoming *Sherlock Holmes* portraying this adventuress, who looms large in the Holmes mythos despite only appearing in one canonical story, "A Scandal in Bohemia."
Answer: Irene Adler (accept either underlined name)

22. What if they held a 50 yard indoor war and nobody came? For ten points each:

1. This league announced on December 15, 2008 that they would cancel their 2009 season, but would be back on the field for 2010.

Answer: Arena Football League

2. A precipitating factor in the shut-down was the disbanding of this team, which did not play the 2006 season for weather-related reasons.

Answer: New Orleans VooDoo

3. af2, the minors of the Arena League, apparently has a better business plan, as they're playing in '09, allowing this Huntsville, Alabama based team a chance to defend its surprise ArenaCup title.

Answer: Tennessee Valley Vipers