

## Round 4 1st Section Toss-up Questions

#### **Question #1: Science – Biology**

10 points

In prokaryotes ["pro-CARRY-oats"], the 5-prime untranslated region contains binding sites for these structures called the Shine-Dalgarno sequence. Antibiotics typically work by inhibiting these structures in bacteria without impacting these structures in the host. These structures are characterized by a sedimentation rate measured in svedberg units. These structures have two subunits and are the reason the rough endoplasmic reticulum [EN-do-PLAZ-mik reh-TIK-yoo-lum] is called rough. Name these structures that synthesize proteins.

ribosomes ["RYE"-boh-sohmz]

#### **Question #2: Literature – British Literature**

10 points

This poet remembered his childhood innocence with the phrase "in the moon that is always rising", though he then added "Time held me green and dying." That poem was the last work in *Deaths and Entrances*. Another poem by this writer states "Though lovers be lost, love shall not". In another of this author's poems, the narrator describes wise men, good men, wild men, and grave men, and how they "rage, rage against the dying of the light."

Name the author of "Fern Hill," "And death shall have no dominion," and "Do Not Go Gentle Into That Good Night".

Dylan (Marlais) **Thomas** 



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#### Question #3: Miscellaneous - Industrial Arts

10 points

Ivan Ostromislensky [OH-stroh-mees-LEN-skee] suggested using peroxides as a curing agent in this process. The result of this process was sometimes marketed under the brand name Ebonite. This process essentially consists of creating cross-links in isoprene ["EYE-so-preen"]. This process was patented in Britain by Thomas Hancock in 1845, the same year the U.S. patent for this process went to Charles Goodyear. Name this process in which sulfur and heat are added to increase the elasticity and strength of rubber.

vulcanization of rubber
[or vulcanizing rubber]

#### **Question #4: Mathematics – Math Concepts**

10 points

The fact that in certain cases two versions of this operation are equivalent is called Clairaut's [klair-oh'z] theorem, and is the reverse of Fubini's [foo-BEE-nee'z] theorem. The entries of a Hessian matrix are all the possible versions of this operation; when the determinant of the Hessian is negative at a stationary point, the point is a saddle point. The test named for this operation states that the result of this operation is negative at local maxima and positive at local minima. This quantity changes sign at inflection points. Name this type of derivative used to determine a function's concavity ["con"-KAV-ih-tee].

second(-order)
derivatives or [accept
twice or double in place
of second; accept
differentiating in place of
derivative; accept
variations that include
both underlined portions
or said equivalents thereof;
accept answers that also
contain "partial"; prompt
on partial derivative
before "all (the possible
versions)"]



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#### **Question #5: Social Studies – World History**

10 points

During winters in World War II, the Road of Life was used to supply this city, which Adolf Hitler said should be eliminated from the face of the Earth. During World War I, General Lavr Kornilov [LAH-vur KOR-nih-lawff] tried to take over this city, which weakened Alexander Kerensky's provisional government. In 1914, this city changed its name to sound less German, and in 1924 it changed its name to honor a revolutionary leader. This city has now reverted to its original name, which honors the person who made it a national capital in the early 18th century. Name this city formerly called Leningrad, where Catherine the Great started the Hermitage Museum.

St. Petersburg, Russia [prompt on Leningrad or Petrograd]

#### **Question #6: Science – Earth Science**

10 points

A "great" event named for this element took place a little over two billion years ago; in it, nickel and methane became less prevalent as this element became much more common in Earth's atmosphere. Feldspars always contain aluminum, silicon, and this element. This is the most abundant element in the Earth's crust and the second-most abundant element in the atmosphere. An allotrope ["AL-oh-trope"] of this element absorbs most of the ultraviolet radiation directed towards Earth. Name this element in ozone that combines with hydrogen to form water.

 $\underline{\mathbf{oxygen}}$  [accept  $\underline{\mathbf{O}}$ ; accept Great  $\underline{\mathbf{Oxygen}}$ ation]



## **Question #7: Mathematics – Trigonometry**

10 points per part

For	every angle, the value of this function squared	
plus	the cosine function squared equals 1.	
1	Name this function.	sine [accept answers that
		additionally mention a
		variable]
-		2/7
2	Find the sine of an angle if the cosecant of the	2/5  or  0.4
	angle equals 2.5.	
3	If the cosine of an acute angle equals 7/8, find	<u>1/4</u> or 0.25
	the sine of <i>half</i> of that angle.	,

## **Question #8: Mathematics – Trigonometry**

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Sup	pose two sides of a triangle measure 5 units	
and	6 units, and the sine of the angle between	
ther	m is $4/5$ .	
1	Find the area of the triangle.	12 square units
2	In general, you can find the area of a triangle	1/2  or  0.5
	by multiplying this number times the product	
	of two side lengths times the sine of the angle	
	between them.	
3	That formula can be applied to equilateral	$\sqrt{3}/2$ ["the square root of
	triangles by using the sine of 60°. What is the	3, over 2" or "radical 3,
	sine of 60°?	over 2"] or $\frac{1}{2}\sqrt{3}$
		["one- <u>half</u> times the square
		root of 3" or "one-half
		times radical 3"



#### **Question #9: Literature – World Literature**

10 points per part

This	s title object was baked into a hot roll by	
Pras	scovia Osipovna [prahss-KOH-vee-uh	
oh-s	see-POHV-nuh], the wife of a barber.	
1	Name this body part that tried to travel to	(Kovalev's) <u>nose</u>
	Riga while being pursued by its owner, Major	
	Kovalev.	
2	"The Nose" was written by this author, who	Nikolai (Vasilievich)
	wrote about the ghost of Akaky Akakievich	$\underline{\text{Gogol}}$
	[ah-KAH-kee ah-KAH-kee-eh-vich] in "The	
	Overcoat".	
3	In this novel by Nikolai Gogol featuring an	<b>Dead Souls</b> [or
	exploding blacksmith, Chichikov purchases serfs	$\underline{Myortvyeh\ Dooshee}]$
	who no longer occupy the mortal realm.	

#### **Question #10: Literature – World Literature**

In t	he opening of this poem, the speaker compares	
himself to an "empty net, at the advent of		
auti	umn"; at its end, this poem tells the reader to	
"spe	eak through my words and my blood".	
1	Name this poem whose speaker describes rising	"The <b>Heights of Macchu</b>
	"up the the ladder of the earththrough the	Picchu" [or "Las Alturas
	awful tangles of lost forests" before calling the	de Macchu Picchu"]
	title location "my friend".	
2	"The Heights of Macchu Picchu" is the second	Canto General
	poem in this collection, which includes "The	[KAHN-toh
	Liberators" and "The Earth's Name is Juan".	hen-ay-RAHL] [accept
		$[\underline{General\ Song}]$
3	This Chilean poet wrote the Canto General.	Pablo <u>Neruda</u> [or Neftali
		Ricardo <u>Reyes</u> Basoalto]



## **Question #11: Science – Physics**

10 points per part

This	s person measured the specific gravity of the	
Earth, which was used to find its mass and		
ever	ntually the gravitational constant.	
1	Name this English scientist who carried out	Henry <u>Cavendish</u>
	that experiment in the late 18th century using	
	a torsion balance.	
2	The gravitational constant was first used in the	inverse-square law(s) [or
	law of universal gravitation, which — like	inverse-second-power
	Coulomb's law — is known as this type of law	laws; do not prompt on
	because of the relationship between force and	answers that omit
	the distance between two objects.	"inverse"
3	In the Einstein field equations, the gravitational	stress
	constant is multiplied by a tensor combining	
	energy and this quantity. Hooke's law says that	
	strain is proportional to this quantity.	

## **Question #12: Science – Physics**

The	first artificial self-sustaining nuclear chain	
reac	etion, carried out by Enrico Fermi at the	
Uni	versity of Chicago, was this type of reaction.	
1	Name this type of reaction in which a nucleus	nuclear <b>fission</b> [accept
	splits into smaller parts.	$[\underline{\mathbf{fissing}}]$
2	The first artificial self-sustaining nuclear chain	uranium- <u>235</u>
	reaction combined neutrons with this isotope of	
	uranium.	
3	This type of nuclear reactor produces more	breeder reactor
	fissionable material than it consumes.	



#### **Question #13: Social Studies – Current Events**

10 points per part

In t	he 2016 U.S. Senate elections, incumbents lost	
race	es in two states.	
1	Mark Kirk lost to Tammy Duckworth in Illinois.	New Hampshire
	In what state did Kelly Ayotte [AY-aht] lose to	
	Maggie Hassan?	
2	Name the longest-serving current U.S. Senator,	Patrick (Joseph) <b>Leahy</b>
	who was re-elected in 2016 and represents	$[\underline{\mathbf{LAY-hee}}]$
	Vermont. He was first elected in 1974.	
3	This 2008 Republican presidential nominee	John (Sidney) McCain
	from Arizona was also re-elected in 2016.	(III)

#### **Question #14: Social Studies – Current Events**

Thi	s leader's vice president, Leni Robredo	
[LE	N-ee "rob"-RAY-doh], resigned as Chair of the	
Hou	using and Urban Development Coordinating	
Cou	incil in late 2016.	
1	Name this president who gained power in 2016.	Rodrigo ("Rody" Roa)
	He has encouraged extra-judicial killings of	$\underline{\text{Duterte}}$
	drug dealers.	
2	Rodrigo Duterte leads this populous country in	(Republic of the)
	the Pacific Ocean. He is from Mindanao	<b>Philippines</b> [or Republika
	[min-duh-"NOW"], but most of this country's	ng <b>Pilipinas</b> ]
	people live on the island Luzon [loo-ZAHN].	-
3	Duterte defended police when they killed	mayor of Albuera, Leyete
	Rolando Espinosa in a jail cell. Espinosa held	or Davao City, Mindanao
	this general political position when he was	
	killed. Duterte held the same position for many	
	years in a different location before becoming	
	president.	



## **Round 4 3rd Section Toss-up Questions**

#### **Question #15: Literature – World Literature**

10 points

In one story by this author, the protagonist does		
not survive an exercise to claim as much land as he		
could traverse, and ended up with six feet from		
head to heels. This author of "How Much Land		
Does a Man Need?" wrote of the growing distance		
between Masha and her older husband as she enjoys		
parties in St. Petersburg in Family Happiness. In		
another of this writer's works, Kitty lives a happy		
life with Konstantin, while the title character's love		
for Alexei Vronsky leads to her throwing herself in		
front of a train. Name this Russian author of <i>Anna</i>		
Karenina.		

Leo <u>Tolstoy</u> [or Lev Nikolayevich **Tolstoy**]

## **Question #16: Social Studies – U.S. History**

10 points

This fort has been restored and turned into a Fo	ort <u>Ticonde</u> ı
museum by the Pell family. Before it was renamed,	
this fort was the site of the Battle of Carillon. The	
Continental Army took this fort from the English	
under William Delaplace in 1775 just before taking	
nearby Fort Crown Point. It was taken back by the	
English under John Burgoyne at the beginning of	
the Saratoga Campaign. Henry Knox moved its	
cannons to Boston at the beginning of 1776 so they	
could be used at Dorchester Heights. Name this	
fort captured by Benedict Arnold and Ethan Allen	
that is at the southern end of Lake Champlain.	

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## Round 4 3rd Section Toss-up Questions

#### **Question #17: Fine Arts – Classical Music & Opera**

10 points

This composer wrote his only piano trio just after the death of his four-year-old daughter. Soon after that, he moved to Sweden, where he used literature as the basis of his symphonic poems Richard III and Wallenstein's [VAH-lun-shteen'z] Camp. In an opera by this composer, Vashek demonstrates that he is not ready for marriage when he appears in a bear costume. That opera, which features a polka and a furiant, is about the love between Mařenka and Jeník [yen-eek]. This composer also wrote a group of six symphonic poems starting at the high castle in Prague. Name this composer of The Bartered Bride and Má vlast, which includes The Moldau.

Bedřich <u>Smetana</u> [BED-rik SMEH-tah-nah]

## **Question #18: Science – Chemistry**

This equation was the focus of a Supreme Court	<b>Arrhenius</b> equation
case that allowed James Diehr to get a patent for	
molding rubber. This equation only works with	
gases, but it is almost identical to the Eyring	
equation, which works for mixed phases. The steric	
["STARE"-ik] factor is multiplied by the collision	
frequency to calculate this equation's	
pre-exponential factor, which depends on the	
reaction. The exponent in this equation is the	
opposite of activation energy divided by the	
universal gas constant times temperature. Identify	
this equation that relates reaction rate to	
temperature, named for a Swedish Nobel laureate.	



## Round 4 3rd Section Toss-up Questions

## **Question #19: Social Studies – Geography**

10 points

During the early 1970s, the Temple of Debod was	Madrid, Spain
moved from Egypt and rebuilt in this city. A region	
in this city whose name means "Park of the	
Pleasant Retreat" features the Fountain of the	
Fallen Angel in addition to a Forest of	
Remembrance dedicated to people who died in this	
city during a 2004 terrorist attack. This city also	
contains the Cibeles ["SEE-bay-lace"] Fountain and	
the large gate Puerta de Alcalá [PWAIR-tah day	
ahl-kah-LAH]. This city is just south of Segovia	
and just north of Toledo [toh-LAY-doh]. Name the	
most populous city and capital of Spain.	

## **Question #20: Literature – Mythology**

Because of this person's dead body, birds have	Phaëthon
difficulty crossing the Eridanus [air-ih-DAH-nuss]	[ <b>FAY-uh-thahn</b> ] or
River, which has a terrible odor. According to the	Phaëton [FAY-uh-tahn]
Metamorphoses, Ethiopians' black skin comes from	
this character's actions forcing their blood too close	
to the skin. He was made into the constellation	
Auriga upon his death, while his sisters turned into	
poplar trees and wept tears of amber. This mortal	
died when Zeus struck him with a thunderbolt to	
mitigate the damage he did driving his father's	
chariot. Name this son of Helios.	



#### **Question #21: Literature – British Literature**

10 points per part

This	s poet's real name is unknown; they got their	
nick	name from a poem about an object "flawlessly	
set	in gold so fair" that the narrator lost in a	
garo	den.	
1	Name this poet. In another work, he wrote	the <b>Pearl</b> poet [accept,
	about a character who called the members of	but do not otherwise
	the Round Table "beardless children".	reveal, the <b>Gawain</b> poet]
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2	The character who used the phrase "beardless	Sir <u>Gawain</u>
	children" is the Green Knight, who is beheaded	
	— but not killed — by this nephew of King	
	Arthur.	
3	Sir Gawain broke his agreement with Bertilak	girdle
	when he kept this object given to him by Lady	
	Bertilak.	

#### **Question #22: Literature – British Literature**

Afte	er their family's patriarch dies, Hindley forces	
this	stepbrother to work in the field.	
1	Name this orphan who returns after Hindley's	<u>Heathcliff</u>
	wife dies, and takes control of a manor after	
	Hindley himself.	
2	Heathcliff takes over Thrushcross Grange in	Wuthering Heights
	this novel.	
3	Wuthering Heights was written by Emily	Ellis Bell [prompt on
	Brontë using this pen name.	[Bell $]$



## **Question #23: Fine Arts – Art History**

10 points per part

One	e work by this painter is a double self-portrait,	
in w	which she wears both a European dress and a	
Mex	kican dress, and holds hands with herself.	
1	Name this artist whose other self-portraits	(Magdalena Carmen) Frida
	include Self-Portrait with Monkey and	<b><u>Kahlo</u></b> (y Calderón)
	Self-Portrait with Thorn Necklace and	[prompt on de <b>Rivera</b> ]
	Hummingbird. She twice married Diego Rivera.	
2	One of Kahlo's paintings portrays the suicide of	Dorothy <u>Hale</u>
	this friend, who jumped out of a 16th-floor	
	apartment in New York.	
3	Diego Rivera painted this fresco for the	Man at the Crossroads
	Rockefeller Center. Because it showed Lenin,	
	Nelson Rockefeller ordered its destruction	
	before it was completed, and it was repainted in	
	Mexico as Man, Controller of the Universe.	

## **Question #24: Fine Arts – Art History**

This	s painting's left side shows Willy Lott's	
cott	age.	
1	Name this 1821 painting whose title object is	The <b>Hay Wain</b>
	being pulled in the River Stour.	
2	The Hay Wain is by this artist. He also painted	John <u>Constable</u>
	several canvasses showing Salisbury Cathedral.	
3	This other painter depicted an enormous	Hieronymus <u>Bosch</u> [or
	haywain in a 1516 triptych ["TRIP-tick"].	Jheronimus <u>van Aken</u> ]



## **Question #25: Social Studies – U.S. History**

10 points per part

Thi	s labor organization had its membership drop	
afte	r an 1886 strike by cigar makers and the	
Hay	market Square riots.	
1	Name this once-powerful group that was	(Noble and Holy Order of
	started by Uriah Smith Stephens.	the) Knights of Labor
2	Many of the unions that left the Knights of Labor joined this other organization. This group merged with the Congress of Industrial Organizations in 1955.	American Federation of Labor or AFL [accept AFL-CIO or equivalents]
3	Hundreds of thousands of Knights of Labor workers struck against the Union Pacific and Missouri Pacific railroads, which were both owned by this person.	Jay Gould

## **Question #26: Social Studies – U.S. History**

This	s small town is the county seat of Neshoba.	
1	Name this town where the civil rights workers James Chaney, Andrew Goodman, and Mickey Schwerner were released from prison just before being killed by a mob in an incident called "Mississippi Burning".	Philadelphia, Mississippi
2	This person, who directed the FBI from 1935 to 1972, was criticized for his handling of the investigation, though an informant eventually told the FBI where the bodies were buried.	J(ohn) Edgar <u>Hoover</u>
3	The three workers were part of Freedom Summer, which was an effort to take advantage of the 24th Amendment. Name the policy that was banned by the 24th Amendment.	<pre>poll taxes [or tax on voting or equivalent; prompt on tax]</pre>



## **Question #27: Mathematics – Algebra**

10 points per part

A	function is continuous at a point if it is defined	
at	that point, and this property is defined and	
eq	uals the value at that point.	
1	Name this property that a function may have	$\underline{\mathbf{limit}}(s)$ or $\underline{\mathbf{limit}}$ ing value
	at a point, or as its input approaches positive or	[accept <b>converge</b> nce or
	negative infinity.	<b>converge</b> nt value]
2	Some limits are found using this theorem in	squeeze theorem [accept
	which a function is bounded above by one	sandwich theorem or
	function and below by another, and the	<b>pinch</b> theorem]
	bounding functions have the same limit.	
3	Find the limit, as $x$ approaches infinity, of the	<u>0</u>
	sine of $x$ divided by $x$ . That limit can be	
	evaluated using the squeeze theorem.	

## **Question #28: Mathematics – Algebra**

The	re are several ways to solve a system of linear	
equa	ations.	
1	One way is to form a matrix containing the coefficients of the equations, as well as the equations' constant terms. Such a matrix is known by this name.	augmented matrix
2	Performing Gaussian elimination on a matrix puts it into this form in which the leading coefficient of each row is to the right of all the leading coefficients in higher-up rows.	(reduced) row- <u>echelon</u> form [or <u>row-reduced</u> form; prompt on (r) <u>ref</u> or <u>reduce</u> d form]
3	Find the value of $x$ in the system of the following two equations: $3x + 5y = 7$ and $2x - 5y = 13$ .	x = 4 [accept  (4, -1)]



#### Round 4 5th Section Toss-up Questions

#### **Question #29: Social Studies – World History**

10 points

There is disagreement as to whether this leader's advisor Damon was expelled for using music to control behavior, or for convincing this person to pay juries. This person tried unsuccessfully to prosecute one of his rivals for bribery, but that rival was later ostracized after a failed attempt to help Sparta. This person came to power after the assassination of his mentor Ephialtes [eff-ee-AL-teez] and the ostracism of Cimon ["Simon"]. This person introduced a law stating that citizenship would only be given to people with two Athenian parents. Name this leader praised by Thucydides [thoo-SID-ih-deez], who supported the reconstruction of the Acropolis [uh-KRAH-puh-liss].

Pericles
["PAIR"-ih-kleez]

## **Question #30: Science – Physics**

10 points

These types of laws are used to limit Gell-Mann's Totalitarian Principle from stating that in the many-worlds interpretation, all processes are compulsory. Local versions of these types of laws are called continuity equations. This type of law applies to the difference between baryon number and lepton number, but not the individual values. Each law of this type must be associated with a physical symmetry according to Noether's [NOY-tur'z] theorem. Two prominent examples of these laws were combined by the concept of mass-energy equivalence. Name these laws stating that total values of certain quantities in a system, such as momentum and angular momentum, cannot change.

conservation laws or laws
of conservation [accept
answers containing
conserve, prompt on
continuity equations
before they are mentioned]



## Round 4 5th Section Toss-up Questions

#### **Question #31: Literature – U.S. Literature**

10 points

When aiding the ill governor, this character was	Hester Prynne [accept
described as "a rightful inmate, into the household	either]
that was darkened by trouble". She is buried in the	
cemetery next to where King's Chapel has since	
been built. One woman says that at the very least	
this character should have had her forehead	
branded. When threatened with the loss of her	
child, this character proclaims "Ye shall not take	
her! I will die first!". At the beginning, middle, and	
end of the novel she is in, she stands on a scaffold.	
Name this wife of Roger Chillingworth in Nathaniel	
Hawthorne's The Scarlet Letter.	

## **Question #32: Mathematics – Math Concepts**

This person tried to improve upon Gottlob Frege's	Bertrand (Arthur William)
[FRAY-guh'z] theories by developing a ramified	Russell
theory of types that uses the axiom of reducibility.	
The concept of set classes was introduced in an	
attempt to avoid the paradox named for this	
mathematician. This person and his former teacher	
wrote a book that included a very detailed proof	
that $1 + 1 = 2$ , but which was weakened by ideas	
Kurt Gödel ["girdle"] developed. This person's	
letter to Frege included the aforementioned paradox	
named for this person, which incorporates the idea	
of a set containing all sets that are not members of	
themselves. Name this mathematician and	
philosopher who worked with Alfred North	
Whitehead on <i>Principia Mathematica</i> .	



# Round 4 Extra Section Toss-up Questions

## Extra Question #1: Social Studies – U.S. History

10 points

Before coming to America, William Mead and this	William <u>Penn</u>
person were arrested for inciting a riot. This person	
wrote the book No Cross, No Crown. Before the	
Founding Fathers, this person wrote the first	
constitution that included an amendment process.	
After leaving America, this man convinced King	
James II to make a Declaration of Indulgence	
promoting religious freedom. He was unable to stay	
long in America because of a border dispute with	
Lord Baltimore. In order to pay off a debt owed by	
King Charles II to this man's father, he was given	
Delaware and a colony named after his father.	
Name this Quaker.	

## Extra Question #2: Science – Physics

This person and Hendrika Johanna van Leeuwen	Niels (Henrik David) Bohr
[hen-DREE-kah yoh-HAH-anh van LAY-oh-wen]	[ <u>"bore"</u> ]
independently concluded that classical physics	
cannot explain magnetic properties of materials.	
This person's work was improved by the	
Sommerfeld-Wilson quantization condition of the	
action integral. This scientist was able to derive a	
value for the Rydberg [rid-BERG] constant starting	
from his postulates, which included the creation of	
radiation during state transitions. This person	
engaged in famous discussions over the nature of	
quantum theory with Albert Einstein, in which this	
person defended his Copenhagen interpretation.	
Name this scientist whose model of the atom puts	
electrons in discrete orbits and is fairly accurate for	
the hydrogen atom.	



# Round 4 Extra Section Toss-up Questions

## Extra Question #3: Fine Arts – Art History

10 points

This person claimed to have studied painting under	John James <u>Audubon</u>
Jacques-Louis David [zhahk loo-ee dah-veed], but	
that was probably a lie. One of his goals was to	
surpass the work of Alexander Wilson. After this	
person died in 1851, his family and John Bachman	
completed a book of illustrations he was working	
on, Viviparous Quadrupeds of North America. This	
person had to travel to England and Ireland to get	
his illustrations published, though they were all set	
in the United States. Some of the animals he drew	
are now extinct, and a prominent conservation	
society is named after him. Name this person who	
created the book The Birds of America.	

## Extra Question #4: Literature – U.S. Literature

The river named for this region has Frenchman's	Yoknapatawpha County
Bend along its banks. Malcolm Cowley requested	
the first official map to be drawn of this location.	
The Tallahatchie River forms the northern border	
of this area, where a golf club was sold so that one	
resident could go to Harvard. In "Barn Burning", a	
judge jokes that anyone from this location who is	
named for Colonel Sartoris "can't help but tell the	
truth". This location was based on Lafayette	
County, and its seat is the town of Jefferson. Name	
this fictional county created by William Faulkner.	



# Round 4 Extra Section Toss-up Questions

#### Extra Question #5: Mathematics – Math Concepts

10 points

The area of a regular polygon with this many sides equals the side length squared times  $6+3\sqrt{3}$  ["6 plus 3 root 3"]. In a regular polygon with this many sides, the apothem [AP-uh-thum] length equals the side length times  $1+\frac{1}{2}\sqrt{3}$  ["1 plus one-half times root 3"]. This is the smallest two-digit highly composite number, since it is the smallest number with six factors. The Platonic solid with this number of faces has faces that are pentagons. Both octahedrons and cubes have this many edges. Give this number, the number of faces of a dodecahedron [do-DEK-uh-HEE-drun] and the number of sides of a dodecagon [do-DEK-uh-gahn].

12 [prompt on dodecagon or dodecahedron]



## Extra Question #6: Literature – U.S. Literature

10 points per part

In t	his novel, several characters investigate a	
mys	terious device called the Schwarzgerät	
[shv	arts-gair-et].	
1	Name this book in which Tyrone Slothrop's	Gravity's Rainbow
	sexual encounters parallel wartime attacks.	
2	The Schwarzgerät is a black device installed in one of these weapons with the serial number 00000.	V-2 rockets [accept either underlined portion]
3	Slothrop's movements are investigated by this organization, whose members are "concerned with a rather strictly defined, clinical version of truth".	PISCES ["pie-sees"] [or Psychological Intelligence Schemes for Expediting Surrender]

## Extra Question #7: Literature – U.S. Literature

This	s 90-year-old supposedly dared Stonewall	
Jack	kson's troops to shoot her, and on his orders,	
they	stood down.	
1	Name this woman who, in the poem named for	Barbara Frietchie
	her, waves the Union flag at oncoming	[accept either]
	Confederate troops.	
2	This author wrote "Barbara Frietchie", and	John Greenleaf Whitter
	described stories told by people sitting around a	
	fireplace in "Snow-Bound".	
3	The poem takes place in this city. The poem	Frederick town
	concludes that "ever the stars above look down	
	/ On thy stars below in" this place.	



## Extra Question #8: Science - Biology

10 points per part

The	name for this group of animals means "to	
chev	v again".	
1	Name these animals that pass their food	<u>ruminant</u> s
	through their first two stomachs to form a cud,	
	chew their cud, and then pass it through their	
	other two stomachs.	
2	This is the fourth chamber in a ruminant's	<u>abomasum</u>
	stomach. It secretes rennet and is homologous	$[{\color{red}{ab ext{-}oh ext{-}MAY ext{-}sum}}]$ [or
	[huh-MAH-luh-guss] to the stomachs of	abomasa; prompt on
	non-ruminants.	maw]
3	This section of the large intestine exists in	colon
	many vertebrates, going from the cecum	
	[SEE-kum] to the rectum. In ruminants, the	
	ascending part of this organ has a spiral shape.	

## Extra Question #9: Science – Biology

This	s system prevents predators from attacking	
dan	gerous prey. It is the opposite of camouflage,	
thou	ugh some organisms use both methods.	
1	Name this phenomenon in which organisms use	aposematism or
	a "warning system" like bright colors to signify	aposematic coloring
	that they are dangerous.	
2	Some safe prey take advantage of other animals'	mimicry [MIM-ik-ree]
	aposematism via the Batesian form of this type	
	of relationship between species.	
3	This type of mimicry involves members of the	<u>automimic</u> ry
	same species. For example, predators avoid	
	male wasps, which are harmless, because male	
	wasps resemble female wasps.	