

College Bowl Tournament Round Number 829*

1. In the 18th century it referred to a three-masted full-rigged vessel with a single gun deck, carrying up to 50 guns. Today, most have been replaced by cruisers. Name this relatively small, swift vessel, the most famous of which was the USS Constitution.
\frigate\
2. It was one of the few cases of a post-WW II Communist uprising that failed. The Hukbalahap Rebellion was suppressed by a combination of US weaponry and administrative reform under Pres. Magsaysay. On what island nation was this Huk uprising defeated?
\Philippines\
3. The same word can designate the acquisition of money by dishonest means, or "living tissue implanted surgically." What is the word?
\graft\
4. He called himself a "fiction factory," as the popularity of his 140 novels will attest. The fat, middle-aged, private detective Bertha Cool was one of his creations, as was crusading District Attorney Doug Selby. Name the creator of the famous Perry Mason.
\Erle Stanley Gardner\
5. (2 answers needed) A slight warping of the sea bottom in the vicinity of the Torres Strait would be sufficient to join the world's second largest island with a nearby continent. Name both landmasses.
\New Guinea and Australia\
6. Joliet and Marquette travelled together. Whom did Father Louis Hennepin accompany on his 1678 expedition from Canada into the American interior?
\LaSalle\
7. The name is from the title of a novel by Ilya Ehrenburg. Ushered in by the death of Stalin in 1953, for 3 years, something close to academic freedom was extended to previously banned writers. Name this period, ended by the Hungarian Revolution in 1956.
\The Thaw\
8. The most famous sculpture by Mateo Alonso is a 26-foot-high statue modeled in bronze from old Argentine cannon. Name this symbol of peace which stands at the border with Chile.
\Christ of the Andes\
9. Of Transkei, Transvaal, Ciskei, and Venda, which is not a South African bantustan or homeland for black tribes?
\Transvaal\
10. The term "survival of the fittest" does not appear in The Origin of Species and, indeed, was not even coined by Darwin. It was first used in a landmark 1864 work entitled Principles of Biology. Name the Darwinist author.
\Herbert Spencer\
11. Most Jews follow the Torah and the Talmud. Some follow the

Zohar, a 13th century text of esoteric mysticism. What name is given to this Jewish mystical movement?

\Kabbala\

12. It has been described as "drying the buttocks with an imaginary towel while grinding out an imaginary cigarette with one foot." Its precursors include the Black Bottom and the Shimmy. Name this dance of the 60s.

\the Twist\

13. Charles Babbage used punch cards as a control mechanism for his calculating machine. Babbage borrowed the idea from a French inventor who devised them to control the weaving of cloth on his new loom. Name this French inventor.

\Joseph Jacquard\

14. In a famous 1890 greeting he wrote, "To Agamemnon, best beloved of sons, greeting! I am very glad that you are going to study Plutarch and have finished Xenophon. I pray Zeus the father and Pallas Athene that they will grant you a hundred returns of the day in health and happiness." Name this old man, just mad about Troy who baptized his children with a copy of the Iliad.

\Heinrich Schliemann\

15. James Maurer, George Nelson, Maynard Kreuger, Darlington Hoopes, and Tucker Smith all ran for vice president of the U.S. They also had the same running-mate. Name the 6-time candidate for President who picked them.

\Norman Thomas\

16. It is the principle that runs quartz clocks and is a means of converting mechanical energy into electrical. Name this effect, discovered by Pierre Curie.

\piezoelectricity\

17. It is known more formally as the Jules Rimet Trophy and has been awarded 12 times since 1930. No team outside Europe and South America has ever won. What is the common name for this quadrennial soccer championship?

\World Cup\

18. They provided the key for deciphering the Rosetta Stone. Name these oval frames which contained the royal names of Cleopatra and Ptolemy.

\cartouches\

19. The volunteer air group known as the Flying Tigers was not named for any animal of the genus Leo. The Tiger's teeth painted on their planes were from a whole different animal--one feared by the Japanese. What?

\tiger shark\

20. Ellery Queen's Mystery Magazine called it the most extreme work of the "guts-gore-and-gals-school" of hard-boiled detective fiction. Name the 1947 novel featuring Mike Hammer, the tough hero of Mickey Spillane's works.

\I, the Jury\

1. (20 pts) The Air Force Academy and the US Military Academy are headed by Lieutenant Generals with virtually identical names.
a. The Air Force head whose name is the same as the commander of the US army at the outbreak of the Civil War, until age forced his retirement. Answer: Lt. Gen. Winfield W. Scott, Jr.

b. The Army head has the same name as TV's most popular weatherman.

\Lt. Gen. Willard W. Scott, Jr.\

2. (20 pts) Seven and Eleven are lucky numbers. What kinds of numbers are the following:

a. the sequence of numbers used in fixing the date of Easter
\Golden\

b. In physics, the series of numbers that connotes stable structure of atoms--2, 10, 18, 36, and 54.

\Magic\

c. Six, 28, and 496, to name just the first three.

\perfect\

d. the sequence formed by adding to each number the sum of its predecessors--1, 3, 6, 10, 15, etc.

\triangular\

3. (30 pts) Identify him. 30-20-10

one. At his 1598 trial for murder he pleaded Benefit of Clergy because he could read Latin. He was released, but only after having the letter "T" stamped with a hot iron on his thumb so that that he might be identified as a second offender if he killed again; all the rest of his life he was a branded felon.

two. His epitaph in Westminster Abbey is a learned pun--"O rare" in Latin means "pray for."

three. He may have been indirectly responsible for Shakespeare's death. The bard took sick after a night of drinking with him and the boys and never recovered.

\Ben Jonson\

4. (30 pts) The agave cactus of Mexico is truly a wonder plant because no fewer than 3 popular alcoholic beverages are derived from its sap. Name the following

a. the strong liquor, made from the agave, which is named for a district of Mexico. Answer: tequila

b. the colorless liquor distilled from the central leaves which is related to an hallucinatory alkaloid. Answer: mescal

c. the milk-like Mexican beer which in some regions is the major liquid intake in the dry seasons.

\pulque\

5. (30 pts) Given a subtitle, name these G. B. Shaw plays.

a. A Metabiological Pentateuch Answer: Back to Methuselah

b. A Comedy and a Philosophy Answer: Man and Superman

c. A Tantasias in the Russian Manner on English Themes

\Heartbreak House\

6. (20 pts) FTP each, identify

a. the Texas politician known as Mr. Democrat, whose 48 years in the House of Representatives, 17 as Speaker, is a record.

\Sam Rayburn\

b. The Ohio Senator from 1939-1953 whose espousal of traditional conservative themes won him the sobriquet Mr. Republican.

\Robert Taft\

7. (25 pts) If I said "Jewish house of worship," you would answer synagogue. What "syn" words are described as follows?

- a. the medical term for fainting Answer: syncope
- b. the cult started by Charles Dederich in 1958 Ans. Synanon
- c. a displacement of the regular metrical accent in music.
\syncopation\
- d. a sensation of a sense other than the one being stimulated
\synesthesia\
- e. the mechanism by which one drug, for example, will increase the patient's response to a second drug.
\Synergism\

8. (30 pts) Supply this name. 30-20-10

one. In Revelations 8:11 it is the name of the fiery star which descends on the rivers and turns them to poison.

two. It is the name of the Devil's nephew who receives the Screwtape letters in the C. S. Lewis work.

three. It is an herb--the chief flavoring ingredient in absinthe
\Wormwood\

9. (20 pts) Eleven of our states are named for actual people. Name the state named after:

- a. the only child of Henry VIII and Anne Boleyn.
\Virginia or West Virginia\
- b. Thomas West, a soldier who served as Gov. of Virginia in 1610
\Delaware\
- c. King James II of England Answer: New York
- d. the wife of King Charles I of England
\Maryland\

10. (25 pts) Name any one year of:

- a. the Irish Free State Answer: 1922-1937
- b. the Latin Kingdom of Constantinople Answer: 1204-1261
- c. the Time of Troubles in Russia Answer: 1598-1613
- d. the Cultural Revolution in China Answer: 1966-1969
- e. the Babylonian Captivity of the Papacy
\1308-1377\

11. (20 pts) Supply the authors of:

- a. Fathers and Sons Answer: Ivan Turgenev
- b. Sons and Lovers Answer: D. H. Lawrence
- c. Strangers and Brothers Answer: C. P. Snow
- d. Mother and Son
\Ivy Compton-Burnett\

12. (20 pts) It was a disease once feared as much as plague. It still baffles doctors and historians because it apparently no longer exists, but thousands died in Tudor England from it. Name this disease, so called because of its one outstanding symptom.
\Sweating Sickness or English Sweat\

13. (20 pts) The Golden Age, modernismo, or the Generation of '98: place the following Spanish-language writers in the correct era.

- a. Vincente Blasco-Ibanez Answer. Generation of '98
- b. Ruben Dario Answer: Modernismo
- c. Pedro Calderon de la Barca Answer: Golden Age
- d. Tirso de Molina
\Golden Age\

14. (20 pts) Between 1553 and 1820 only one English king was both born and died in England. Which one?

\Charles II\

15. (25 pts) Only 5 nations have monetary units which can also be people's last names. Name the monetary unit of:

- a. Lebanon Answer: Pound
- b. South Africa Answer: Rand
- c. Panama Answer: Balboa
- d. Ecuador Answer: Sucre
- e. Venezuela

\Bolívar\

16. (20 pts) The Knights of St. John of Jerusalem fled the Holy Land with the fall of Acre in 1291. From then until 1531 the Knights migrated west across the Mediterranean--owning and being driven from 4 islands as they went. Name those islands.

\Cyprus, Rhodes, Crete, Malta\

17. (25 pts) If current trends continue, almost 6 million immigrants will move to the U.S. in the decade 1981-1990. Only one other decade in US history has seen more immigration. What decade saw 8.8 million immigrants?

\1901-1910\

18. (20 pts) James Jones' trilogy on WW II was completed in 1978, shortly after his death, by his friend, Willie Morris. FFP each, 20 for all 3, name the works of this trilogy.

\From Here to Eternity, The Thin Red Line, Whistle\

19. (30 pts) The name's the same: 30 points if you identify the name shared by these two people after one clue; 15 after both. one. He led the troops in the Albigensian Crusade declared by Pope Innocent III in 1209.

two. His namesake led the baronial revolt against Henry III of England and is considered the father of the English Parliament.

\Simon de Montfort\

20. (20 pts) The Great Salt Lake, Lake Sevier, and Utah Lake are the disconnected remnants of a 20,000 square mile lake that covered part of Utah during the Pleistocene Age. Name it.

\Lake Bonneville\