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1. In 1855 he was apprenticed to a Boston lithographer, and by 1857 was working for <u>Harper's Weekly</u>. His assignment to cover the Civil War prompted his first important oil painting, "Prisoner's from the Front." For 10 pts. name this painter of "Breezing Up," and "Gulf Stream."

ANS. Winslow Homer

2. Even though one of his books claims, <u>Nobody Knows My Name</u>, this Harlem born author is far from anonymous. In fact, he made quite a name for himself with such works such as <u>The Amen Corner</u>, <u>Blues for Mister Charlie</u>, and <u>Go Tell It on the Mountain</u>. For <u>10 pts. who is he?</u>

ANS. James Baldwin

3. Originally called "Bagataway," it was played over miles of ground, and the winner took the loser's women. Of North American Indian origin, Canadians developed it into a game played by two teams of 10 players. For 10 pts. name this game played with a rubber ball and a stick with a mesh basket.

ANS. Lacrosse

4. Nicknamed "Old Ironpants" because of his daylight B-17 bomber raids during World War II, he also directed B-29 raids on Japanese munitions factories. In 1948, he organized the Berlin Airlift and in the early 60's proposed bombing Vietnam back to the Stone Age. For 10 pts. who is he, George Wallace's 1968 vice-presidential running mate?

ANS. Curtis Lemay

5. A member of the phylum tracheophyta (tray-kee-oh-fye-ta), they evolved during the Permian period. Among their subdivisions are Cycads, Yews, Ginkgos, and Conifers. For 10 pts. name these naked seed plants that can maintain life without water.

ANS. Gymnosperms

6. Answering the question "What is an American?", he wrote "the American is a new man, a new race, a new kind of human being." Despite his French birth, he was a naturalized citizen of New York who used the pen name J. Hector St. John. For 10 pts. name this author of Letters from an American Farmer.

ANS. Michel-Guillaume Jean de Crevacoeur (Krev-a-cure)

7. Among his hit songs were "The Ballad of Roger Young," "Praise the Lord and Pass the Ammunition," "On a Slow Boat to China," and "Baby, Its Cold Outside." He wrote the score for Hans Christian Anderson and won a Pulitzer for his 1961 play How to Succeed in Business Without Really Trying. For 10 pts. who was he?

ANS. Frank Loesser

8. Recent experiments doing it at room temperature mean that potentially magnets could levitate trains, electric lines would have no power loss, and computers could go faster. The device used offers no resistance to the flow of electricity and thus wastes no energy. For 10 pts. what is this breakthrough?

# ANS. Superconductivity

9. The name's the same: a 1947 movie starring Celeste Holm, John Garfield, Anne Revere and Gregory Peck; and the 1907 executive understanding between Japan and the U.S. by which the U.S. limited the number of Japanese immigrants? For 10 pts. what's the common phrase?

### ANS. Gentleman's Agreement

10. While working on the 1943 Pulitzer Prize biography, Paul Revere and the World He Lived In, Ester Forbes was sparked to write a book about the apprenticeship of a young silversmith. For 10 pts. what was this book which won the 1944 Newberry Medal?

## ANS. Johnny Tremain

11. Due to the seismic waves produced from nuclear testing, geologists have been able to determine the size of the various spheres inside the earth. For 10 pts. which of the following has a larger volume: the inner core, lithosphere, mantle or outer core?

#### ANS. Mantle

12. The real hero of this 1818 Sir Walter Scott novel is Frank Osbaldistone who the title character helps out of various dificulties. For 10 pts who is this MacGregor Campbell known as the Scottish Robin Hood?

#### ANS. Rob Roy

13. Every Christmas he gave a scientific lecture for children which included "The Chemical History of the Candle." Simultaneously with Joseph Henry, he discovered that moving a magnet through a coil of copper wire caused an electric current to flow in the wire. For 10 pts. who was this English chemist?

#### ANS. Michael Faraday

14. A supporter of Rutherford B. Hayes and John Sherman, his early claim to fame was a tariff bearing his name. As a presidential candidate, he opposed Free Silver and ran the Front Porch campaign. For 10 pts. who was this president under whom the Platt Amendment was passed?

## ANS. William McKinley

- 15. At the center of his philosophy is a concrete, objective force he identified as the "World Spirit." In 1812, he published The Science of Logic in which he worked out his dialectics. For 10 pts. who was this philosopher?
- ANS. Georg Wilhelm Friedrich Hegel
- 16. A more accurate list of his works has been compiled by 20th century musicologist Alfred Einstin, but the list by Ludwig Kochel is still in general use. For 10 pts. what 18th century musician's works are designated by a "K?"
- ANS. Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart
- 17. He probably lived from 1480-1540. An astrologer and magician, Martin Luther believed he had devilish powers. His first biography was by an unknown author, but Christopher Marlowe immortalized him in a 1588 play. For 10 pts. who is he?
- ANS. Faust or Faustus
- 18. George Smith, Paul Jones, and Tommy Lee have won this race. Burgoo King and Dark Star also were winners. Two horses named after cities in the state of Washington have also won--Spokane in 1889 and Seattle Slew in 1977. For 10 pts. what is this jewel in horse racing's Triple Crown?
- ANS. <u>Kentucky Derby</u>
- 19. In 1902, with a small band of men, he seized Riyadh from the House of Rashid. A devoted adherent of the Islamic reform movement, Wahhabism, he drove the Ottoman Turks from his country and was proclaimed king in 1926. For 10 pts. who was this first king of Saudia Arabia?
- ANS. Abd al-Aziz Ibn Saud
- 20. Codfishing in the Grand Banks to the east of this province is said to be the best in the world. The Labrador Current keeps the temperature there below freezing eight months of the year. For 10 pts. identify this Canadian province separated from Labrador by the Strait of Belle Isle.
- ANS. Newfoundland
- 21. Moon Landrieu, James Lynn, Carla Hills, Robert C. Weaver, Patricia Harris, and George Romney have all headed this cabinet post now held by Samuel Pierce. For 10 pts. what is it?
- ANS. Housing and Urban Development or HUD

BONUS 30 PTS. For 10 pts. each identify these legal terms.

 Evidence that is considered to be sufficient in law to establish that a certain fact is true. It translates "On the face of it."
 ANS. Prima Facie

- A writ issued by a court in the name of the state ordering a corporation, officer, or inferior court to perform an official act or duty incumbent upon its office and clearly required by law.
   ANS. Mandamus
- The failure of a public officer to perform a duty that is legally required of him in his official capacity.
   ANS. Nonfeasance (NOT Malfeasance)

ANS. Monreasance (NOT Marreasance

BONUS 30-20-10 Identify this American poet.

1. At the age of 13, he wrote "The Embargo," a satiric poem of 244 lines in heroic couplets, written in response to the 1807 Embargo Act.

2. After wasting himself in law school, he penned "The Yellow Violet" and "To a Waterfowl."

3. He wrote "Thanatopsis."

ANS. William Cullen Bryant

BONUS 30 PTS. In Greek mythology, Helios was a Sun God, for 10 pts. each.

Who was his father, also a Sun God?

ANS. Hyperion

2. Who was his sister, a Moon Goddess?

ANS. Selene

3. Helios was the God of Sunlight, but who was the God of Light, symbolizing truth and right? ANS. Phoebus Apollo

BONUS 30 PTS. Anyone who watches a weather report knows the Celsius and Fahrenheit scales. For 10 pts. each, what are these other types of scales.

1. It measures from absolute zero using the same degree as Fahrenheit.

ANS. <u>Rankine</u>
2. It measures from absolute zero using the same degree as Celsius.

ANS. <u>Kelvin</u> or Absolute

3. It measures from zero degrees as the freezing point of water to eighty degrees as the boiling point of water.

ANS. Reameur

BONUS 20 PTS. A general and playwright, he was a close friend of Lord Strange. In 1775 his The Maid of the Oaks was produced by David Garrick. Other plays include The Lord of the Manor and The Heiress. He is better known as the general who took Fort Ticonderoga and lost Bennington. For 20 pts. who was he?

ANS. John Burgoyne

BONUS 20 PTS. You may know the three plays in which Falstaff appears, but, for 10 pts. each, in which two Shakespearean plays do Hotspur, Henry Percy appear?

ANS. Richard II and Henry IV, Part One

BONUS 30 PTS. 1987 has been a sad year for Economics as three important figures

have died. For 10 points each, who are the following:

a) "Anyone who is convinced that he can fine tune the economy doesn't know what he is talking about" were words by this Austrian-born economist, who as head of the Council of Economic Advisors under Eisenhower and the Federal Reserve from 1970 to 1978, was unable to fine tune the economy. Who?

## ANS. Arthur Burns

- b) This economist, noted for wrong predictions, founded his own international investment bank, but is best known as Kennedy's head of the Council of Economic Advisors. Who? ANS. Walter Heller
- c) He was referenced in the decision Brown v. Board of Education because of his work on the "Negro Problem". What Nobel Prize winning economist wrote <u>An American Dilemma?</u>

ANS. Gunnar Myrdal

BONUS 30-20-10 Identify this large organization.

 It was cofounded by Henry Flagler, and Henry Demarest Lloyd wrote Wealth Against Commonwealth about it.

2. The only company still bearing its name is owned by British Petroleum.

3. Ida Tarbell wrote a famous history of it.

## ANS. Standard Oil

BONUS 30 PTS. For 10 pts. each identify these hormones.

 Also called pitressin, it is produced in the hypothalamus. It has an antidiuretic effect and contracts the intestine.

ANS. Vasopressin

 Essential for normal development and functioning of the adrenal cortex, it stimulates the production of cortisone.

ANS. Adrenocorticotrophic or ACTH

 Produced by the thyroid, it regulates basal metabolsim and is an amino acid. ANS. <u>Thyroxin</u>

BONUS 25 PTS. Polk said "54-40 or Fight," but he did neither when he settled the boundary between the United States and present day Canada.

For 10 pts., what is the current parallel line boundary?

ANS. 49 degrees

2. For 15 pts. what Canadian island is the exception to 49 degrees? ANS. Vancouver Island

BONUS 20 PTS. Our knowledge of him derives from Paris police records and his own poetry. Trained at the University of Paris, he killed a man in 1455, was banished from Paris, and joined a band of thieves. His importance as a poet lies in his use of the vernacular, and his works include Lais, Ballad of the Hanged Man, and The Grand Testament. For 20 pts. name him.

BONUS 30-20-10 Identify this American.

1. His dissertation, The Suppression of the Black African Slave Trade to the U.S.A., 1638-1870, is still a standard work on the subject.

2. Author of Souls of Black Folk. in 1985 he became the first black man to earn a Ph.D in the U.S. 1895

3. He rejected the accomadating approach of Booker T. Washington and served as editor of the NAACP journal The Crisis.

ANS. W.E.B. DuBois

BONUS 20 PTS. You would know you were in Atlanta if you saw a street sign with Peachtree on it. For 5 pts. each, in what city would you find the following street signs?

1. Wilshire Boulevard

ANS. Los Angeles

2. The Strand

ANS. London 3. North Capitol, South Capitol, and East Capitol (but not West Capitol)

ANS. Washington, D.C.

4. Flatbush Avenue

ANS. Brooklyn or New York City

BONUS 30 PTS. La Plata was a Spanish Viceroyalty that included Argentina, Bolivia, Paraguay, and Uruguay. Given the modern countries which comprised it, name the Spanish Viceroyalty, 10 pts. each.

1. Venezuela, Colombia, Panama, and Eduador

ANS. New Granada

2. Mexico, the Western United States, and Central America

ANS. New Spain

3. Peru and Chile

ANS. Peru

BONUS 25 PTS. Answer true or false to these organic chemistry questions. They are worth 5 pts. each, but you must get three correct to receive credit.

1. Saturated hydrocarbons undergo substitution reactions when a Hydrogen atom is removed and another atom substituted.

ANS. True

C4H8 is a saturated compound. ANS. False

3. Fermentation yields an alcohol and carbon dioxide. ANS. True

ANS. True -4. Organic acids have the carboxyl functional group.

5. An alkene has a single bond and a general formula of CnH2n.

ANS. False

BONUS 25 PTS. Written from 70-19 B.C., they are four books of poems which glorify peaceful farm life. Among other things, the author tells how to keep bees, grow grapes and olives, and plow. For 25 pts. name this work by Virgil.

ANS. The Georgics

BONUS 30 PTS. This is a four part bonus. Each player must answer a part without consultation. I will tell you the topic of the bonus, and you have 5 seconds do decide who will answer. If you have less than four players, each of you has to answer at least one part. 5 pts. for each correct with a 10 pt. bonus for all four.

TOPIC: ASTRONOMY
 There are nine planets, but how many named constellations are there?
 ANS. 88

2. TOPIC: LITERATURE
Who is the author of Crome Yellow and Point Counter Point?

ANS. Aldous Huxley

3. TOPIC: GEOGRAPHY
What is the capital of Bangladesh?
ANS. Dacca

4. TOPIC: AMERICAN HISTORY Who was the only person not to resign from Tyler's cabinet after he became president?

ANS. Daniel Webster

BONUS 30 PTS. Hydrogen is the most abundant element in the Universe. It is not, however, one of the eight most abundant in the Earth's crust. You will receive 10 pts. for naming four of them and five pts. for each additional one you identify.

ANS. Oxygen (0), Silicon (Si), Aluminum (Al), Iron (Fe), Calcium (Ca), Sodium (Na), Potassium (K), Magnesium (Mg)

BONUS 30 PTS. The structure of the early Catholic Church was, by and large, based on administrative divisions introduced by Diocletian. For 10 pts. each, identify these regions devised for Roman use, but adopted (and adapted) by the Church.

- Diocletian divided the Roman empire into four great sections presided over by a Praetorian with civil but not military control. ANS. Prefect
- 2. These four great prefects were each divided into 12 sections which would become the territorial jurisdiction of bishops.
- ANS. <u>Dioces</u>

  3. The Roman title for the official in the dioces, the church would alter the term to refer to a parish priest who received a stipend instead of tithe money.

  ANS. <u>Vicar</u>

BONUS 30 PTS. It has been said there are too many "Trash" questions in College Bowl, but this is a question about Trash, or more precisely, trash disposal. For 10 pts. each, answer these questions about a garbage barge travelling from a small Long Island town to the Gulf of Mexico and back again.

1. What Long Island town did it leave?

ANS. Islip

2. What is the name of the tugboat?

ANS. Break of Dawn

What is the name of the barge? ANS. Mobro