Terrapin Invitational Tournament Questions by William and Mary, with some help from Lauren Kucner and John Nam Tossups

T1. They retried him, but this time came up with a not guilty verdict. This time, the television viewers called in, and by a 55%-45% margin, found the defendant not guilty of "conspiracy against public liberty and national security." FTP, who was the defendant, who along with his wife was found guilty of the above charges 200 years ago?

#### Louis XVI

T2. He lost the competition to design the Florence Baptistry doors, but this turned out to be fortuitous, as he later came up with the new concept of scientific perspective. In his first use of this technique, he designed 2 shells to place in his now famous dome of the Florence Cathedral. FTP, name this Florentine architect.

#### Filippo Brunelleschi

T3. He did not endear himself to his former black comrades when he wrote his autobiography, And the Walls Came Tumbling Down, particularly because he describes the extra-marital affairs of Martin Luther King. FTP, name the author of this book, a former friend and confident of King.

## Ralph Abernathy

T4. On 22 October 1939, a technological first took place that would forever change the course of Sunday afternoons in the United States. FTP, tell me who emerged victorious in the first-ever televised professional football game.

### Brooklyn or the Dodgers

T5. When Senator Jesse Helms was referring to "indecent or obscene art," he was most pointedly referring to the work of this photographer whose pictures of homoerotic art so outraged the Senator from North Carolina. FTP, name this photographer.

#### Robert Mapplethorpe

T6. For a quick 10 points, who became the first leader of the German Democratic Republic when he took power in 1949?

## Walter Ulbricht

T7. Many people gained fame under stage names or nicknames. For example, Margarita Cansino was better known as Rita Hayworth. FTP, what famous person was born Cornelius McGillicuddy?

## Connie Mack

T8. They led the Greek forces to victory over the Carthaginians at the battle of Himera in 480 B.C. For 10 points, name these two Sicilian tyrants.

#### Gelon and Theron

T9. In Spain, agricultural expansion in the 17th and 18th centuries was severely hampered by the dominance of a class of nobility which relied primarily on sheep herding for income. They controlled much of the land, preventing its use in farming. FTP, name this Spanish nobility class.

#### Mesta

T10. Formed in the early 70's, this band was hailed as the greatest musical force ever to emerge from New Zealand. Their first album, Mental Notes, came out in 1975 and was produced by Phil Manzanera of Roxy Music. Their first chart-topping singles in Australia were "I See Red" and "I Got You." FTP, name the group that broke up in 1983 and eventually gave birth to Crowded House.

### Split Enz

Til. Economics is full of abbreviations and acronyms. FTP, identify what DIDMCA stands for.

# Depository Institutions Deregulation and Monetary Control Act

T12. There are winners and there are losers, and then there are some who are just forgotten. FTP, name the Democratic Senator who placed a distant third in the 1960 election, behind John F. Kennedy and Richard M. Nixon.

## Harry Byrd

T13. Some poets write about women with golden hair and azure eyes, but the Roman poet Catullus wrote about a babe with big feet, a long nose, and an "all-around unattractiveness" about her. FTP, name this woman, the topic of his satirical work.

#### Ameana

T14. Whig-Tory politics were thrown into disarray when a plot was uncovered to kill Charles II and place his Catholic brother James on the throne. Despite its dubious authenticity, the popish plot created a frenzy of hysteria for two years. FTP, identify the man who announced this plot.

#### Titus Oates

T15. Born in 1917, she had the distinction of being the first Black to win the Pulitzer prize for fiction when in 1950 she won for her book Annie Allen. FTP, name this author.

#### Gwendolyn Brooks

T16. This territory is 1429 square miles in size, and has a population of 1 million. It had been under Portuguese rule since 1505, but this enclave was forcibly taken over by the government of India on 18 December 1961. FTP, name this former Portuguese territory.

Goa

T17. The plan of this Knoxville-based firm is to distribute high-tech equipment to schools in return for the viewing of its television show. What really has educators in an uproar, however, is the inclusion of commercials into the program. FTP, name this TV show.

## Channel One

T18. His book, <u>Window of Opportunity</u>, didn't exactly hit the best-seller lists, but it did get him embroiled in a controversy over possible of interests. By a margin of two votes, however, he defeated Edward Madigan for the post of House Minority Whip. FTP, name him.

## Newt Gingrich

T19. For 10 points, who was Foreign Secretary under Churchill, a man who later rose to the office of Prime Minister before being ousted in 1957 over his role in the Suez Crisis?

#### Sir Anthony Eden

T20. For a quick 10 points, name the country which was the first to extend voting rights to women in 1893.

#### New Zealand

T21. Hank Williams sang about this creole dish consisting of rice, shrimp, vegetables, and spices. FTP, name this popular dish from Louisiana.

#### jambalava

T22. For 10 points, what do you call the symbiotic relationship between fungi and the roots of a plant?

## mycorrhiza

T23. Benjamin Franklin founded one of the first libraries in the nation when he established this Philadelphia library. FTP, what is its name?

the Free Library of Philadelphia

### Bonuses - William and Mary

- (30) Bl. Bette Davis left behind an enduring legacy on celluloid. Given the description of the Bette Davis role, identify the movie for 10 points each.
  - 1. The miscalculating Southern vixen

2. Margo Channing, a fading prima donna

All About Eve

3. A desert dreamer

The Petrified Forest

- (30) B2. 30-20-10 Identify the year.
  - 1. Elias Howe invents the sewing machine.
  - 2. Mormons leave Nauvoo, Illinois for the West.
  - 3. U.S. signs treaty with Great Britain to extend the existing line on the 49th parallel.

## 1846

(25) B3. Many people know that J.R.R. Tolkein wrote the Lord of the Rings trilogy, but he also wrote another text that details much of the mythologies of Middle Earth. For 10 point, name this text, named for the jewels which the Elves were trying to recover, and for an additional 15 points give me the name of the Supreme Being who ruled over the Valar and who also brought Middle Earth into being.

## The Silmarillion and Iluvator

(25) B4. There have been some "real Losers" over the years in the American Presidential elections. For 5 points each, name the generals who lost in 1836, 1852, and 1864.

> William Henry Harrison, Winfield Scott, and George McClellan

For an additional 10 points, what third party candidate ran seven times unsuccessfully for the Presidency and what was his party?

## Norman Thomas and Socialist

(20) B5. Holy bonuses, Batman! It's yet another questions about our television show. You'll receive 20 points for telling me the distance, within one mile, from the Batcave to Gotham City, as stated by the road sign near the Batcave.

#### 14 miles (accept I3-15)

(20) B6. For 5 points each and an extra five for getting them all right, name the highest major lake in South America and the two countries it borders.

## Lake Titicaca, Bolivia, and Peru

- Several baseball teams have changed their names without changing cities. For (20) B7. 10 points each, given the former name, identify the team.
  - 1. Bees
  - 2. Highlanders

Red Sox or Boston X New York Yankees



- (25) B8. For 10 points, name the first Poet Laureate of England.

  Geoffrey Chaucer

  For an additional 15 points, name the monarch who first bestowed this great honour.

  Richard II
- (20) B9. This author once remarked, "If anyone should cavil about my comedies, undeceive him and tell him that I wrote them for money." This could have been said by Shakespeare but was actually said by a Spanish 17th century playwright, the premier playwright of his day. For 20 points, identify him, author of The Discovery of the New World.

## Lope Felix de Vega Carpio

(20) B10. Although this is the United States, some of the "states" are actually commonwealths. For 5 points each, name the four states known as commonwealths.

# Virginia, Pennsylvania, Massachusetts, and Kentucky

Stanley Baldwin

- (30) B11. For 10 points each, answer these questions about the abdication of Edward VIII.
  - 1. In what year did he abdicate?

1936

- 2. Who was Prime Minister when he abdicated?
- 3. What was the relation of Edward VIII to Kaiser Wilhelm II, who abdicated in 1918?

  Edward was the son of George V, cousin to the Kaiser.
- (20) B12. How well do you know your Northern Copperheads? For 10 points each, identify these two.
  - A congressman from Ohio, he was expelled from the U.S. for his treasonous views. He was later allowed to return to run for governor, only to lose disastrously.

    Vallindingham
  - 2. This Copperhead won the election of 1864 for governor of New York and ran against Grant for the presidency in 1868. Seymour
- (20) B13. For 10 points each, name these geographical locations that have the distinction of finishing second.
  - 1. the second-highest mountain in New York

Algonquin Peak

the second-highest waterfall east of the Mississippi.

Fall Creek Falls

- (30) B14. Just this past summer, Voyager made its final visit to the great gas planets. After visiting Neptune, Voyager will now depart the solar system and travel on its way. For 10 points each, answer these questions about what Voyager discovered.
  - 1. What Jovian moon was found to have volcanic activity? Io
  - What is the name of the region in Saturn's rings which Voyager discovered to be, not empty space, but contain ring material as well? <u>Cassini Division</u>
  - 3. What is the name of the largest of Neptune's moons, a moon which Voyager flew almost directly above, sending detailed photographs? Triton

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(20) B15. It was the Civil War equivalent of the ancient battle of Cannae when 8000 men under the command of David Sturgis was outflanked and routed by a force of 3300 men under Nathan Bedford Forest in Mississippi. For 20 points, identify this battle.

#### Brice's Crossroads

(30) B16. For 5 points each, name the 6 nations to whom Germany lost territory after World War I as a result of the Treaty of Versailles.

Britain, France, Japan, Denmark, Belgium, and Poland

(20) B17. When this group topped the charts with "My Sharona," it was hailed as being the next Beatles. For 20 points, name the band.

## The Knack

(20) B18. We know the young of many animals by special names. For example, a young horse is a colt. Given the animal, identify the name of its young, for 5 points each.

 1. swan
 cygnet

 2. quail
 cheeper

 3. rooster
 cockerel

 4. eel
 elver

(30) B19. The recent influx of Soviet players into the National Hockey League was led by the 3 members of the KLM line. These 3 men had played together for some 10 years before being separated by the NHL draft. For 10 points each, name these men, 2 of whom play for Vancouver and the third for Buffalo.

## Krutov, Larionov, and Mogilny MAKAROV

(20) B20. How well do you know professional wrestling? Given the league and the title, you tell me who holds the belt (as of 27 October 1989) for 5 points each.

1. WWF Intercontinental Champion
2. NWA Tag Team Champions

The Ultimate Warrior
The Fabulous Freebirds or Garvin and
Hayes

3. WWF Tag Team Champions

The Brain Busters or Anderson and
Blanchard

4. NWA Heavyweight Champion

"Nature Boy" Ric Flair

(30) B21. It has been described as the most momentous document in English history. It consisted of a schedule of 48 reforms to which King John I affixed his Great Seal, signifying his acceptance. For 30 points, name this document, the immediate predecessor to the Magna Carta, from which much of the Magna Carta was drawn.

#### the Articles of the Barons