

ONLY 19 ^{BENJAMIN}~~TOSSUPS~~=====

TOSSUPS from CHICAGO A at the 1993 Minnesota Invitational Tournament
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1. The goal of explorers like Quesada, Federmann, and Benalcazar, it was a place where an Aztec chief was ritually dusted in gold, which was then washed off into a lake. For ten points, name this place mentioned as a Utopia in *Candide*, whose name is Spanish for "the gilded man".

EL DORADO

2. After a poor performance on his final examination at Oxford and an unrequited love for his college friend, Moses Jackson, he worked in the patent office in London. Moses Jackson is referred to in several of his poems by the classical name of Terence. For ten points identify this poet whose poems include "Terence this is stupid stuff" and the collection *A Shropshire Lad*.

A. E. HOUSEMAN

3. He collaborated with Pierre-Joseph Proudhon on the book *On Art and its Social Significance*. His landscapes are taken from locations in the Forest of Fontainebleau, the Jura, and the Mediterranean. For ten points identify this artist best known for *The Painter's Studio*, *The Burial at Ornans*, and *The Stone Breakers*.

Gustave COURBET

4. The date is 6 November 1972. Exactly 103 years after the first intercollegiate football game, and on the same site, since turned into a parking lot, Rutgers beats Princeton, 29-27 -- the same team wins by the same margin of victory as that first football game. For ten points, of what sport was this the first intercollegiate game?

ULTIMATE Frisbee

5. (Two answers required.) They both died in Paris bathtubs. One was a statesman, the other an entertainer. One was French, and the subject of a painting by a French artist, the other American, and the subject of a movie by an American director. One was stabbed to death, the other overdosed on drugs. Name these two men who died in 1793 and 1971.

Jean-Paul MARAT and Jim MORRISON

6. Born in Wales, he first began writing stories for the "Saturday Evening Post" shortly after World War II, and these have been collected in such books as "Over to you," and "Kiss Kiss." His first full-length novel, "My Uncle Oswald," was published in 1979, and he has written screenplays for "Chitty Chitty Bang Bang" and "You Only Live Twice," but he is best known for his children's stories. FTP, name this author of "Revolting Rhymes," "The wonderful story of Henry Sugar," "James and the Giant Peach," and "Charlie and the Chocolate Factory."

Roald DAHL

7. The title of a novel by Aleksandr Solzhenitsyn, Dante describes it as a vast field, through which wander such men as Aristotle, Plato, Socrates, Julius Caesar, Orpheus, Cicero, Saladin, and the Islamic philosophers Averroes and Avicenna. FTP, name this highest region of Hell.

The FIRST CIRCLE

8. This arcane art of ancient China still survives today, doing a thriving business in many nations, especially Hong Kong and Taiwan. This variety of geomancy purports to reveal the true auspiciousness of a location or configuration of structures. Practitioners now sell their services to builders, businesses, and banks, and have become nearly as ubiquitous as management consultants and interior decorators. FTP, name this art -- or is it a science? -- whose name means "wind and water" in Chinese.

FENG SHUI

9. Playboy may be a misogynist magazine, but the fact remains that all but six of their covers have featured women. These other six covers featured men, of whom he is the latest. He's not only been successful in his own field, but has made a big splash in the worlds of television and books as well. For ten points, name this star of the eponymous, NBC sitcom and the author of the best-selling Seinlanguage.

Jerry SEINFELD

10. In 1925, he publicly contended that the military high command was incompetent, negligent, and almost treasonable, for not taking seriously a certain area where America's defense was lax. He was court-martialed and suspended 5 years. For ten points, name this man posthumously restored to Major-General, and who advocated the creation of the U.S. Air Force.

Billy MITCHELL

11. It is part of the trilogy which includes A House Divided and Sons. In it the main character rises from a peasant to a rich landowner and the founder of a powerful family, but throughout his life he is dominated by a reverence for the soil. For ten points identify this novel in which Wang Lung marries O-lan, written by Pearl S. Buck.

THE GOOD EARTH

12. His sister Caroline was the first Western woman astronomer of note; she discovered eight comets. His son John discovered stars within the Magellanic Clouds. He himself was trained as an organist but gave up his music to grind lenses for his telescopes, which he then used to discover the Sun's infrared radiation, binary stars, and, in 1781, Uranus. For ten points, name him.

William HERSCHEL

13. His legend is based on the crimes of Gilles de Retz, a 17th-century

serial killer, and most versions of his tale tell of how he gives each of his brides a key to his castle, warning them not to open one door. Each of his first six wives opens the door, whereupon they find a room strewn with corpses, and are immediately killed by their husband for disobedience. The seventh wife, Ariane, manages to outsmart and bring to justice her murderous husband. FTP, name this title character of an operetta by Offenbach, a play by Maeterlinck, and an opera by Bartok.

BLUEBEARD

14. His father wanted him to enter the ministry, but he turned down a theological scholarship to Oxford to study mathematics at Cambridge. He later synthesized the work of Smith and Ricardo and the "marginalists" by introducing the concept of supply and demand, likening these principles to the two blades of a pair of scissors. For ten points, name this Englishman who authored the 1890 tome "Principles of Economics."

Alfred MARSHALL

15. "A woman drove me to drink and I never even had the courtesy to thank her." "I always keep a stimulant handy in case I see a snake -- which I also keep handy." "What contemptible scoundrel stole the cork from my lunch?" "Once, during prohibition, I was forced to live for days on nothing but food & water." FTP, all these lines are attributed to what infrequently-sober film comedian and star of "My Little Chickadee?"

W.C. FIELDS

16. He organized the U.S. Naval Lyceum, and served as its president. He conducted the first American naval school for gun practice. And he served under his brother in the War of 1812 on the sloop Revenge. For ten points, name this man sent by Fillmore to open Japan to the West.

MATTHEW PERRY

17. He was imprisoned for forty years at Pignerol and when he died in the Bastille in 1703, the name placed on his tombstone was Marchiali. Scholars today believe that he was Girolamo Mattioli, a duke of Mantua who had betrayed the French, but other theories have held him to be ex-minister of finance Fouquet, the duke of Monmouth, the duke of Beaufort, or even an identical twin brother of Louis XIV. For ten points, given the name by which this unknown prisoner and title character of a Dumas novel was known.

The MAN IN THE IRON MASK

18. Clarence Darrow called him, "The greatest man ever to come out of Plymouth, Vermont." Alice Roosevelt said that he "looked like he had been weaned on a pickle," Will Rogers credited him with being "The first American president to discover that what the American people really want is to be left alone," and when he died, Dorothy Parker's reaction was, "How can they tell?" FTP, name this not-terribly-inspirational 30th president of the United States.

Calvin COOLIDGE

19. The Marine Hospital and St. John's Church in Washington D.C. The Exchange building in Baltimore. The 2nd Bank of the U.S. building in Philadelphia. And the revision of William Thorton's plans for the Capitol building. For ten points, name this English exponent of the Greek Revival Style who accomplished all the above, who is remembered today for sharing his name with the home of Rolling Rock beer.

Benjamin LATROBE

20. They are a religious community who claim to be descendents of the ten lost tribes of Israel. They also claim that their religion contains the true, undiluted teachings of Moses. They broke with the Jews around 450 B.C. For ten points, name this group whose name is used in English, usually after the word "good", to denote anonymous helpers.

SAMARITANS

21. After his opera, *The Devil's Wall*, was poorly received in 1882 he declared "I shall write no more. No one wants to hear from me!" The following year his mind snapped and a year later he died in an insane asylum. For ten points identify this composer better remembered for his *My Country* and *The Bartered Bride*.

Bedrich SMETANA

22. He married a sister of the composer Mendelssohn, and he succeeded Gauss at Gottingen. He proved that the series a times n plus b for $n = 1, 2, 3 \dots$ with a and b relatively prime must have a infinite number of prime numbers in it. He proved Fermat's Last Theorem for $n=5$. For ten points identify this German mathematician whose pupil was Dedekind.

Pierre Gustav LeJeune DIRICHLET

23. After ten years churning out hits like "Raiders of the Lost Ark," he left his studio in 1983 due to continuing differences with its current boss, Martin Davis. He moved on to greener pastures at Fox, pulling off the creation of a fourth broadcast-TV network. But after Rupert Murdoch refused him a stake in the firm in 1991, he left Fox to take over the QVC cable-TV home-shopping network. FTP, name this entertainment executive who's trying to turn the tables by buying his former employer, Paramount Studios.

Barry DILLER

24. Carvo, Flores, Graciosa, Sao Jorge, Fayal, Pico, Terceira, Santa Maria, and Sao Miguel are its largest islands. Ponta Delgado is its largest city. Known in the 1300s but not colonized until 1445, this island group was an important stepping stone in the first transatlantic flights. For ten points, name this administrative area of Portugal.

AZORES

25. She appeared in the movies Four's a Crowd, Captain Blood and The Adventures of Robin Hood, all opposite Errol Flynn. Fighting for the chance to play more dramatic roles, she was suspended by Warner Brothers, but on a landmark case releasing her from her contract. For ten points identify this actress who went on to play dramatic roles in The Snake Pit, To Each his Own, The Heiress, and Gone with the Wind.

Olivia DE HAVILLAND

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1.[30] Identify these novels written by E. M. Forster given characters from them, for ten points apiece.

1. Dr. Aziz, Mrs. Moore, and Adela Quested
2. Lucy Honeychurch and George Emerson
3. Helen Schlegel, Mrs. Wilcox and Leonard Bast

1. A PASSAGE TO INDIA 2. A ROOM WITH A VIEW 3. HOWARD'S END

2. [30] Identify these female scientists who got the shaft from the Nobel Prize committee, for 10 points each.

1. She was a master of X-ray diffraction techniques, using them to probe the structure of DNA and discern the double helix structure. She died of cancer in 1958. Watson, Crick, and Wilkins got the Nobel Prize. She did not.
2. She took the data, examined the data, found the signal that turned out to be the first pulsar, verified it wasn't an accident, and helped interpret it. Ryle, and her advisor, Hewish, got the Nobel Prize. She did not.
3. She operated the microscope through which the splicing process was observed and designed the crucial experiment to confirm the process, using topics she had developed. Her senior at Cold Spring Harbor Laboratory, Roberts, and Sharp at MIT got the prize this year. She did not.

1. Rosalind FRANKLIN 2. Jocelyn BELL 3. Louise T. CHOW

3. [30] Identify the composer on a 30-20-10 basis.

- 30: His lesser known works include the ballet L'Histoire du Soldat, the Symphony of Psalms and the ballet Jeu de Cartes.
- 20: His teacher Rimsky-Korsakov helped him to write his first major work La Faune et la bergere.
- 10: His best known works include L'Oiseau de Feu, Petrouchka and Sacre du Printemps.

Igor STRAVINSKY

4. [30] Here's a three-part bonus about antebellum U.S. politics. 10 points for each part.

1. In 1854, Stephen Douglas authored a bill organizing two territories. Name the southernmost of the two.
2. It was the title of the speech that led Preston Brooks to whack Charles Sumner around with a cane in 1856.
3. In 1857, pro-slavery forces in Kansas put to a vote their skewed version of a constitution. After what Kansas town was it named?

1. KANSAS 2. "THE CRIME AGAINST KANSAS" 3. LECOMPTON

5. [30] Identify this English author on a 30-20-10 basis.

30: In 1749 he became the first police magistrate in London and with the organization of the Bow street runners, a pioneer in the detection of crime.

20: Among his lesser known works are A Journal of a Voyage to Lisbon, Amelia and Johnathon Wild.

10: He is best known for the play Tom Thumb, and the parodies of Richardson: Shamela and Joseph Andrew.

Henry FIELDING

6. [25] For the stated number of points, answer these digestive questions. Yum!

1. For five points, identify the carbohydrate-digesting enzyme that is the only digestive enzyme in saliva.

2. For five points each, name the three parts of the small intestine.

3. For ten points, identify the major enzyme of the stomach, which is activated by hydrochloric acid.

1. AMYLASE 2. DUODENUM, JEJUNUM and ILEUM 3. PEPSIN

7. [30] Identify the artist on a 30-20-10 basis.

30: During the 1970's he came to the fore of stage designing, notably with Stravinsky's The Rake's Progress and Mozart's The Magic Flute.

20: One of the best known British artist of the 20th century, he was a leading artist of the Pop Art movement of the 1960's.

10: Among his paintings are the striking portrait of Mr and Mrs Clark and Perry and the painting a Bigger Splash.

David HOCKNEY

8.[30] In terms of pounds consumed per year, what three foods are the most popular in the United States? Correct order is not necessary, ten points each.

POTATOES, iceberg LETTUCE, and TOMATOES (in that order)

9. [30] Answer these Russian history questions for ten points each.

1. Dmitri Donskoi defeated this group at the Battle of Kulikovo in 1380, breaking their power in Russia forever.

2. Elected to the throne upon the death of Theodore in 1598, he led Russia until his death in 1605.

3. During the Time of Troubles, 1604 to 1613, several pretenders to the throne claimed to be the murdered son of Ivan IV. Name this group.

1. MONGOLS or TARTARS 2. BORIS GUDONOV 3. "The FALSE DMITRIS"

10. [30] Identify the American author, 30-20-10.

30: Rembrandt's Hat and Idiots First

20: The Tenants and Pictures of Fidelman

10: The Magic Barrel and The Natural

Bernard MALAMUD

11. [30] Identify the following Canaanite gods from brief descriptions, for ten points each.

1. This half-man, half-fish deity was worshiped at Gaza and became a leading god of the Philistines.
2. A notorious shrine to this god existed at Tophet, at which parents would supposedly make human sacrifices of their children.
3. This rain-goddess was the wife of Baal.

1. DAGON 2. MOLOCH 3. ISHTAR

12. [30] Many cities lie on major rivers. Name the river associated with each of the following American cities, for five points apiece.

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| a) Denver | SOUTH PLATTE |
| b) Atlanta | CHATTAHOOCHEE |
| c) Wichita | ARKANSAS |
| d) Concord | MERRIMACK |
| e) Albuquerque | RIO GRANDE |
| f) Harrisburg | SUSQUEHANNA |

13. [30] For five points each and a maximum of thirty, name any six of the first ten Ottoman Sultans.

OSMAN, ORKHAN, MURAD I, BAYEZID I, MEHMET (MOHAMMED) I, MURAD II, MEHMET (MOHAMMED) II, BAYEZID II, SELIM I, and SULEIMAN I

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14. [30] Much of the philosophical framework of modern Hinduism is derived from that of ancient Indian Vedism, so-called because its principal texts are the Vedas. Answer these questions about the Vedas.

1. For five points each, name the four samhitas, which are sometimes called Vedas themselves.
2. For an additional ten points, name the tenth-century BCE speculative works of Vedic philosophy that comment on the Vedas and contemplate the nature of sacrifice, the universe, and man. Their name means "a sitting down (at the guru's feet)", in order to receive spiritual truth.

1. RIG Veda, YAJUR Veda, SAMAVEDA, and ATHARVA Veda 2. the UPANISHADS

15. [30] Of Vladimir Nabokov's many novels, only three were written while he was in the United States. For ten points each, name these three novels, which were written in 1947, 1955, and 1957.

"BEND SINISTER", "LOLITA" and "INVOLUNTARY"

16. [30] For ten points, each, name the authors of the following literary works that have the word "fable" in the title.

1. The 1954 novel "A Fable."
2. The 1848 poem "A fable for critics."
3. The 1899 collection of short stories, "Fables in Slang."

1. William FAULKNER 2. James Russell LOWELL 3. George ADE

17. [25] Answer these questions about one of Plato's most famous dialogues, the Republic.

1. For five points each, name Plato's two brothers who discuss justice and the ideal state with Socrates.
2. Socrates divides the citizens of an ideal state into three classes, comparing them to metals. Give the functions of these three classes for five points each.

1. GLAUCON and ADEIMANTUS 2. GUARDIANS (rulers), SOLDIERS, and WORKERS [Moderator: accept approximate answers on part 2]

18. [25] Kurt Vonnegut, jr. is an odd sort of fellow. Not satisfied with traditional religious and metaphysical concepts, he's created a number of original terms that flow throughout his work, especially in his exposition of "Bokononism" in Cat's Cradle. You'll get five points for each word you can identify from a short definition, plus a five point bonus for supreme knowledge.

1. A group of seemingly unrelated people who are actually deeply connected in the grand scheme of things.
2. An object around which the lives of the members of a karass revolve, for example, ice-nine.
3. A organization of human beings whose members think meaningful, but which really isn't; for example, alumni organizations, political parties, or nations. A false karass.
4. Harmless, comforting untruths like "the check is in the mail" or "prosperity is just around the corner."

1. a KARASS
2. a WAMPETER
3. a GRANFALLOON
4. FOMA

19. [30] Identify these related Biblical figures for ten points each.

1. Opponent of the cult of Baal, this prophet in the time of Ahab did not die but was carried to heaven in a whirlwind.
2. This son of Nimshi overthrew the Ahab dynasty. His name has come to symbolize anyone who drives quickly.
3. The name of this wife of Ahab has come to symbolize women with bold spirits but loose morals.

1. ELIJAH 2. JEHU 3. JEZEBEL