

## Guerrilla History

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### Editor's Packet 1

1. **The cover of these objects features a green label saying "Northwestern Mutual Audubon," as well as various hand-drawn stars. The creator of these objects said he was inspired by his father, "a very organized guy," who made similar objects. Sheldon Whitehouse held up one of these objects while explaining what the word (\*) "skis" meant. One of these objects prominently features the text "BEACH WEEK," mentions seeing *Rocky III*, and was offered to counter the accusations of Christine Blasey Ford. For 10 points, name these objects which a Supreme Court nominee provided in 2018 to show a very detailed accounting of his activities as a youth.**

ANSWER: Brett **Kavanaugh's calendar** [do not accept "Kavanaugh's yearbook"]

<Mike Cheyne>

2. **Heretical Christian members of this ethnicity that prized martyrdom formed violent bands called Circumcellions. An author of this ethnicity presented an *Apology* in Sabratha against accusations of using witchcraft to woo a wealthy woman. After aiding the Romans at the Battle of the Great Plains, one king of this ethnicity captured (\*) Syphax. Gaius Marius paraded a king of this ethnicity during a triumph after that king's namesake war. For 10 points, name this North African ethnic group that deployed legendary light cavalry under rulers like Masinissa and Jugurtha.**

ANSWER: **Numidians** [accept **Berbers** until "Sabratha," prompt after that] (The author accused of witchcraft was Apuleius)

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3. **A man executed after this event ran a tavern nicknamed "Oswego" and was a cobbler named John Hughson. Because he was an expert in Latin, tutor John Ury was accused of being a Catholic and thus connected to this event. Hysteria arose over this event after a series of 13 fires, including one within the governor's home at Fort George. James Oglethorpe of Georgia wrote a letter to a prosecutor, suggesting that this event could be blamed on (\*) Spanish agents, leading to many accusations and over 100 executions. For 10 points, name this possibly fictitious 1741 incident in which poor whites and blacks supposedly plotted to revolt in a northern city.**

ANSWER: Great **Negro Plot** [or **New York Conspiracy** of 1741; or **New York Plot** of 1741; accept **Conspiracy of 1741** or **Plot of 1741** before "1741"; accept anything that indicates a planned **slave uprising** in **New York** City]

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4. **One member of this family blocked Seretse ("suh-RETT-say") Khama from becoming King of Bechuanaland ("betch-WAHN-uh-land") because he had married a white woman. William Lidderdale bailed out this family after an 1890 panic named for it resulted from Argentina defaulting on its debts. Another member of this family apologized for the Caroline Affair and resolved the Aroostook War in the (\*)**

Webster-Ashburton Treaty. After the 'Urabi revolt, one member of this family administered Egypt as a British protectorate, and his son arrested the Kapenguria Six as Governor of Kenya. For 10 points, identify this family of Lord Cromer that names a banking giant that collapsed under a rogue employee's bad deals in 1995.

ANSWER: **Baring** family [or **Barings Bank**; or Alexander **Baring**; or Evelyn **Baring**, 1<sup>st</sup> Earl of Cromer; or Evelyn **Baring**, 1<sup>st</sup> Baron Howick of Glendale]

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5. **He's not Puerto Rican, but this president suspended civil liberties after the Carupanazo and Porteñazo, leading to the formation of the FALN guerrilla group. This politician first became president after a coup removed Isaías Medina Angarita, marking the beginning of El Trienio Adecó. With Jóvito Villalba and (\*) Rafael Caldera, this leader committed to respecting election results in the Puntofijo Pact with his Democratic Action party. This leader's namesake doctrine denied recognition to undemocratic governments, leading to an attempt on his life by Rafael Trujillo. For 10 points, name this "Father of Venezuelan Democracy."**

ANSWER: Rómulo Betancourt

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6. **A man from this city treated Cyrus the Great's sprained ankle and later escaped from his retinue at Tarentum. A famous resident from this city had his house set on fire by Cylon and was later defeated by another resident, Timasitheus. A school in this city was set up by (\*) Pythagoras. The most famous person from this city was only eclipsed by a shepherd named Titormus. That man could supposedly burst a band around his head by inflating his veins and died when wolves devoured him as his arms were stuck in a tree. For ten points, name this home city of the wrestler Milo.**

ANSWER: Croton [or Crotona]

<Matthew Lehmann>

7. **They're not Jesuits, but this movement's chief proponent was accused of sympathy for the alumbrados because of similarities in his *Spiritual Guide*, and Pope Innocent XI condemned this movement in the bull *Coelestis Pastor*. Madame de Maintenon's doubts about her teacher in this movement led to an intellectual dispute over the *Maxims of the Saints* between its author François Fénelon and Jacques-Bénigne Bossuet. That dispute began over the writings of (\*) Madame Guyon, though this movement's founder was Miguel de Molinos. For 10 points, name this late 17<sup>th</sup>-century Christian movement that emphasized contemplation and passivity.**

ANSWER: Quietism [accept word forms]

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8. **After joining the army, this man played midfielder for Olympique de Marseilles while posted to France. This leader advanced the Tripoli Program and the policy of autogestion, and was ousted by a member of the Oujda group. Dismayed by this man's dictatorial tendencies, Mohammad Kider and Ferhat Abbas resigned during his time in power. This leader came to power after a war in which (\*) telephones were converted into torture devices. This man's attempt to remove Abdelaziz Bouteflika resulted in a coup by Houari Boumédiène. For 10 points, name this first President of Algeria.**

ANSWER: Ahmed Ben Bella

<Matthew Lehmann>

9. **The earliest members of this movement used the slogan "judgement belongs to God alone" and became known as the Muhakkima. While masquerading as a Zaydi, Ali ibn Muhammad of the Zanj Rebellion preached the egalitarian doctrines of this movement. Ibn Wahb al-Rasibi led this group into their massive defeat at Nahrawan. The Ibadis of Oman descend from this movement, which withdrew after the Battle of (\*) Siffin when the Caliph Ali agreed to arbitration with Muawiyah ("moo-AH-wee-yah"). A member of this school wielding a poisoned sword killed Ali while he was praying. For 10 points, name this early Islamic sect that broke away during the First Fitna.**

ANSWER: Kharijites [or Khara'ij; or Al-Khawarij; or Kharijism; or Ash-Shura]

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10. **This group coordinated with U.S. and U.K. special forces to incite an insurrection among residents during the 2001 siege of Herat. In 2011, a commander of this group was convicted for attempting to assassinate Adel al-Jubeir, the Saudi ambassador to the United States. It's not Hezbollah or Hamas, but in 2018 this force fired twenty (\*) rockets into Israel from its position on the Golan Heights under the direction of Qassem Soleimani.** For 10 points, identify this extraterritorial arm of Iran's Islamic Revolutionary Guards Corps that shares its name with the Islamic word for Jerusalem.

ANSWER: **Quds** Force [prompt on Takavaran or Iranian Special Forces; prompt on Islamic Revolutionary Guard Corps; prompt on Armed Forces of Iran or equivalents]

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11. **During an election, this man was the target of a letter calling him "a bad Jew" for marrying a Gentile. His namesake amendment to the McCain-Feingold Bill restricted the ability of nonprofits to run election advertisements. This politician wrote the autobiography *Conscience of a Liberal* and was the only senator up for reelection to vote against (\*) George W. Bush's war in Iraq. This man's highly partisan, pep rally-like memorial service at Williams Arena caused Jesse Ventura to walk out in protest and may have led to Walter Mondale losing an election.** For 10 points, name this Minnesota senator who died in a 2002 plane crash.

ANSWER: Paul David **Wellstone**

<Mike Cheyne>

12. **The specific fact that *bricks* were discovered in the clothing of a man hanging from Blackfriars Bridge in 1982 is claimed to be a symbolic clue indicating this institution's involvement in the murder. Public awareness of this institution grew after a list of 962 members were found during a 1981 police raid on a villa. The discovery of this "shadow government" led to Prime Minister Arnaldo (\*) Forlani resigning.** Besides the Vatican, this was the institution that "God's Banker" Roberto Calvi had ties to during the Banco Ambrosiano scandal. Silvio Berlusconi was a member of--for 10 points--what clandestine, ultraright pseudo-Masonic Italian lodge?

ANSWER: **Propaganda Due** [or **P2**; do not accept or prompt on the "Vatican"]

<Mike Cheyne>

13. **This city's namesake school of economic thought emphasized underconsumptionist theory and opposed the gold standard. This city's residents attacked Dissenters in riots named for Joseph Priestley, who was a member of its Lunar Society along with Matthew Boulton and James Watt. During the Days of May, Thomas Attwood championed the (\*) Great Reform Act at the head of a political union named for this city. "Municipal socialism" was introduced by mayor Joseph Chamberlain to this city located next to the coal-heavy Black Country.** For 10 points, name this once-thriving industrial city of England's Midlands.

ANSWER: **Birmingham**

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14. **This company was convicted for attempting to monopolize public transportation in their namesake "streetcar conspiracy." While testifying on his nomination to be Eisenhower's Secretary of Defense, a CEO of this company declared "what's good for our country is good for [this company], and vice versa." Ralph Nader emphasized the dangers of this company's (\*) Corvair model in *Unsafe at Any Speed*. Frank Murphy mediated between the UAW and this corporation during the 1936 Flint sit-down strike.** For 10 points, name this Big Three automaker that competes with Ford and Chrysler.

ANSWER: **General Motors** Company [or **GM**; anti-prompt on Chevrolet with "Chevrolet is a division of which company?"]

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15. A genre of Bollywood films named for these people is exemplified by *Mother India*. One group of these people in South India were called Phansigars due to their usage of handkerchiefs. Gabbar Singh led some of these people in Chambal Valley. After serving as Ali Pasha's bodyguard, Georgios Karaiskakis returned to this profession. "Noble," "primitive resistance," and "avenger" types of the (\*) "social" form of this profession were examined by Eric Hobsbawm. Along with the Armatoloi, Greeks in this profession fought the brunt of the Greek War of Independence. For 10 points, name these people like dacoits and klephts who operate outside the law. ANSWER: bandits [or Thuggee; or dacoits before mention; or klephts before mention; or highwaymen; or outlaws; or robbers; prompt on soldiers; prompt on thief and similar answers that do not imply violence; prompt on criminals and similar less specific answers]

<Paul Lee>

16. This man's father was a Confederate physician who pushed heavily for cities to enact public bathhouse legislation. During World War I, this "Lone Wolf of Wall Street" succeeded Daniel Willard as chair of the War Industries Board. It's not George Orwell, but in a speech written by Herbert Bayard Swope this man first labeled the American-Soviet conflict as the (\*) "Cold War." This man's modifications to the Acheson-Lilienthal Report led the Soviet Union to veto his namesake nuclear arms control plan in the UN. For 10 points, name this Jewish-American financier who names a CUNY constituent college.

ANSWER: Bernard Baruch

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17. Inmates produced dye from this commodity in the monopoly-holding Rasphuis ("RASP-haus") prison in Amsterdam. Admiral Nicolas Durand de Villegaignon ("VEE-gahn-yaw") settled Huguenots in the colony of France Antarctique in order to acquire this commodity. François Tourte pioneered the use of this commodity in the craft of (\*) bow making. Fernão de Loronha received the first charter to exploit this commodity from King Manuel I. For 10 points, name this timber that names a South American country once ruled by Portugal.

ANSWER: brazilwood [or Pernambuco wood; or Pau-brasil; or Paubrasilia echinata]

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18. One thinker with this surname authored a "Second Look at Dr. X" in response to George Kennan's "Sources of Soviet Conduct." That thinker with this surname used the Open Door Notes to build on the frontier thesis in his *The Tragedy of American Diplomacy*. That historian of the "Wisconsin School", William (\*) Appleman, shared this surname with a man who wrote a book printed by George Dexter about peoples such as the Pequot and the Wampanoag. Often credited with popularizing the word moccasin, for ten points, name this surname of the author of *A Key into the Language of America*, a founder of Rhode Island.

ANSWER: Williams [or William Appleman Williams; or Roger Williams]

<Matthew Lehmann>

19. This man was pleased when his daughter informed him that their family dog had died because the dog had the same name as an enemy king. This man dropped his pants in front of Galba in order to show his riding scars. After his most famous victory, this general created a monument to himself in front of the Temple of Apollo at Delphi. This man allowed the son of Scipio Africanus to adopt one of his own sons, who would go on to raze the city of Carthage. This man's children were tutored by (\*) Polybius, who became a Roman hostage during this man's campaigns. For ten points, name this general who defeated Perseus of Macedon at the Battle of Pydna.

ANSWER: Lucius Aemilius Paullus Macedonicus

<Matthew Lehmann>

20. **Enthusiasm for this custom waned after Thomas Cook took advantage of industrial technology to make it widely accessible. Practitioners of this custom often hired a “cicerone” (“sis-uh-ROW-nee”) or “bear-leader” to guide them. The foppish “macaronis” had their origins in behavior adopted while undertaking this custom. This custom often involved the purchase of (\*) Canaletto vedute (“veh-doo-tay”) or Piranesi etchings. James Boswell and Lord Byron published tales of their performance of this custom, which included standard visits to Venice and Rome. For 10 points, name this coming-of-age European trip customary for 18<sup>th</sup>-century aristocrats.**  
ANSWER: The **Grand Tour** [prompt on descriptions of touring Europe; prompt on tourism]  
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21. **Karl Landsteiner of Rhesus factor fame was the first person to observe the causative agent of this disease under a dark-field microscope. Ludwik Fleck discussed the identification of this disease using an antibody test while introducing his theory of thought collectives. Guaiacum wood was imported from Santo Domingo to treat this disease on the dime of the Fugger family. (\*) Paracelsus hypothesized that this disease was a result of interaction between a Spanish prostitute and a leper. For 10 points, name this venereal disease thought to have reached Europe through the Columbian Exchange.**  
ANSWER: **syphilis**  
<Paul Lee>

22. **A Portuguese flotilla fought the Red Flag Fleet at the mouth of this river in the Battle of the Tiger’s Mouth. The Broadway expedition up this river succeeded because of the shallow hull construction of the “devil ship.” This river played host to a lucrative trade monopolized by the merchants of the *cohong*, and the (\*) Thirteen Factories were located on its banks. Two of the first Special Economic Zones were established in this river’s populous delta region. In 1839, over 20,000 chests of opium were dissolved in this river at Humen by imperial drug czar Lin Zexu. For 10 points, name this river whose delta “megacity” includes the cities of Shenzhen and Guangzhou, a major river in Guangdong.**  
ANSWER: **Pearl** River [or Canton River; or **Zhu** Jiang; or **Yue** Jiang; prompt on Xi, Dong, or Bei Rivers] (The “devil ship” is the *HMS Nemesis*)  
<Nitin Rao>

23. **Several analysts believe this event was caused by a man’s attempt to impress neighbor and mistress Marjorie Gillespie. A ludicrous Anthony Grey book claims this event happened because the ASIO had discovered a spy’s identity. After this event, Country Party leader John McEwen formed a caretaker government until the (\*) Liberal Party found a new leader. The most outlandish theories about this event claim the CIA was involved to prevent a country from pulling out of Vietnam or that the man involved made contact with a Chinese submarine. For 10 points, identify this December 1967 event which abruptly ended the tenure of an Australian prime minister.**  
ANSWER: the **disappearance** of Harold **Holt** [or **drowning** of Harold **Holt**; or **death** of Harold **Holt**]  
<Mike Cheyne>

24. **One man with this name wrote about the story of Thiadrich, and that man noted that during his time the Milky Way was called “Iring’s Street.” Wilhelm Hubotter designed a Nazi memorial to a man of this name, commemorating the massacre of his people. Another man with this name supposedly owned a namesake book that contained four of the Magdeburg Ivories and was an illuminated manuscript from the (\*) Ottonian Renaissance. One man with this name wrote a life of Otto the Great, while another was killed in the massacre of Verdun. For ten points, give this name shared by a historian from Corvey and a Saxon leader who fought against Charlemagne.**  
ANSWER: **Widukind**  
<Matthew Lehmann>

25. A Philipp Veit painting hung over this organization's proceedings in St. Paul's Church. The first incidence of Shicksalstag ("SHICK-sul-stawg") saw one member of this organization, Robert Blum, executed for participation in the Vienna Uprising. The Malmö truce fomented "September Unrest" that led to the deaths of two members of the Casino faction of this organization for their position on the (\*)

Schleswig-Holstein Question. Frederick William IV rejected an offer from this organization, claiming he would not pick up "a crown from the gutter." The Vormärz culminated in this organization's namesake constitution and this legislature was a product of the March Revolution. For 10 points, name this 1848 pan-German parliament named for a Hessian city.

ANSWER: Frankfurt Parliament [accept Frankfurt after "parliament"] (The painting in the first line is *Germania*)

<Nitin Rao>

26. José Gervasio Artigas adopted a caudillo of this ethnicity, Andrés Guaçurary, who led troops of this ethnic group for the Federalist League. The epic poem *O Uruguai* describes the suffering of one of these people's leaders. The 1750 Treaty of Madrid mandated the relocation of seven settlements of members of this ethnic group, leading to their revolt under (\*) Sepé Tiaraju in a war named for them. Many members of this ethnic group escaped slavery by populating the Jesuit Reductions in the Eastern Missions. For 10 points, name this indigenous ethnicity whose language still dominates Paraguay.

ANSWER: Guaraní

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27. This man died after trying to get past Frank Reid and other guards to interrupt a meeting of the Committee of 101. This founder of the Tivoli Club wrote to Porfirio Diaz proposing that he send a foreign legion to fight in Mexico. This man's nickname refers to a common action he would perform, in which he set up a display case on a street corner and auctioned off (\*) certain objects supposedly wrapped in money, all of which went to planted shills. He died in the so-called "shootout at Juneau Wharf," ending this man's time as a notorious saloon owner in Skagway. For 10 points, name this con artist in Denver and Alaska who was nicknamed "Soapy."

ANSWER: Jefferson Randolph "Soapy" Smith II [prompt on "Soapy"]

<Mike Cheyne>

28. An island located off this city was supposedly the site of the Well of Eratosthenes. That island located off this city was also where the Famine Stela was found. This city, formerly called Swenett, exported syenite rock. In this modern day city, Adrian Dansinos began a project that contained the Philae Tunnel. Harold Edwin Hurst championed an industrial project on this city's river, which forced the (\*) relocation of a twin temple complex upstream. The island of Elephantine is in, for 10 points, which city whose namesake high dam flooded the former site of Abu Simbel.

ANSWER: Aswan [or Swenett or Syene before mentioned]

<Matthew Lehmann>

29. **This event was started by Jean O'Leary and psychologist Robert Eichberg, who founded "The Experience" workshop. Its date was chosen as the anniversary of a 1987 march on Washington. In 1995, this event was coordinated by Candace Gingrich, the half-sister of Newt, and since 1990, it has been held in conjunction with the Human Rights Campaign. This event has used such slogans as (\*) "Talk About It" and "Conversations from the Heart." Its logo was designed by Keith Haring and features a yellow figure jubilantly walking out of a dark room. For 10 points, name this October 11th awareness day encouraging people to openly declare a LGBT identity.**

ANSWER: National **Coming Out** Day

<Mike Cheyne>

30. **The Umpila language of some of these peoples incorporates a sign language because of the prohibition on men and their mothers-in-law speaking in each other's presence. 50,000-year-old cremated remains of a member of these peoples have been found at Lake Mungo. Islamic influence may have spread to these people through Makassan trepang catchers. These peoples transmitted their history with instruments like the bullroarer at corroborees. (\*) Rhys Jones dubbed these peoples' ecological management techniques "fire-stick farming." Rock art by these people depict Daramulum and the Rainbow Serpent. For 10 points, name these natives who domesticated the dingo and hunted with boomerangs.**

ANSWER: **Aboriginal Australians** [or **Aborigines**; or **Indigenous Australians**; prompt on **Australians**;  
anti-prompt on **Eora** or other specific tribes]

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## **Tie-Breakers**

**The House of the Thrania was found in this location. The Fresco of the Blue Monkeys was found in this location. Xeste 3 is a key site in this location at which a non-Chinese event occurred described as three suns in the Bamboo Annals of the Song dynasty. A fresco depicting flowers during the title season appears in this location called the Spring Fresco. A gold ibex was the only gold object at this location. In this location a fresco called the (\*) Boxing fresco is located near two antelopes. For ten points name this civilization that was destroyed by a volcanic eruption, a Minoan colony on the island of Santorini.**

ANSWER: **Akrotiri** [prompt on the **Theran** Civilization; prompt on **Santorini** before mention]

<Matthew Lehmann>

**During nationalization of this good, the "General of Hope" swept out corruption with his broom. Le Grand Minería was the site of production of this good. This commodity was mined at La Exotica. This commodity was nationalized under the (\*) Codelco company in a country where the process of nationalization was started by Carlos Ibañez de Campo through negotiated nationalization. The For ten points, name this commodity, of which Chile has over a third of the world's supply, some of which was purchased by the Anaconda company in America.**

ANSWER: **copper**

<Matthew Lehmann>