

1990 Jay Ward Memorial Invitational

Carleton College -- Maize

TOSS-UPS

1. The title character's name is Sarah Woodruff. On film, she was portrayed by Meryl Streep, opposite Jeremy Irons. In print, her creator was John Fowles. For 10 points, identify Miss Woodruff by providing the name of novel and film.

Answer: The French Lieutenant's Woman

2. On October 1, 1927 Babe Ruth hit his 60th home run of the season against the Washington Senators. But that was not the only notable event connected with the game, for it also marked--for 10 points--the final major league appearance of what future Hall of Famer?

Answer: Walter Johnson

3. This compound of iron and sulfur is used in making sulfuric acid and in refrigeration fluid. When heated over a hot stove it will sizzle, smoke, and smell bad--quite unlike gold, with which it is sometimes confused. For 10 points, what is this mineral sometimes known as "fool's gold"?

Answer: pyrite, or iron pyrites

4. It was written by "the Elder" to "the dear lady and her children," and warns against false teachers who deny the historicity of Jesus. At 13 verses, it is the shortest book of the Bible. For 10 points, what is this New Testament epistle?

Answer: Second John

5. Yugoslavia ain't what it used to be. For 10 points, which Yugoslavian province recently passed laws requiring import duties to be paid on items brought into the province from the reform minded neighboring province of Croatia?

Answer: Serbia

6. Although Arthurian legend has definite Welsh associations, Arthur has become the hero of the English national epic. And although Arthurian tales are included in it as well, Pryderi is the central hero in the accumulation of stories forming the Welsh national epic. For 10 points, by what name is this collection of medieval Welsh stories generally known?

Answer: the Mabinogion

7. A leading field commander in the Northeast during the civil war of the forties, by 1969 he had been designated Mao's chosen successor. However, his descent from favor thereafter was swift and unmistakable. In the early 70's he was accused of masterminding a conspiracy to take power, and, evidently while attempting to escape to Soviet territory, his plane was shot down over Mongolia. For 10 points, who was this luckless Chinese General?

Answer: Lin Piao

- 3 8. He helped to create Captain Marvel and Captain America for the comics, but is best known for his hard boiled detective alter ego Mike Hammer. For 10 points, who is he?

Answer: Mickey Spillane

9. Women in football locker rooms has recently caused quite a bit of discussion and frustration. For 10 points, which Canadian football team recently barred female sports reporters from their locker rooms?

Answer: Winnipeg, or Blue Bombers  
[Accept either]

- 4 10. The first trigonometric tables are devised, and--later in the century--published. Musical notation is improved as the five-line staff becomes standard. Coffee is introduced in Europe. Akbar reigns as Mogul Emperor in India. And English forces defeat invading Scots at Flodden Field. For 10 points, identify the century.

Answer: 16th century; accept 1500s

11. Also nominated that year were Sylvia Sidney, Linda Blair, Candy Clark, and, from the same film she was in herself, Madelaine Kahn. But, for 10 points, who beat them all out to become the youngest person ever to win a Best Supporting Actress Oscar?

Answer: Tatum O'Neal

- 5 12. As a Pidgin English phrase it almost certainly derives from Mandarin Chinese words meaning to work together. For 10 points, identify the short two word expression designating a person unswervingly dedicated and enthusiastic--perhaps to the point of foolishness.

Answer: gung ho

13. Eliante is in love with Alceste, who is in love with Celimene, who is a notorious coquette. Alceste's friend Philinte advises him to marry Eliante, although Philinte himself fancies Eliante. For 10 points, which of Moliere's plays have I just described?

Answer: Le Misanthrope or The Misanthrope

- 6 14. His last book, published in 1989 shortly before he succumbed to cancer, contains his reflections on the "Past and Future" of the democratic socialist movement to which he devoted his political life. For 10 points who was this founder of the Democratic Socialist Organizing Committee who many credit with inspiring the 1960s War on Poverty with his eye-opening The Other America?

Answer: Michael Harrington

- ~~15. For 10 points, identify the German philosopher who died in 1938 and is known as the founder of the system called "phenomenology."~~

~~Answer: Edmund Husserl~~

15. 10. The first electric ones were developed in 1907 by the Hurley Machine Company, and marketed in Chicago under the name "Thor." For 10 points, what is this invention, one of which is represented as being at work in the opening credits of a 1985 movie directed by Stephen Frears?

Answer: washing machine  
(the movie is "My Beautiful Laundrette")

16. For a quick 10 points, identify the Assistant Secretary of Health, Education and Welfare in the Nixon administration who in 1942 was the principal founder of the Congress of Racial Equality.

Answer: James Farmer

17. It is named after the Dutch navigator who discovered it in 1642. Later, the British established a penal colony there. For 10 points, what is this island known until 1853 as Van Diemen's Land?

Answer: Tasmania

18. Edward Durrell Stone, John Portman, James Gamble Rogers, Louis Skidmore, Stanford White, Benjamin Latrobe, and Eero Saarinen were, for 10 points, all members of what profession?

Answer: architects

19. John Ashbrook, Sam Yorty, Shirley Chisholm, Pete McCloskey, John Lindsay, Scoop Jackson, Hubert Humphrey and Ed Muskie. For 10 points, in what year did all of these people campaign unsuccessfully for major party Presidential nominations?

Answer: 1972

20. The All-American Football Conference was a pro league of the late 1940s. For 10 points, what team, the namesake of a current NFL team, was the victor in every All-American Football Conference title game ever played?

Answer: Cleveland Browns [If "Cleveland" is given, ask for the team name.]

21. Modern medicine has been greatly aided by the use of CAT scanning to assist diagnoses of disorders of the soft tissues of the body, especially of the brain. For 10 points, what, in this context, does the acronym "CAT" stand for?

Answer: computerized axial tomography

22. In the 17th century a Dutch chemist produced an alcohol extract from rye to which he added juniper. Originally sold as a medicinal product, it soon became a popular spirit among healthy people as well--especially in England. It was inexpensive to make, and soon became the poor man's drink. For 10 points, identify this liquor whose name ultimately derives from the French for "juniper."

Answer: gin

23. Be careful, this toss-up requires two answers. One was pressured by his government, the other was making a personal statement. Within the space of six years the Nobel Prize in literature was declined by two writers. For 10 points, who were these writers?

Answer: Boris Pasternak and Jean Paul Sartre

24. The ambush known as the Fetterman Massacre was the decisive encounter in his successful leadership of Indian warfare against the establishment of the Bozeman Trail in the 1860s. For 10 points, identify this colorful leader of the Oglala Sioux.

Answer: Red Cloud

25. Zirconium is an element, but it couldn't be farther from the answer to this question. For 10 points, what is alphabetically the first chemical element?

Answer: Actinium

26. Boxes within boxes is, for 10 points, the trademark of what noted female sculptor?

Answer: Louise Nevelson

27. Chester Snavely, Larson Whipsnade, Eustace McGargle, and Chester Boyle, were all names used, for 10 points, by what movie comic known for his aversion to, among other things, Philadelphia?

Answer: W.C. Fields

28. It is currently the world's largest completed dam by volume. For 10 points, what is this dam, located in Ten Mile Wash Arizona?

Answer: New Cornelia Tailings Dam

29. Brazil's independence from Portugal was achieved in the year 1822. A republic was established after a bloodless revolution in 1889. In between, the nation was led by two emperors, father and son, each ruling, for 10 points, under what name?

Answer: Pedro

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BONUS QUESTIONS

1. (20 points) Environmentalism is gaining political clout in the U.S.A. For 5 points each, and a 5 point bonus for all three, can you name the three largest environmental lobbying groups in the U.S. as measured in both membership and budget?  
(Ans.: National Wildlife Federation, National Audubon Society, Sierra Club)
2. (30 points) For 10 points apiece, what country has been the traditional home to each of the following peoples:
  - A. Gags and Tosks (Ans.: Albania)
  - B. the Nuer and the Dinka (Ans.: the Sudan)
  - C. the Yoruba and the Ibo (Ans.: Nigeria) 10
3. (25 points) Who wrote Fathers and Sons? Turgenev, of course. This bonus has absolutely nothing to do with Russian literature, but it does ask you to identify the fathers--in the Biblical sense--of the following Bible characters, for 5 points apiece:
  - A. Benjamin, in the Book of Genesis (Ans.: Jacob)
  - B. Absalom, mentioned in Second Samuel and elsewhere (Ans.: David)
  - C. Ishmael, in Genesis (Ans.: Abraham) 6
  - D. Phares, or Perez, the ancestor of David (Ans.: Judah) ✓
  - E. Methuselah, who lived 969 years (Ans.: Enoch) ✓
4. (25 points) For five points apiece, identify the following films with one-word titles based on a brief description:
  - A. Based on the life of John Reed (Ans. Reds)
  - B. Concerns an attempt to build an opera house on the Amazon (Ans. Fitzcarraldo) ✓
  - C. Director Barry Levinson completes his "Baltimore" trilogy (Ans. Avalon) ✓
  - D. Hedy Lamarr's nude scene caused a 1930's scandal (Ans. Ecstasy)
  - E. Directed by Roger Vadim, based on a comic strip by Jean Claude Forest (Ans. Barbarella) ✓

5. (20 points) The 1990 recipients of the Nobel prizes in Medicine were honored for their clinical rather than research work. For 10 points apiece, identify the two medical "firsts" performed by these distinguished doctors, for which they received their prizes.

(Ans.: First Kidney Transplant and First Bone Marrow Transplant)

6. (30 points) Everyone knows that Saddam Hussein is the President of Iraq, and some people know that Tariq Aziz is the Foreign Minister, but can you, for 10 points apiece, name these members of the current Iraqi cabinet?

A. Vice Chairman (Ans.: Izzat Ibrahim)  
 B. Party Ideologue (Ans.: Saadoun Hammadi)  
 C. First Deputy Prime Minister and Leader of the Popular Army (Ans.: Taha Yassin Ramadan)

7. (20 points) For 5 points apiece, to what cities should you travel if you wish to view each of the following bridges:

A. The Ponte Vecchio (Ans. Florence) ✓  
 B. The Clifton Suspension Bridge (Ans.: Bristol)  
 C. The Howrah Bridge (Ans.: Calcutta)  
 D. London Bridge (Ans.: Lake Havasu City, AZ)

8. (30 points) 30-20-10. Identify the rock star from the clues provided.

1. In the 1960s he was lead vocalist for The Hoochie Coochie Men, Steampacket, and Shotgun Express.
2. He was also with the Jeff Beck Group and Faces before starting his solo career in 1969 with the album "An Old Raincoat Never Lets You Down."
3. His breakthrough album was his third, "Every Picture Tells a Story."

(Ans.: Rod Stewart)

9. (25 points) Between the years 1930 and 1954 the United States produced five Nobel Prize winners in literature. For 5 points apiece, tell me who they were.

(Ans.: Sinclair Lewis, Eugene O'Neill, Pearl Buck, William Faulkner, and Ernest Hemingway)



10. (20 points) It's an American sports awards question! For 10 points apiece...

First, who was the only major league baseball player ever to receive the MVP award and Rookie of the Year award in the same season? (Ans.: Fred Lynn)

Second, who was the only hockey player to win both the Norris Trophy and an NHL scoring title? (Ans.: Bobby Orr) 10

11. (20 points) The Ballet Russe, a troupe that was to revolutionize the world of dance, was founded in 1909 by a graduate of the St. Petersburg Conservatory of Music. For 10 points, identify the impresario and art critic who founded the Ballet Russe, and for an additional 10 points, the city in which it was established. (Ans.: Sergei Diaghilev; Paris)

12. (25 points) The category is inventors and their inventions.

First, for five points, with what invention of the 1920s was the Briton John Logie Baird associated? (Ans.: television)

Now, for 10 points, identify the Dutch engineer credited with invention of a pendulum clock, in 1656. (Ans.: Christaan Huygens) \*

Finally, the inventor of the carburetor in 1876 is also credited with building the first motorcycle a few years later. For an additional 10 points, name this German. (Ans.: Gottlieb Daimler) \*

13. (30 points) You know, of course, that David Souter is replacing William Brennan on the U.S. Supreme Court. This bonus will test how well you recall who other current Justices replaced. I will give you a Justice and the year of his or her confirmation; you tell me, for 10 points apiece, who was replaced.

A. Anthony M. Kennedy, 1987	(Ans.: Lewis <u>Powell</u> ) 10
B. Sandra Day O'Connor, 1981	(Ans.: Potter <u>Stewart</u> )
C. Harry A. Blackmun, 1970	(Ans.: Abe <u>Fortas</u> )

14. (20 points) Eccles, Minnie Bannister, Moriarty, Neddy Seagoon, Major Bloodnok, and Bluebottle were all characters, for 20 points, on what classic British radio comedy show starring Spike Milligan, Harry Secombe, and Peter Sellers? (Ans.: The Goon Show)

15. (25 points) Eugene O'Neill won four Pulitzer Prizes for Drama. For 5 points apiece, identify the plays for which he won.  
(Ans.: Beyond the Horizon, Anna Christie, Strange Interlude, and Long Day's Journey Into Night)
16. (30 points) Everybody knows that Heinrich Schliemann is the modern discoverer of the site of ancient Troy. But, for 10 points apiece, can you name the individual credited with the following archaeological achievements?:
- A. The excavation of Mycenae (Ans.: Heinrich Schliemann)
  - B. The discovery of Knossos (Ans.: Sir Arthur Evans)
  - C. The discovery of Machu Picchu (Ans.: Hiram Bingham)
17. (25 points) The KGB has recently undergone an image makeover in the Soviet Union. For 5 points, can you identify the current KGB director?  
(Ans.: Vladimir Kryuchkov)  
Now, for 10 points apiece, name the last two directors of the KGB preceding Kryuchkov. (Ans. Victor Chebrikov and Vitaliy Fedorchuk)
18. (20 points) For 20 points, what six-letter word signifies the Japanese equivalent of the Mafia? (Ans.: Yakuza)
19. (30 points) 30-20-10. Identify this Protestant denomination from the clues provided.
- 1. It's adherents are sometimes known as the "People of the Parentheses."
  - 2. Colleges affiliated with it include Transylvania University, Bethany College, and Texas Christian University.
  - 3. Members are sometimes popularly called "Campbellites."
- (Ans.: Christian Church (Disciples of Christ))  
[Accept either name]
20. (30 points) For 10 points apiece, identify the following Mozart compositions by their more familiar name:
- A. Symphony No. 38 in D (Ans.: Prague)
  - B. Symphony No. 41 in C (Ans.: Jupiter)
  - C. Serenade in 6 (Ans.: Eine Kleine Nachtmusik)

21. (20 points) For sixty-five years it set the standard for luxury train travel with spacious seating, a library/smoker, a parlor car, an observation car, and its famous red carpet laid out for passengers at the end of each run. For 20 points, identify this train of the New York Central line which made the run between New York and Chicago from 1902 to 1967.

(Ans.: the Twentieth Century Limited)

22. (25 points) Fauvism, Surrealism, The Blue Rider, Dada, or the Barbizon School? For 5 points apiece, match the artist to the artistic school or movement with which he was associated:

A. Paul Klee	(Ans.: <u>Blue Rider</u> )
B. Marcel Duchamp	(Ans.: <u>Dada</u> )
C. Vasily Kandinsky	(Ans.: <u>Blue Rider</u> )
D. Max Ernst	(Ans.: <u>Surrealism</u> )
E. René Magritte	(Ans.: <u>Surrealism</u> )

23. (30 points) Peace may be breaking out in Lebanon, but many still remember the sad times of the recent past. The three most prominent Maronite Christian families have each lost a son and heir to their families' leadership during the war. One family lost its son only last month. For 10 points each, identify these three leading Maronite families who have each lost a son by assassination.

(Ans.: Chamoun, Franjiya, Jumaiyyal [or Gemayel - accept reasonable pronunciations for any of these, as there are multiple transliterations])

24. (25 points) Scientists have, to date, identified and named five basic types of quark particle. For five points apiece, identify the names which have been given to these five quarks. (Ans.: up, down, strange, charm, and beauty OR bottom.)

25. (30 points) For 10 points apiece, I'll give you the name of a significant historical battle, you give me the name of the war in which it was fought.

A. Blenheim	(Ans.: War of the <u>Spanish Succession</u> )
B. Zama	(Ans.: <u>2nd Punic War</u> ; if "Punic Wars" is given, ask for more complete answer)
C. Sedan	(Ans.: <u>Franco-Prussian War</u> )