

College Bowl Tournament Round Number 830 *

1. An unlikely hero...at the end of the 1985 season he stood only 4,148 hits behind Pete Rose. But thanks to David Letterman and the World Series, this light-hitting Kansas City shortstop became a kind of folk hero. Name him.

\Roland Americo "Buddy" Biancalana\

2. This element is a lustrous, bluish-white metal found in group 2 B of the periodic table. It is important in the preparation of certain alloys, for example, Babbitt Metal, brass, and german silver. What is this metal, number 30?

\zinc\

3. The first eastern Bulgarian empire is founded...the kingdom of Sussex is converted to Christianity...the Venerable Bede is born ...and the prophet Muhammed dies: in what century did all these events take place?

\7th (600s)\

4. FTP which one of these famous figures was a near contemporary of the artist Michelangelo: William Shakespeare, Dante, Geoffrey Chaucer, Rabelais, or Goethe?

\Rabelais (Michelangelo (1475-1564), Rabelais (1495-1553)\

5. In the Bible it was a year when slaves were manumitted, debts were forgiven, and a general sabbatical year was observed. It occurred once in 50 years. In the Roman Catholic church, the name is applied to a holy year, generally every 25 years, in which the faithful travel to Rome. In general use, it denotes a celebration of a 50-year or longer period. What is the word?

\jubilee\

6. It is unique among the big cats in having nonretractile claws. They have been used for centuries in India for hunting game, though they are now virtually extinct in India. Name this cat which weighs about 100 pounds, has very long legs, a tawny coat with closely spaced round black spots, and is very quick.

\cheetah\

7. He was a former electronics manufacturer who turned dietician. His diet books, which emphasized fruits, vegetables, and whole grains and avoidance of red meat sold over 2 million copies. He committed suicide in 1985. Name this nutritionist who raised much controversy.

\Nathan Pritikin\

8. Originally, it meant simply a "sound piece" which was played, as opposed to a cantata, which was sung. Now it is used to designate either a multimeasure rest for one or two instruments or a specific plan of musical organization within one continuous unit. What is this term?

\sonata\

9. They had huge tusks like those of a boar; they had gold wings which enabled them to fly; they had serpents for hair and glaring eyes which turned to stone anyone who dared to meet their gaze. Who were they?

\gorgons\

10. The true space motion of a star is determined by two components-- proper motion and radial velocity. If a star has a negative radial velocity, what do we know about the motion of the star?

\it is moving toward the earth\

11. He began his career as a Federalist, but supported Jackson in 1824. In 1831 he was appointed Attorney General. In 1834 he was nominated as Sec. of the Treasury, but the Senate refused to confirm him. Jackson then appointed him the successor to John Marshall. Name him.

\Roger B. Taney\

12. In this English novel you would find Hetty Sorrel, a pretty young girl who is seduced, abandons her child, and is convicted of intantcide...Dinah Morris, a Methodist lay preacher, and Captain Arthur Donnithorne, a young squire. Give the title of this novel by George Eliot.

\Adam Bede\

13. (quotation opening) "He's wholesome. He doesn't perspire. He has no pimples. He smells of milk. His whole appeal is cleanliness and respectibility. This boy is pure!" So read a 1958 evaluation of this actor who died in 1985. Name this Hollywood star.

\Rock Hudson\

14. In economics, what is the term designating that part of a note issue which is not backed by coin or bullion, although it may be backed by government securities?

\fiduciary issue or fiat money\

15. The youngest of his 15 children died in 1947. He himself had been born 157 years earlier, in 1790. Who was this president of the US?

\John Tyler; his youngest child was born in 1860, when he was 70\

16. Dedicated to the author's friend, President Theodore Roosevelt, this novel was the first to dramatize "the code of the west," and contains the classic line, "When you call me that, smile." What is the title?

\The Virginian (by Owen Wister)\

17. The two basic categories of this substance are "live" and "dead." It may be either "soft" or "hard" & the soft kind is moister. The average weight is 55 pounds each, but specimens weighing more than 200 pounds have been found. Name this substance, known for its close-grained texture, adhesive hardness, mellow color, pleasing smoothness, and ability to be carved into intricate shapes.

\ivory\

18. (2 answers needed) The Cheviot Hills are an ancient rock formation, only about 35 miles long with a highest "peak" of only 2,676 feet. The Cheviots have been the scene of centuries of fighting because they form the border between what two countries, now peacefully united?

\Scotland and England\

19. William the Conquerer...Ivan the Terrible...Frederick the Great: all these are proper and fitting names for the majesty of

monarchy. What unfortunate monarch could only earn the nicknames "Silly Billy" or "Sailor Billy"?
\William IV of England\

20. Identify this great writer from a catalogue of epithets given to him by admirers: "the inaugurator of the revival of classical learning," the "founder of modern civilization," the first "modern literary dictator," the "first humanist," and "inventor of the sonnet."
\Petrarch\

***** BONUS FOR ROUND 830 *****

1. (30 pts) Name these European writers whose names all begin with the letter "G"

- a. French author who wrote Thief's Journal. Answer: Jean Genet
- b. Danish novelist who shared the 1917 NP in Lit.
\Karl Gjellerup\
c. Russian writer of The Overcoat and Dead Souls.
\Nikolai Gogol\
2. (20 pts) The Double Man is a rather mediocre spy thriller, published in 1985. It wouldn't have received much attention had it not been the collaboration of two current U.S. Senators. FTP each, name the 2 Senators who wrote The Double Man.
\William S. Cohen, Gary Hart\
3. (20 pts) Name these parts of flowers.

a. Sepals are the outermost circle of leaves which protect the inner parts of the flowers in the bud. The sepals are collectively known as what? Answer: calyx

b. Petals are the circle of organs inside the sepals which attract insects for pollination. The petals are known collectively as what? Answer: corolla

- c. What is the organ within the petals consisting of a filament and an anther? Answer: stamen
- d. What is the slight enlargement at the top of the style of the pistil called?
\stigma\
4. (25 pts) It is commonly said that the choir and chevet of his royal abbey near Paris, built about 1140, constituted the first truly Gothic style building. Name this abbey where Louis XVI and Marie Antoinette are buried.
\Abbey of Saint-Denis\
5. (20 pts) Identify the artists who did these portraits.

a. Portrait of Charles I Hunting Ans. Anthony Van Dyck

b. Pope Leo X with his Nephews Ans. Raphael

c. Henry VIII Ans. Hans Holbein the Younger

d. Robert Andrews and his Wife
\Thomas Gainsborough\
6. (30 pts) Identify this American. 30-20-10

one. He was on Braddock's expedition against Ft. Duquesne; in 1799 he and his family moved to Missouri where the Spanish gave him a large tract of land.

two. He was born in 1724 near Reading, Penn., but the family moved to North Carolina in 1750.

three. In 1775 he was an advance agent for the Transylvania Company and blazed the Wilderness Road to Kentucky.

\Daniel Boone\
7. (20 pts) Lake Victoria borders 3 countries. FFP each--20 for all 3--name those 3 countries.
\Kenya, Uganda, Tanzania\
8. (25 pts) Everyone knows that the NY Knicks drew first in the NBA draft lottery of 1985 and got the rights to Patrick Ewing. There were 6 other teams in that lottery--who came out big losers in both the lottery and the 1984 season. Name 4, 15; 5, 20; 6 for

25.

\Indiana Pacers, LA Clippers, Seattle Supersonics, Atlanta Hawks, Sacramento Kings, Golden State Warriors\

9. (30 pts) Sir Walter Scott was for many generations the most popular novelist in English literature. Give the titles of these Scott novels.

a. A sequel to *The Abbot*, this novel deals with Elizabeth I and intrigues surrounded the Earl of Leicester and Sir Walter Raleigh

\Kenilworth\

b. In the opinion of many critics, this is his best novel. The central character is Jeanie Deans and it is set during the Porteous riots in Scotland in 1736.

\The Heart of Midlothian\

10. (25 pts) Though he later emerged as a major political leader in the British Commonwealth, this South African leader opposed Britain in the Boer War. He served in Lloyd George's Imperial War Cabinet and organized the Royal Flying Corps. During WW II he was PM of South Africa and a British Field Marshal. Who?

\Jan Christiaan Smuts\

11. (20 pts) Pen and paper. A transmission line is designed to carry one megawatt of electrical power over a distance of 400,000 meters. The source of power supplies a potential difference of 10 kilovolts. What is the current, expressed in amps, in this situation?

\100 amps (1,000,000 divided by 100,000)\

12. (30 pts) Tell me what these abbreviations stand for.

a. LDS

\Latter Day Saints or Laus Deo Semper (Praise be to God Forever) or Licentiate in Dental Surgery\

b. LSD

\lysergic acid diethylamide or pounds, shilling, pence\

c. SLD

\specific learning disability\

13. (20 pts) Name the authors of these books on the best seller list in December of 1985.

a. *Lake Wobegon Days* Answer: Garrison Keillor

b. *Cold Sassy Tree* Answer: Olive Ann Burns

c. *The Cat Who Walks Through Walls* Answer: Robert Heinlein

d. *Secrets*

\Danielle Steel\

14. (25 pts) Name these historians who wrote about the French Revolution

a. He was dubbed the "Victor Hugo of History" and wrote both a history of medieval France and a very popular *History of the Revolution*, which was marked by an eloquent defense of the revolution. For 15 points, name him.

\Jules Michelet\

b. This Englishman also wrote a history of the Revolution as well as a long biography of Frederick the Great.

\Thomas Carlyle\

15. (30 pts) Name this man of science. 30-20-10

one. *Modern Man in Search of a Soul* (1933)

two. *Psychological Types* and *The Structure & Dynamics of the*

Psyche

three. Psychology of the Unconscious & Symbols of Transformation
\Carl Jung\

16. (25 pts) According to the writer of Hebrews, he had no lineage and neither a beginning nor an end, but remained a priest continually. Who was the priest and king of Salem who conferred God's blessing upon Abraham in Genesis 14?
\Melchizedek\

17. (25 pts) Wagner's opera Die Meistersinger von Nurnberg is based upon the life of an actual 16th-century figure who composed more than 6,000 poems and 200 dramas. Name this prolific poet.
\Hans Sachs\

18. (25 pts) The chemical symbol for copper is Cu. Five other elements have symbols that end in -u. FFP each, name these elements.
\Europium, Gold, Lutetium, Plutonium, Ruthenium\

19. (25 pts) During the administration of which president did these states enter the Union?

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| a. California | Answer: Fillmore |
| b. Hawaii | Answer: Eisenhower |
| c. Louisiana | Answer: Madison |
| d. Wisconsin | Answer: Polk |
| e. Colorado | |
- \Grant\

20. (20 pts) Who won Oscars in the following categories in 1985?

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| a. Best Picture | Answer: Amadeus |
| b. Best Actor | Answer: F. Murray Abraham |
| c. Best Actress | Answer: Sally Field |
| d. Best Director | |
- \Milos Forman\