

FTP= For Ten Points

1. His essays are elegant musings on the nature of life, man and his place in the universe. Originally printed in The New England Journal of Medicine. They have been published in several collections, including The Medusa and the Snail, and The Lives of a Cell. FTP, name this noted physician.

Lewis Thomas

2. Peter Peter Pumpkin Eater is said to have kept his wife in a pumpkin. FTP who hid five roles of microfilm in a pumpkin, since he didn't have Fawn Hall to help him?

Whittaker Chambers

3. The first was constructed for the 1893 World's Columbian Exposition in Chicago. The one in Vienna was featured prominently in "The Third Man." FTP name this mainstay of carnivals and midways.

Ferris Wheel

4. The term for this biochemical process is derived from the Latin verb, *fervere*, to boil. FTP, give the name of this process more commonly known to us as a step in beer production, conversion of sugars to alcohols by yeasts.

fermentation

5. It was deciphered in 1821 by Jean-Francois Champollion in London. It had been discovered by a French Engineering officer in Egypt in 1799. An early example of filing in triplicate, it served as a key in deciphering hieroglyphics. FTP, name it.

the Rosetta Stone

6. FTP, can you give name the president of Argentina elected(?) in 1946 and again in 1973. He may be better known as the husband of both Evita and Isabella.

Juan Peron

7. In a similar vein, FTP name the composer of Evita, also the composer of this year's new Broadway smash, Phantom of the Opera, as well as Cats, Starlight Express, and Jesus Christ Superstar.

Andrew Lloyd Webber

8. At the Revolutionary War battleground of Saratoga stands a rather bizzare memorial to a left leg. Only the left leg. Its owner had been a leading light in George Washington's army before his treasonous plot to surrender West Point to the English in 1780. Ftp name the leg's owner.

Benedict Arnold

9. He died in a plane crash after the 1972 baseball season, after having gotten his 3000th base hit for the Pittsburgh Pirates. FTP, can you name this Hall of Fame right fielder?

Roberto Clemente

10. The current one is Richard Wilbur. His predecessor served in this capacity for two years. FTP can you name the position held by Wilbur and Robert Penn Warren.

poet laureate of the U.S.

11. In 1899 this diminutive American reporter outstripped Phineas Fogg and Passepartout, circumnavigating the globe in 72 days. Along the way she stopped off in Paris to interview Jules Verne. FTP name this remarkable woman given the sobriquet "Darling."

Nellie Bly or Elizabeth Cochrane

12. Jackets bearing the name of this leader were all the rage in the 60's, and FTP can you name the first prime minister of India, whose daughter also served as PM.

Jawaharlal Nehru

13. Riverside, Santa Cruz, Los Angeles, San Diego, Santa Barbara, Davis, Irvine, and Berkeley are the locations of the campuses of what major university system?

The University of California

14. The scientific name for his speech affliction is metathesis, the accidental transposition of letters or syllables in the words of a sentence. This Oxford dean was learned, but not "spell woken." FTP name the originator of "Mardon me Padam, this pie is occupewed; allow me to sew you to another sheet."

The Rev. William Archibald Spooner

15. For a quick ten points, what is the only metal element that is a liquid at room conditions (68 deg. F, 1 atm.)?

Mercury, or Hg

16. Born Leslie King, this University of Michigan grad is the only president of the U.S. never elected to either the presidency or the vice-presidency. FTP name this president known for his gracefulness and for cleaning up after Richard Nixon.

Gerald R. Ford

17. Henry Fonda played Tom Joad in the movie version of a John Steinbeck classic. FTP, name the novel dealing with one family's movement during the depression.

The Grapes of Wrath

18. You may want pencil and paper for this one. FTP give the numerical value of the expression  $e^{i(\pi)}$ .

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19. Biloxi Blues, Broadway Bound, and Brighton Beach Memoirs, form a trilogy about this playwrights early life. FTP, name this author, creator of The Odd Couple.

Neil Simon

20. ~~Use this question at moderator's discretion!~~

Pat Sajak moderated the College Bowl national finals in 1985, but FTP name the pseudo-intellectual host of the 1987 College Bowl national finals.

of course, Dick Cavett

~~the question you should use...~~

21. Alex Trebek may host Jeopardy! now, but FTP name the original longtime host of...Jeopardy!

Art Fleming

21. FTP name this inert gas, element #36, which also shares its name with the fictional home planet of Superman?

Krypton

22. FTP give atomic number of Neon.

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*These were wrong in 1985!*

OSU 2 Tossups

23. If you were in France, you'd call it La Manche. FTP, what would you call it in England? (The English Channel)

24. Its chemical formula is  $C_8H_{10}N_4O_2$ . FTP, identify this staple of college students which is mildly diuretic and addictive. (Caffeine)

1. (20) This commonly used condiment was developed from a contest in 1870 during the Franco-Prussian War. It was brought to the U.S. in 1874. Federal Laws state that it must be served in squares. What is it?

Margarine

2. (25) 5 pts. each. I'll name two cities, you tell which is farther NORTH.

Rome or Madrid	<u>Rome</u>
Helsinki or Leningrad	<u>Helsinki</u>
Bombay or Calcutta	<u>Calcutta</u>
Ottawa or Seattle	<u>Seattle</u>
Cincinnati or Philadelphia	<u>Philadelphia</u>

3. (30) In Lewis Carroll's nonsense poem, "The Hunting of the Snark," seven adventurers set out after the beast; curiously enough, all seven characters begin with the letter 'B.' Why with a 'B' you ask? Why not? You'll earn 5 pts. for naming 1, 10 pts. for 2, 30 pts. for 3, and 30 pts. for naming 4 or more, (and a great deal of respect for naming all seven).

Butcher, Baker, Barrister, Beaver, Bellman, Banker, Broker

4. (30) Some people think of Alfred as a great guy, others he just blew away.... and so its more fun with the Nobel prize. This time I'll give you five Physics winners, and you place them in chronological order, earliest to latest. You'll earn 5pts for each correct response, and 5 more if all are correct.: William Shockley, Alex Muller, Pierre and Marie Curie, Wilhelm Roentgen, Enrico Fermi.

<u>Roentgen</u>	1901, x-rays
<u>Curies</u>	1903, radiation
<u>Fermi</u>	1938, radiation & nuclear reactions
<u>Shockley</u>	1956, transistor
<u>Muller</u>	1987, superconductors

5. (30) What king is described in the New Testament in the following words: "He is without father or mother or genealogy, and has neither beginning of days nor end of life, but resembling the Son of God he continues a priest forever."

Melchizedech, King of Salem (Hebrews 7.3)

6. (25) On August 8, 1963 A British train was robbed of seven million in what was called "The Great Train Robbery." For twenty-five points, name the train.

The Aberdeen Express

7. (20) Lists seem to be a staple at College Bowl Matches. You earn 10 pts. apiece for identifying these "characters" from their lists.

1) The junior senator from Wisconsin, he had a list of Communists in the State Dept....or at least he said he did.

Joe McCarthy

2) He had a list containing "plenty of people whose loss would be a distinct gain to society at large." FTP, name this former tailor from The Mikado

Ko-Ko or The Lord High Executioner

8. (30/ 5 each +5 for all) I'll give you two lists, you match the animals with the name of their group. (Note do not say "the second one is the first....")

The animals: locusts, peafowl, vipers, ants, quail

The groups: muster, bevy, colony, plague, nest

Locust-plague  
peafowl-muster  
vipers-nest

ants-colony  
quail-bevy

9. (30/5 each + 5) If you're not careful with the trademarks, you'll lose them. For example Aspirin was once a trademark. I'll name you 5 trademarks and you tell me the company ~~responsible for~~ *which holds* it.

Jell-o

General Foods

Fiberglass

Owens-Corning

Kleenex

Kimberly-Clark

Stryofoam

Dow Chemical Co.

Plexiglass

Rohm and Haas

10. (25) One of the most beautiful of all schooners, she was also consistently one of the fastest. A replica of her has taken part in many of the Tall Ships Pageants. For 25 pts., name this vessel, depicted on the Canadian dime.

Blue Nose

11. (25) Its almost time for another census, but lets see how well you remember the 1980 census. I'll give you five states & you order them from smallest to largest in population.  
Ohio, Ill., Penn., Mich., Florida.

In order: MI, FL, OH, IL, PA.

12. (20) Some people can't seem to make a go of a business. They made it a point never to attack a weaker party than themselves; however attacking a stronger party invariably resulted in their thrashing. And then there was the business of the orphans. Name these title characters of the Gilbert and Sullivan operetta recently on Broadway.

The Pirates of Penzance

13. (30) For 15 pts. each, answer the following.  
What was the first country to give women the vote

New Zealand

What U.S. territory was the first in the nation to grant women suffrage?

Wyoming

14. (30) For 10 points each, give the religion founded or formalized by the following Americans:

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| 1) <del>Joseph Smith</del>    | <u>Mormon or Church of Jesus Christ of the Latter Day Saints</u> |
| 2) <del>Mary Baker Eddy</del> | <del>Christian Scientist or Church of Christ, Scientist</del>    |
| 3) Charles Taze Russell       | <u>Jehovah's Witnesses</u>                                       |
| 4) Ann Lee                    | <u>Shakers</u>   |

15. (30/15 each) An American painter and ornithologist, he is famous for his paintings of birds in their native habitats. He conducted expedition on the Ohio, Missouri and Mississippi Rivers before his death in 1851. Name him.

James Audobon

Audobon's famous biographer was also an animal lover and artist. She became interested in Audobon through her brother, but achieved her greatest fame with renditions of Van Gogh and Monet. For 15 more, name her

Karen Detrich

16. (30) Let's see how much you know about dressage. A horse has four gaits, the walk, canter, gallop and trot. I'll give you a brief description of each gait, and for 15 points each you name that gait.

1) It involves three beats; one forefoot, then the other forefoot and the opposite hind leg; then the other hind foot.

canter

2) The front leg on one side of the body strikes the ground at the same time as the hind leg on the other side of the body.

trot

17. (30) For ten points each, name the three men who won the Nobel Prize for their work on Penicillin.

Fleming, Flory, Chain

18. (20) All right football fans, you may know that Denver lost last year's Super Bowl but can you tell me

1) Who was the last NFL champion before the NFL and AFL merged?

Minnesota or Vikings

2) Who was first NFL champion, in 1921?

Chicago Bears

3) When was the last time Cleveland won the NFL title?

1964

19. (25) You can tell the author has been traveling frequently lately. For 5 pts each, I'll name the city/airport, you tell me the major airline that has a hub located there.

Pittsburgh	<u>US Air</u>
St. Louis	<u>TWA</u>
Atlanta	<u>Delta or Eastern</u>
Dayton	<u>Piedmont</u>
Minneapolis	<u>Northwest</u>

20. (30) For ten points each give the decimal equivalents, to <sup>3</sup> places, of

1) pi	<u>3.142</u>
2) e	<u>2.712</u>
3) ln 10	<u>2.303</u>