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Tossups
by Tom Waters

1. He was born in the year 5585 and died in 5660. He was ordained a priest in 5605, was made Bishop of Meath in 5625, and archbishop of Armagh four years later. For 10 points, name this Irish prelate who reckoned the creation from 4004 B.C.

James Ussher

2. The order Carnivora contains over 239 different species. One of these carnivores is almost exclusively herbivorous, however. For 10 points, identify this relative of the raccoon, whose finicky taste is for tender bamboo.

Panda (Great or lesser)

3. Its technical name is the S.D.I. or strategic defense initiative, but opposing sides have given it two-word nicknames. The administration prefers "high frontier." What does everyone else call it, for 10 points?

Star Wars

4. Most losing candidates have the consolation of family support. But when John Fremont ran for President in 1856, he didn't even get the vote of his father-in-law, a five-term Democratic Senator from Missouri. For 10 points, name Fremont's father-in-law.

Thomas Hart Benton

5. It could be called the Cradle of War, because it has been the scene of conflict since the dawn of history. It contains fully half of its country's arable land, sandwiched between the Orontes and the Litani Rivers. For 10 points, name this valley bordered by the Lebanon Mountains.

Bekka Valley (al-Biqā)

6. Located 75 miles south of Yakima Indian Reservation and just 15 miles east of the Warm Springs Reservation, it is itself a type of Indian settlement. For 10 points, name this town, formerly Antelope, whose inhabitants follow the Baghwan.

Rajneesh-puram

7. When present in the lower animals they are called oviducts. For 10 points, what name is given to the oviducts in humans?

Fallopian Tubes

8. ✓ Trinity College in Dublin receives a copy of every book published in the British Isles. The single most valuable volume in its collection is an 8th century illuminated Gospel from the monastery of Iona. For 10 points, what name is given to this book?

Book of Kells

9. ✓ The release of this film in 1938 was seen as a warning to Nazi Germany because of the theme, that of turning back invaders. After the Molotov-Ribbentrop Pact, it was pulled from circulation. For 10 points, name this classic by Sergei Eisenstein with music by Prokofiev.

Alexander Nevsky

10. ✓ The Erie Canal was begun in 1817; the B&O Railroad was started in 1828. The cornerstone of the Washington Monument was laid in 1850; the Philippines achieved independence in 1946, and Hawaii became a state in 1960. For 10 points, on what date did all these events occur? 59

July 4th

11. ✓ John Kennedy was Senator from 1952 to 1960. Now, another JFK holds that seat. For 10 points, identify the recently elected junior Senator from Massachusetts.

John F. Kerry

12. ✓ Its compounds are rated as high as $9\frac{1}{2}$ on the Mohs scale, making them the second hardest minerals. It is a semi-metal of Group IIIa on the Periodic Table. For 10 points, name this durable element number 5.

Boron

13. ✓ The first shots of the Civil War were fired on Fort Sumter. For 10 points, what was begun by shots from the battleship Aurora in 1917?

Bolshevik or October Revolution

14. ✓ In 1746 Handel composed "See the Conquering Hero Comes" in honor of the victorious Duke of Cumberland, who had just routed the Young Pretender in the last battle on English soil. For 10 points, what battle?

Culloden Moor

15. Discovered in 1502 by Vasco de Gama, they have been dubbed Africa's answer to the Hawaiian Islands. Independent since 1976, this nation contains only one major town, the capital Victoria. For 10 points, identify this former British possession in the Indian Ocean.

Seychelles

16. She planned to found a convent in Asia, but Pope Leo XIII commanded her to "go west, not east." She established 67 houses in the New World, one for every year of her life. For 10 points, name this first U.S. citizen to be canonized.

St. Francis Xavier Cabrini

17. Cyanosis does not occur. As a matter of fact, the blood becomes a bright, cherry-red color. Nevertheless, death results from oxygen-deprivation in the tissues. For 10 points, what kind of poisoning is caused by this substance's hyper-affinity for hemoglobin?

Carbon Monoxide poisoning

18. He was recently pensioned with the munificent sum of 80 Pounds a year, plus a cask of wine. For 10 points, name this husband of Sylvia Plath, who succeeded Betjeman as poet-laureate of England.

Ted Hughes

19. 3M replaced Anaconda in 1976. In 1979 Chrysler and Esmark were dropped to make room for IBM and Merck. The last change was in 1982 when American Express replaced the struggling Manville Company. For 10 points, name this closely watched index of thirty New York Exchange Stocks.

Dow Jones Industrials

20. For 10 points, which Shakespearean play was supposedly written at the express command of Queen Elizabeth, who had wished to see Falstaff in love?

The Merry Wives of Windsor

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Bonuses
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1. (30 points) For 10 points apiece, identify the following father-son pairs who shared the same first and last names:

- a. The father was Secretary of Agriculture under Harding and Coolidge, the son under FDR.

Henry Wallace

- b. The father sponsored the National Labor Relations Act; the son was mayor of New York City.

Robert Wagner

- c. The father introduced the Italian sonnet into English literature; the son led an unsuccessful rebellion against Mary I.

Thomas Wyatt

2. (25 points) The Babylonian Captivity of the Papacy lasted from 1309 to 1377 and encompassed the reigns of seven Popes. For 25 points, name any one.

Clement V or VI, John XXII, Benedict XII
Innocent VI, Urban V, Gregory XI

3. (20 points) As a catcher in the Big Leagues, Cornelius McGillicuddy shortened his name so that it would fit on a scoreboard. He kept the shortened form as manager of the Philadelphia Athletics from 1901 to 1950, a period in which he won and lost more games than any other manager in history. For 20 points, name this "grand old man" of baseball.

Connie Mack

4. (20 points) For 5 points apiece, 20 if you get all three, name the planet which had the largest number of known natural satellites in these years:

- a. 1600 Earth (1)

- b. 1700 Jupiter (4)

- c. 1984 Saturn (21+)

5. (20 points) You probably recognize the name David Garrick, Richard Burbage, Edwin Booth, and Edmund Kean as Shakespearean actors. But, for 20 points, all or none, can you put them in chronological order? Note: none were contemporaries.

Burbage, Garrick, Kean, Booth
(d. 1619), (d. 1779), (d. 1833), (d. 1893)

6. (30 points) Your clues to the identity of this artist will be titles of three of his paintings. Thirty points if you name him after one, twenty after two, ten points if you need all three.

- a. "Hospital Corridor at St. Remy"
- b. "The Potato Eaters"
- c. "Self Portrait With Pipe and Bandaged Ear"

Vincent Van Gogh

7. (25 points) Read slowly. Write down a sequence of seven fours. To the first add 0×3 , to the second add 1×3 , to the third 2×3 , to the fourth 4×3 , and so on, continuing to double the multiplier of 3. Now, divide each result by ten.

- a. If you have followed directions, the series in front of you represents what physical approximation?

Approximate distance, in astronomical units, of the first seven planets from the sun

- b. For another 15 points, what is this "law" in astronomy called?

Titus-Bode Law or Bode's Law

8. (25 points) Everyone is familiar with Europe's largest countries. This bonus tests your knowledge of the smallest. For 5 points each, rank Andorra, Monaco, Lichtenstein, San Marino, and Vatican City in order from smallest to largest in area.

Vatican City (0.4 sq. Km)
Monaco (1.9 sq. km)
San Marino (61 sq. km)
Lichtenstein (160 sq. km)
Andorra (453 sq. km)

9. (30 points) Thirty points are yours if you name him after one clue, 20 points after two, 10 if you need all three.

- a. A U.S. Senator from 1936 to 1950, he was nicknamed "Red" by opponents, for his loyalty to FDR's New Deal.
- b. He has served in the House of Representatives since 1962 and holds a seat on the powerful Rules Committee.
- c. His age, 84, qualifies him for the special committee on aging which he heads.

Claude "Red" Pepper

10. (30 points) Your fortunes are looking up after that tossup. This bonus may bring you back down to earth. For 15 points each, identify:

- a. The Mercury astronaut who circled the earth four times in 1962 and, from 1965 to 1967 led the Sealab project, 205 feet under the Pacific.

Malcolm Scott Carpenter

- b. The Swiss Physicist who invented and ascended in the first high-altitude balloon in 1931 and, in 1948, invented the first bathyscaphe, in which his son explored the ocean depths.

Auguste Piccard

11. (30 points) For 10 points apiece, and a wrong answer sends you to the back of the class, who wrote the following:

- a. Tom Brown's School Days Thomas Hughes
b. The School for Scandal Richard Brinsley Sheridan
c. The School for Husbands and
The School for Wives Moliere (J.B. Poquelin)

12. (25 points) He is the less famous of the two great martyrs who refused to recognize Henry VIII as the head of the Church. He was executed two weeks before Sir Thomas More in 1535. In 1886 he and More were beatified, and on the 400th anniversary of their executions, both were canonized. For 25 points, name this humanist and prelate.

Saint John Fisher

13. (25 points) In its current war, Iran is caught between Iraq and a hard place. The Iranian Parliament will undoubtedly play a role in any attempt to quell hostilities.

- a. For 10 points, by what name is the parliament known?

The Majlis

- b. For 15 points, name the man who, as President of Iran, is second only to the Ayatollah Khomeini.

Mohammed Ali Khamenei (common eye)

14. (25 points) We all know the supposed Donation of Constantine was donated by Constantine the Great. But, for 25 points, name the 4th century Pope who was its recipient.

Sylvestre I

15. (20 points) Good things come in small packages. For 10 points each, identify these small countries:

a. the small European country that is the world's leading producer of cork.

Portugal

b. The small, island-nation which mines the most bauxite.

Jamaica

16. (20 points) East London is located at the mouth of the Buffalo River. It is known for its Grand Prix motor race and for its museum, which displays a mounted coelecanth. For 20 points, in what country is the Indian Ocean port of East London?

South Africa

17. (20 points) Watches, calculators, and many more electronic devices make use of LED's and LCD's. For ten points each, what do the letters LED and LCD stand for?

a. LED

Light Emitting Diode

b. LCD

Liquid Crystal Display

18. (25 points) It was said that he so firmly doubted the value of doing anything that he had become one of the fattest men in France. Although trained for the priesthood, he had a crisis of faith and withdrew from the Church. A professor of Hebrew at the College of France, he was suspended for referring to Jesus as "an incomparable man." For 25 points, name this 19th century skeptic, known for his histories of religion.

Ernest Renan

19. (30 points) Thirty points if you identify it after one clue, 20 after two, 10 if you need all three.

a. Emerson called it "The Age of Reason in a patty-pan."

b. Its official name was the Institute of Agriculture and Education.

c. Hawthorne, unable to write there, left after six months, and satirized it in The Blithedale Romance.

Brook Farm

20. (20 points) The Latin Kingdom of Constantinople was an unlikely political entity that survived for only 57 years. For 20 points, name any one year of its existence.

1204 - 1261 (accept any year in thi range)